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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

IMPORT AND EXPORT (CONTROL) ACT, No. 1 OF 1969

Regulations made by the President under Section 20 of the Import and Export (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969 and paragraph (2) of the Article 44 of the Constitution.

MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,
President.

3rd of April 2013,
Colombo.

Regulations

1. These regulations may be cited as the Import and Export (Control) Regulation, No. 02 of 2013.
2. All used motor vehicles falling under H. S. Codes 87.02, 87.03, 87.04 and 87.05 being imported to Sri Lanka shall be subjected to a pre-shipment inspection and shall have a certificate of export inspection issued by the relevant authorized inspectors appointed by the Secretary to the Ministry of Finance and Planning.
3. The said export inspection shall have annexed thereto :
 - (a) A certified copy of the cancelled vehicle registration certificate and export inspection certificate which shall be laminated and bear an embossed hologram seal.
 - (b) A condition report with a complete description of the vehicle including a list of accessories.
4. The documents referred to in regulation 3(a) and 3(b) above and the cancelled original certificate of registration with an English translation thereof shall form part of the documents hereinafter required under Letters of Credit.
5. The stamp of the local bank that opened the letters of credit and that of the corresponding bank in country of export shall be placed, on the original cancelled certificate of registration, its English translation and the documents referred to in regulation 3(a) or a copy of it and 3(b).
6. Commercial banks shall only accept such documents dispatched directly by their corresponding banks and shall not stamp cancelled vehicle registration certificates, their English translations and certificates of export inspection if directly dispatched by the exporter, importer or any other person.

7. Verification of Authenticity

7.1 The documents referred to in regulation 3(a) and 3(b) shall form part of the documents hereinafter required for clearance of motor vehicle, by Sri Lanka Customs.

8. Interpretation

8.1 Authorized inspectors shall mean the following :-

- (i) For imports from Japan - Japan Auto Appraisal Institute (e-mail address - mail@jaai.or.jp)
- (ii) For imports from Japan - Japan Export Vehicle Inspection Center Company Limited (JEVIC) (e-mail address - info@jevic.com)
- (iii) For imports from Japan - Used Car System Solutions Co. Ltd. (USS Co., Ltd) (e-mail address - tokyo@ussnet.co.jp)
- (iv) For imports from other countries - Bureau Veritas (e-mail address : itd.sgp@sg.Bureauveritas.com)
- (v) Where in a country that Bureau Veritas is not available or for any other reason : From an inspection authority accepted by the Secretary to the Ministry of Finance and Planning/Controller of Import and Export.

8.2 Used motor vehicle for the purpose of this regulation shall mean :

A motor vehicle that has been registered in a country of origin/export

The Import and Export (Control) Regulation No. 01 of 2006 published in the Gazette Extraordinary No. 1454/30 of 21st July, 2006 is hereby repealed.