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Director General
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Importation of Rice

By Extraordinary Gazette No.2309/40 dated 09.12.2022, rice is categorized as License item and issuance of Import Control Licenses are suspended subject to the exemptions mentioned in the regulations therein.

2. However, Import Control Licenses (ICL) are issued by this department for importations of rice consignments which have been covered by the aforesaid exceptions based on the verifications obtained from Sri Lanka Customs regarding the departure date of port of loading and arrival dates.

3. In addition to that licenses have been issued for the rice importations with shipped on board on 10.12.2022, after charging an additional fee of 5 % of the CIF value of the relevant consignment considering the practical difficulties faced by the importers.

3. With this background, you are kindly requested to take necessary action as per the Customs Ordinance for the rice consignments which have shipped on board date on 11.12.2022 and onwards and, have been arrived to the Sri Lanka port up to now.

4. Further I would like to suggest you that it would be appropriate if you could consider the date of shipped on board, departure date of port of loading and arrived dates of the above mentioned consignments in imposing penalties or take action as per the custom ordinance in order to maintain the consistency of the process.

T.T.Upulmalee Premathilake
Controller General of Imports and Exports

Copy: All the Commercial Banks - to release the documents by inserting a note on the commercial invoice stating that the relevant importer has violated the said regulations.

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