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## PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### **Government Notifications**

### IMPORTS AND EXPORTS CONTROL ACT, No. 1 OF 1969

IN terms of the powers vested in me by Section 20 read together with Sub-Section 4(1) and Section 14 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, No. 1 of 1969 as amended by Act, No. 48 of 1985 and Act, No. 28 of 1987, I, Ranil Wickremesinghe, the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies promulgate following Regulations.

RANIL WICKREMESINGHE, Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies.

Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies, Colombo 01, January 11, 2024.

#### Regulations

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the "Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 01 of 2024".
- 2. These Regulations are issued as an integral part of the Regulations of the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 02 of 2023, published in the *Gazette No.* 2312/78 dated January 01, 2023, as amended.



- 3. Notwithstanding the Regulation No. 4 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations No. 02 of 2023, referred above, importation of goods as described in the Schedule below shall be allowed by the Director General of Sri Lanka Customs on the recommendation of the Chief Accounting Officer of the respective Ministry in charge of the subject and subject to other prevailing Rules and Regulations applicable on importation of motor vehicles, classified under the HS Chapter 87.

HS Code	Description	Number of Units	Importer / Consignee
8702.10.75	Economy Class Ramp Coaches	03	Sri Lankan Airlines Limited
8702.10.75	Bus	01	Ministry of Education
8702.10.55	Bus	01	Ministry of Education
8704.22.61	Mobile Maternity Units	03	Ministry of Health
8704.21.91	Double Cabs	21	Ministry of Health
8703.32.79	SUV	01	Ministry of Labor and Foreign Employment

- 4. These Regulations are issued as per the decision of the Cabinet of Ministers dated December 11, 2023 on the Memorandum No. 23/2288/628/105/TBR dated November 28, 2023 submitted by the Minister of Ports, Shipping and Aviation read together with the Observations of the Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies dated December 06, 2023, on the said Memorandum.
- To achieve the objectives of these Regulations, the Controller General of Imports and Exports shall issue "Operational **Instructions**" to the Director General of Customs, licensed banks or any other relevant authorities.
- The final decision shall be made by the Controller General of Imports and Exports on any issues arising in relation to 6. these Regulations.

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