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**PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL**

**Government Notifications**

**SPECIAL COMMODITY LEVY ACT, No. 48 OF 2007**

**Order under Section 2**

01. BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007, I, Ranil Wickremesinghe, Minister of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka, do by this order impose in respect of the commodities specified in *Column I* of the Schedule hereto a Special Commodity Levy at the rate specified in the corresponding entries in *Column II* of that Schedule.

**SCHEDULE**

<i>Column I</i>				<i>Column II</i>
<i>Commodity Item</i>				<i>Special Commodity Levy</i>
	<i>H.S. Heading</i>	<i>H.S. Code</i>	<i>Description</i>	
1.	10.05	1005.90	Maize	Rs. 25.00 per Kg
2.	07.13		Black gram :	
		0713.31.22	Skinned, whether or not split	Rs. 300 per Kg
		0713.31.29	Other	Rs. 300 per Kg
3.	07.13	0713.31.19	Other - Green gram (Moong)	Rs. 300 per Kg



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02. Importation of Maize, Black gram and Green gram as described above shall be allowed on recommendation of the Ministry of Agriculture.
03. The Orders under Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007 and published in the following *Extraordinary Gazette Notifications* are hereby rescinded with effect from August 18, 2023.
  - (i) *Extraordinary Gazette Notification* No. 2321/76 of March 04, 2023 in respect of importation of Black gram (HS Code 0713.31.22 and 0713.31.29)
  - (ii) *Extraordinary Gazette Notification* No. 2301/40 of October 13, 2022 in respect of importation of Green gram (HS Code 0713.31.19)
4. The Order of the above shall be valid for a period of 6 months commencing from August 18, 2023 subject to provisions of Sub-Section (3) of Section 2 of the Special Commodity Levy Act, No. 48 of 2007.

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

Ministry of Finance, Economic Stabilization and National Policies,  
Colombo 01,  
August 17, 2023.

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