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## ARRANGEMENT OF SECTIONS.

- 1. Interpretation (Amendment of Section 1).
- 2. Exemption from and Reduction of Import Duty (Amendment of Section 9).
- 3. Transitional Provisions.
- 4. Repeal of Section 10.
- 5. Amendment of Schedule 1.

### INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA.

No. 4/ of 2000.

#### AN ACT

#### entitled

## Customs Tariff (Budget Provisions 2001) Act 2000,

Being an Act to amend the Customs Tariff Act 1990,

MADE by the National Parliament to be deemed to have come into operation on 28 November 2000.

- 1. INTERPRETATION (AMENDMENT OF SECTION 1). Section 1 of the Principal Act is amended-
  - (a) by inserting a new definition of "lal" as follows:-
    - "'lal' means litre of contained alcohol and is calculated by multiplying the volume of alcoholic beverage with the percentage of alcohol contained therein;"; and
  - (b) by inserting a new definition of "volume of alcohol" as follows:-
    - "'volume of alcohol' means-
  - (a) the volume of alcohol contained in alcoholic beverages, that would be that volume of alcohol if measured at a temperature of 20 degrees Celsius; and
  - (b) in a calculation made by reference to the specific gravity of alcohol, the specific gravity of alcohol in relation to water, at a temperature of twenty degrees Celsius and in vacuum, is 0.79067.".
- 2. EXEMPTION FROM AND REDUCTION OF IMPORT DUTY (AMENDMENT OF SECTION 9).

Section 9 of the Principal Act is amended -

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- in Subsection (1)(a), by inserting after the words "any goods" the following: "(other than goods imported in relation to a commercial project)"; and
- (b) by adding the following new Subsection:-
  - "(3) For the purposes of Subsection (1)(a), "commercial project" means a project intended to be operated so as to make a profit.".

## 3. TRANSITIONAL PROVISIONS.

The limitation imposed by Section 2 of this Act (Customs Tariff (Budget Provisions 2001) Act 2000) on exemptions from import duty granted under Section 9(1)(a) of the Principal Act does not apply to-

- (a) exemptions granted prior to the coming into operation of this Act in implement of a contractual, international or treaty obligation of the State; or
- (b) exemptions to be granted in implement of a contractual, international or treaty obligation of the State entered into prior to the coming into operation of this Act.
- 4. REPEAL OF SECTION 10.
  Section 10 of the Principal Act is repealed.

### 5. AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE 1.

Schedule 1 of the Principal Act is amended as follows:-

(a) by repealing the tariff rates of import duty shown in the following rates of duty column and replacing them with the tariff rates of import duty shown below:-

Tariff Classification	Description	Tariff Rate			
		From 1 Jul 1999 Until 31 Dec. 2000	From 1 Jan 2001 Until 31 Dec. 2002	From 1 Jan 2003 Until 31 Dec. 2005	On and From 1 Jan. 2006
22.01	Waters, including natural or artificial mineral waters and aerated waters, not containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, nor flavoured; ice and snow; toea per litre	0.50t/lt	0.45t/lt	0.45t/lt	0.40t/lt
2202.10.00 (replaces 2202.90.90)	Waters, including natural or artificial mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter, or flavoured; toea per litre	0.50t/lt	0.45t/li	0.45t/lt	0.40t/lt

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(b). by repealing the tariff rates of import duty shown in the following rates of duty column (old item) and the dates of application for those duties and replacing them with the tariff rates and dates shown below:-

Tariff		Description	New Tariff Rate					
Clas	sification							
Old	New		To	1/6/01	1/12/01	1/6/02	From	
Item	Item		31/5/01	to	to	to	1/12/02	
•				30/11/01	31/5/02	30/11/02		
22.03	22.03	Beer made from malt, including	K70	K70	K60	K60	K55	
;	except	mixed drinks containing beer,	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	
	2203.00.40	except beer concentrates, per litre						
	2203.00.90	of contained volume of alcohol						
	2203.00.40	Beer Concentrates per KG	K6.25	K6.25	K6.25	K6.25	K6.25	
!		-	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	
	2203.00.90	Other	K6.25	K6.25	K6.25	K6.25	K6.25	
			Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	
22.06	22.06	Other fermented beverages (for	K70	K70	K.60	K60	K55	
į	except	example cider, perry, mead),	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	
	2206.10.00	mixtures of fermented beverages						
:		and mixtures of fermented	[ }	ļ				
		beverages and non-alcoholic						
		beverages (except such beverages						
		made from fruit grown in Papua						
: -		New Guinea) per litre of contained						
1		volume of alcohol						
	2206.10.00	Other fermented beverages,	Free	Free	Free	Free	Free	
;		mixtures of fermented beverages					!	
		and non-alcoholic beverages, made						
		from fruit grown in Papua New						
		Guinea				:		
22.08	22.08	Undenatured ethyl alcohol, spirits,	K70	K70	K60	K60	K55	
	except	liqueurs, per litre of contained	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	Per lal	
	2208.90.10	volume of alcohol, (except						
		concentrates used for manufacture)						
24.02	24.02	Cigarettes of tobacco or tobacco	K90	K90	K80	K80	K65	
	except	substitutes, per thousand eigarettes	Per 1000	Per 1000	Per 1000	Per 1000	Per 1000	
	2402.10.00						·	
	2402.10.00	Cigars, cheroots and cigarillos	K60	K60	K50	K50	K45	
		containing tobacco, per kilogram	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	
24.03	24.03	Other manufactured tobacco,	K60	K60	K50	K50	K45	
	except	(except used for the production of	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	Per Kg	
	2403.10.20	cigarettes) per kilogram						

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I hereby certify that the above is a fair print of the Customs Tariff (Budget Provisions 2001) Act 2000 which has been made by the National Parliament.

Acting Clerk of the National Parliament.

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I hereby certify that the *Customs Tariff (Budget Provisions 2001) Act* 2000 was made by the National Parliament on 7 December 2000.

Acting Speaker of the National Parliament.

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