

GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO.13 OF 1996

**The Customs and Excise Act
(Laws, Volume XII, Cap. 662)**

**The Customs and Excise (Suspension) (Common Market for
Eastern and Southern Africa) Regulations, 1996**

IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in sections *eighty-two* and *eighty-nine* of the Customs and Excise Act, the following Regulations are hereby made:

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| <p>1. These Regulations may be cited as the Customs and Excise (Suspension) (Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa) Regulations, 1996.</p> | <p>Title</p> |
| <p>2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—</p> <p>" Authority " means the Authority of the Common Market established by Article 7 of the Treaty;</p> <p>" commodity " means goods described in the Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System published by the World Customs Organisation;</p> <p>" Common Market " means the Common Market for Eastern and Southern African States established by Article 1 of the Treaty;</p> <p>" co-operation " includes the undertaking by the member states in common, jointly or in concert of activities undertaken in furtherance of the objectives of the Common Market as provided for under the Treaty or under any contract or agreement made thereunder or in relation to the objectives of the Common Market;</p> <p>" customs duty " means import or export duties or other similar charges levied on goods imported or exported and includes suspended duties and fiscal duties or taxes where such duties affect the importation or exportation of such goods but does not include internal duties and taxes such as sales, turnover or consumption taxes, imposed on importation or exportation of goods;</p> <p>" ex-factory cost " means the value of the total inputs required to produce a given product;</p> | <p>Interpretation</p> |

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MINISTER OF FINANCE
R. D. S. HIRIYA

1002/90/00
Heading No.

Other
Description of Goods
(Regulation 5)
APPENDIX

Rate
of Duty
Respective Rates

are hereby revoked:

3. The Customs and Excise (Suspension) Regulations, 1983,
effective rates shown in the appendix to these Regulations,
applied to an extent sufficient to reduce such duties to the
apply to the goods listed in the Schedule to these Regulations; and

5. The duties appearing in the Customs Tariff in so far as they
(Suspension) Regulations, 1988.

4. These Regulations may be cited as the Customs and Excise
1988.

Customs and Excise Act, the following Regulations are hereby
in exercise of the powers contained in section 27(4)(a) of the

The Customs and Excise (Suspension) Regulations, 1988

(LANKA, Volume XII, Cap. 605)
The Customs and Excise Act

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GOVERNMENT OF SRI LANKA

14 of 1983
of S.I. No.
Regulation

of duty
Suspension

Title

" materials " means raw materials, semi-finished products, ingredients, parts and components used in the production of goods;

" Member State " means a member of the Common Market;

" originated in a Member State " when used with reference to commodities, means commodities which are accepted as originating in the Member States in accordance with Annex III of the Treaty;

" producer " has the meaning assigned to it in Rule 1 of Annex III of the Treaty;

" produced " includes the application of any operation or process as set out in Rule 5 of Annex III to the Treaty;

" third country " means any country other than a Member State;

" Treaty " means the Treaty for the establishment of the Common Market; and

" tribunal " means a judicial organ which applies or interprets the provisions of the Treaty and adjudicates upon such disputes as may be referred to it in accordance with Article 40 of the Treaty.

Suspension
and
reduction of
duties

3. (1) Any goods originating in a Member State of the Common Market shall be liable to customs duty at the rate appearing in the Customs Tarrif set out in the First Schedule of the Act but which shall be suspended by sixty per centum to an effective rate of forty per centum of the substantive tariff rate.

(2) The suspension of duty referred to in sub-regulation (1) shall apply to goods supplied from a Member State and qualifying as originating from a Member State in terms of the protocol on the rules of origin set out in Article 15 of Annex III to the Treaty.

Determina-
tion of origin

4. The country of origin of any goods shall be determined in accordance with Annex III of the Treaty and all importers of goods shall obtain from the manufacturer or supplier of such goods a certificate of origin in the form set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

Revocation
of S.I. No.
172 of 1992

5. The Customs and Excise (Suspension) (Preferential Trade Area) Regulations, 1992, are hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE
(Regulation 4)

CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN

1. Exporter (name and office address)	REF. No..... Common Market of Eastern and Southern African States CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN
2. Consignee (name and office address)	3. Country, group of countries in which the products are considered as originating from
4. Particulars of transport	5. Changes in tariff classification if applicable
6. For official use	7. Marks and numbers: number and kind of packages: description of goods
8. Customs tariff No.	9. Origin criterion (see overleaf)
10. Gross weight or other quantity	11. Invoice No.
12. DECLARATION BY EXPORTER/ PRODUCERS/SUPPLIERS I, the undersigned, hereby declare that the above details and statements are correct, that all goods are produced in place, date and signature of declarant	13. CERTIFICATE It is hereby certified that the above mentioned goods are of..... Certificate of Customs or other Designated Authority STAMP

*Please delete the description not applicable

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN FORM

(i) The Forms may be completed by any process provided that the entries are indelible and legible.

(ii) Neither erasures nor super-impositions should be allowed on the certificate. Any alterations should be made by striking out the erroneous entries and making any additions required.

(iii) Any unused spaces should be crossed out to prevent any subsequent addition.

(iv) If warranted by export trade requirements, one or more copies may be drawn up in addition to the original.