



**DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE  
CENTRAL BANK OF SRI LANKA**

**DIRECTIONS No. 01 OF 2018 UNDER FOREIGN EXCHANGE ACT, No. 12 of 2017**

**Directions issued to Authorized Dealers on Payments for Imports made on Advance Payment (Cash-in-Advance) Terms**

In terms of Section 9 (1) of the Foreign Exchange Act, No. 12 of 2017 (the Act), Authorized Dealers are hereby informed that with effect from 10 October 2018, Authorized Dealers are not permitted to release foreign exchange which involves conversion of Sri Lanka Rupees for making payments for the importation of non-essential consumer goods as specified in Annex I under the advance payment (Cash-in-Advance) terms.

2. Authorized Dealers should apprise customers (i.e., importers of goods) on this requirement and are required to comply with this direction until further notice.

**Director-Department of Foreign Exchange**

**10 October 2018**

## Non-Essential Consumer Goods

HS Hdg	HS Code	Description
<b>33.03</b>	<b>3303.00.00</b>	<b>Perfumes and toilet waters</b>
	3303.00.10	Perfumes
		Toilet waters
	3303.00.21	Baby cologne conforming to SLS 589 and containing alcohol not less than 55% and not more than 65% by v/v
	3303.00.22	Other colognes containing alcohol not less than 50% and not more than 90% by v/v
	3303.00.29	Other
<b>33.07</b>		<b>Pre-shave, shaving or after-shave preparations, personal deodorants, bath preparations, depilatories and other perfumery, cosmetic or toilet preparations not elsewhere specified or included; prepared room deodorisers, whether or not perfumed or having disinfectant properties</b>
	3307.10.00	Pre-shave, shaving or after-shave preparations
	3307.20.00	Personal deodorants and antiperspirants
	3307.30.00	Perfumed bath salts and other bath preparations
		Preparations for perfuming or deodorizing rooms, including odoriferous preparations used during religious rites :
	3307.41.00	"Agarbatti" and other odoriferous preparations which operate by burning
	3307.49.00	Other
	3307.90.00	Other :
	3307.90.10	Contact lens solutions
	3307.90.90	Other
<b>40.11</b>		<b>New pneumatic tyres, of rubber (+)</b>
	4011.10.00	Of a kind used on motor cars (including station wagons and racing cars)
	4011.20.00	Of a kind used on buses or lorries :
		Having a rim size 20 inches and above :
	4011.20.11	Tyre casing without markings
	4011.20.19	Other
	4011.20.90	Other
	4011.30.00	Of a kind used on aircraft
	4011.40.00	Of a kind used on motorcycles
	4011.50.00	Of a kind used on bicycles
	4011.70.00	Of a kind used on agricultural or forestry vehicles and machines
	4011.80.00	Of a kind used on construction, mining or industrial handling vehicles and machines :
	4011.80.10	Having a rim size not exceeding 61 cm
	4011.80.90	Having a rim size exceeding 61 cm
	4011.90.00	Other:
	4011.90.10	Of a kind used on auto trishaws
	4011.90.90	Other



HS Hdg	HS Code	Description
<b>64.02</b>		<b>Other footwear with outer soles and uppers of rubber or plastics</b>
		Sports footwear :
	6402.12.00	Ski-boots, cross-country ski footwear and snowboard boots
	6402.19.00	Other:
	6402.19.10	Football shoes and rugby shoes
	6402.19.19	Other
	6402.20.00	Footwear with upper straps or thongs assembled to the sole by means of plugs
		Other footwear :
	6402.91.00	Covering the ankle
	6402.99.00	Other
<b>64.03</b>		<b>Footwear with outer soles of rubber, plastics, leather or composition leather and uppers of leather</b>
		Sports footwear :
	6403.12.00	Ski-boots, cross-country ski footwear and snowboard boots
	6403.19.00	Other :
	6403.19.10	Football shoes, rugby shoes
	6403.19.19	Other
	6403.20.00	Footwear with outer soles of leather, and uppers which consist of leather straps across the instep and around the big toe
	6403.40.00	Other footwear, incorporating a protective metal toe-cap
		Other footwear with outer soles of leather :
	6403.51.00	Covering the ankle
	6403.59.00	Other
		Other footwear :
	6403.91.00	Covering the ankle
	6403.99.00	Other
<b>64.04</b>		<b>Footwear with outer soles of rubber, plastics, leather or composition leather and uppers of textile materials</b>
		Footwear with outer soles of rubber or plastics :
	6404.11.00	Sports footwear; tennis shoes, basketball shoes, gym shoes, training shoes and the like
	6404.19.00	Other
	6404.20.00	Footwear with outer soles of leather or composition leather
<b>64.05</b>		<b>Other footwear</b>
	6405.10.00	With uppers of leather or composition leather
	6405.20.00	With uppers of textile materials
	6405.90.00	Other
<b>84.15</b>		<b>Air conditioning machines, comprising a motor driven fan and elements for changing the temperature and humidity, including those machines in which the humidity cannot be separately regulated(+)</b>
	8415.10.00	Of a kind designed to be fixed to a window, wall, ceiling or floor, self-contained or "split system" :
	8415.10.10	Used / reconditioned
		"Split system" :
	8415.10.21	Of a capacity not exceeding 9,000 BTU
	8415.10.22	Of a capacity exceeding 9,000 BTU and not exceeding 12,000 BTU

HS Hdg	HS Code	Description
	8415.10.23	Of a capacity exceeding 12,000 BTU and not exceeding 18,000 BTU
	8415.10.24	Of a capacity exceeding 18,000 BTU and not exceeding 24,000 BTU
	8415.10.25	Of a capacity exceeding 24,000 BTU and not exceeding 30,000 BTU
	8415.10.29	Other
		Self-contained :
	8415.10.31	Of a capacity not exceeding 9,000 BTU
	8415.10.32	Of a capacity exceeding 9,000 BTU and not exceeding 12,000 BTU
	8415.10.33	Of a capacity exceeding 12,000 BTU and not exceeding 18,000 BTU
	8415.10.34	Of a capacity exceeding 18,000 BTU and not exceeding 24,000 BTU
	8415.10.35	Of a capacity exceeding 24,000 BTU and not exceeding 30,000 BTU
	8415.10.39	Other
	8415.20.00	Of a kind used for persons, in motor vehicles :
	8415.20.10	Used / reconditioned
	8415.20.90	Other
		Other :
	8415.81.00	Incorporating a refrigerating unit and a valve for reversal of the cooling/heat cycle (reversible heat pumps) :
	8415.81.10	Used / reconditioned
	8415.81.90	Other
	8415.82.00	Other, incorporating a refrigerating unit :
	8415.82.10	Used / reconditioned
	8415.82.90	Other
	8415.83.00	Not incorporating a refrigerating unit :
	8415.83.10	Used / reconditioned
	8415.83.90	Other
	8415.90.00	Parts:
	8415.90.10	Outdoor units of split type air conditioning machines:
	8415.90.11	Used / reconditioned
	8415.90.19	Other
	8415.90.20	Indoor units of split type air conditioning machines:
	8415.90.21	Used / reconditioned
	8415.90.29	Other
	8415.90.90	Other
<b>84.18</b>		<b>Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment, electric or other; heat pumps other than air conditioning machines of heading 84.15</b>
	8418.10.00	Combined refrigerator-freezers, fitted with separate external doors :
	8418.10.10	Used / reconditioned
	8418.10.90	Other
		Refrigerators, household type :
	8418.21.00	Compression-type :
	8418.21.10	Used / reconditioned
	8418.21.90	Other
	8418.29.00	Other :
	8418.29.10	Used / reconditioned absorption-type, electrical
	8418.29.20	Other absorption-type, electrical
	8418.29.30	Other used / reconditioned



HS Hdg	HS Code	Description
	8418.29.90	Other
	8418.30.00	Freezers of the chest type, not exceeding 800 l capacity :
	8418.30.10	Not exceeding 566 l used / reconditioned
	8418.30.20	Other, not exceeding 566 l
	8418.30.30	Other, used / reconditioned
	8418.30.90	Other
	8418.40.00	Freezers of the upright type, not exceeding 900 l capacity :
	8418.40.10	Not exceeding 566 l used / reconditioned
	8418.40.20	Other, not exceeding 566 l
	8418.40.30	Other, used / reconditioned
	8418.40.90	Other
	8418.50.00	Other furniture (chests, cabinets, display counters, show-cases and the like) for storage and display, incorporating refrigerating or freezing equipment :
	8418.50.10	Used / reconditioned
	8418.50.90	Other
		Other refrigerating or freezing equipment; heat pumps :
	8418.61.00	Heat pumps other than air conditioning machines of heading 84.15
	8418.69.00	Other :
	8418.69.10	Cabinet and chest type refrigerators exceeding 566 l and below 850 l used/ reconditioned
	8418.69.20	Other, cabinet and chest type refrigerators exceeding 566 l and below 850 l
	8418.69.30	Blast-freezers for preserving poultry meat used/ reconditioned
	8418.69.40	Other, blast-freezers for preserving poultry meat
	8418.69.50	Milk chilling tanks used/ reconditioned
	8418.69.60	Other, milk chilling tanks
	8418.69.70	Other, used/ re-conditioned
	8418.69.90	Other
		Parts :
	8418.91.00	Furniture designed to receive refrigerating or freezing equipment :
	8418.91.10	Cabinets for refrigerators
	8418.91.20	Other cabinets
	8418.91.90	Other
	8418.99.00	Other
<b>85.17</b>		<b>Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks; other apparatus for the transmission or reception of voice, images or other data, including apparatus for communication in a wired or wireless network (such as a local or wide area network), other than transmission or reception apparatus of heading 84.43, 85.25, 85.27 or 85.28</b>
		Telephone sets, including telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks :
	8517.11.00	Line telephone sets with cordless handsets
	8517.12.00	Telephones for cellular networks or for other wireless networks :
	8517.12.10	Used / reconditioned cellular mobile telephones

HS Hdg	HS Code	Description
	8517.12.20	Other, cellular mobile telephones
	8517.12.90	Other
	8517.18.00	Other
		Other apparatus for transmission or reception of voice, images or other data, including apparatus for communication in a wired or wireless network (such as a local or wide area network) :
	8517.61.00	Base stations
	8517.62.00	Machines for the reception, conversion and transmission or regeneration of voice, images or other data, including switching and routing apparatus :
	8517.62.10	Transmission apparatus with or without reception apparatus
	8517.62.90	Other
	8517.69.00	Other
	8517.70.00	Parts
<b>85.28</b>		<b>Monitors and projectors, not incorporating television reception apparatus; reception apparatus for television, whether or not incorporating radio-broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus</b>
		Cathode-ray tube monitors :
	8528.42.00	Capable of directly connecting to and designed for use with an automatic data processing machine of heading 84.71
	8528.49.00	Other :
	8528.49.10	Used / reconditioned
	8528.49.90	Other
		Other monitors :
	8528.52.00	Capable of directly connecting to designed for use with an automatic data processing machine of heading 84.71
	8528.59.00	Other :
	8528.59.10	Used / reconditioned
	8528.59.90	Other
		Projectors :
	8528.62.00	Capable of directly connecting to designed for use with an automatic data processing machine of heading 84.71
	8528.69.00	Other
		Reception apparatus for television, whether or not incorporating radio-broadcast receivers or sound or video recording or reproducing apparatus :
	8528.71.00	Not designed to incorporate a video display or screen :
	8528.71.10	Used / reconditioned
	8528.71.20	Other, colour
	8528.71.90	Other
	8528.72.00	Other, colour :
	8528.72.10	Unassembled in completely knocked-down form
	8528.72.20	Used / reconditioned
		Other, with cathode ray tube :



HS Hdg	HS Code	Description
	8528.72.31	Having a screen of less than 14 inches
	8528.72.32	Having a screen of 14 inches and not exceeding 15 inches
	8528.72.33	Having a screen of exceeding 15 inches and not exceeding 21 inches
	8528.72.34	Having a screen of exceeding 21 inches and not exceeding 25 inches
	8528.72.35	Having a screen of exceeding 25 inches and not exceeding 29 inches
	8528.72.36	Having a screen of exceeding 29 inches and not exceeding 34 inches
	8528.72.39	Other
		Other, with LCD :
	8528.72.41	Having a screen of not exceeding 32 inches
	8528.72.49	Other
		Other :
	8528.72.91	Having a screen of not exceeding 32 inches
	8528.72.99	Other
	8528.73.00	Other, monochrome :
	8528.73.10	Used / reconditioned and completely knocked-down with or without cathode ray tube
	8528.73.20	Other, completely knocked-down with or without cathode ray tube
	8528.73.30	Other, used / reconditioned
	8528.73.90	Other
<b>84.50</b>		<b>Household or laundry-type washing machines, including machines which both wash and dry(+)</b>
		Machines, each of a dry linen capacity not exceeding 10 kg :
	8450.11.00	Fully-automatic machines :
	8450.11.10	Unassembled in completely knocked-down form
	8450.11.20	Used / reconditioned
		Other, top loading :
	8450.11.31	Of a dry linen capacity less than 4 kg
	8450.11.32	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 4 kg and not exceeding 5.5 kg
	8450.11.33	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 5.5 kg and not exceeding 7.5 kg
	8450.11.34	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 7.5 kg and not exceeding 9.5 kg
	8450.11.39	Other
		Other, front loading :
	8450.11.41	Of a dry linen capacity less than 4 kg
	8450.11.42	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 4 kg and not exceeding 5.5 kg
	8450.11.43	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 5.5 kg and not exceeding 7.5 kg
	8450.11.44	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 7.5 kg and not exceeding 9.5 kg
	8450.11.49	Other
	8450.12.00	Other machines, with built-in centrifugal drier :
	8450.12.10	Unassembled in completely knocked-down form
	8450.12.20	Used / reconditioned
		Other :
	8450.12.31	Of a dry linen capacity less than 4 kg
	8450.12.32	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 4 kg and not exceeding 5.5 kg
	8450.12.33	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 5.5 kg and not exceeding 7.5 kg
	8450.12.34	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 7.5 kg and not exceeding 9.5 kg
	8450.12.39	Other

HS Hdg	HS Code	Description
	8450.19.00	Other :
	8450.19.10	Unassembled in completely knocked-down form
	8450.19.20	Used / reconditioned
		Other :
	8450.19.31	Of a dry linen capacity less than 4 kg
	8450.19.32	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 4 kg and not exceeding 5.5 kg
	8450.19.33	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 5.5 kg and not exceeding 7.5 kg
	8450.19.34	Of a dry linen capacity exceeding 7.5 kg and not exceeding 9.5 kg
	8450.19.39	Other
	8450.20.00	Machines, each of a dry linen capacity exceeding 10 kg
	8450.90.00	Parts