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## PART IV (A) — PROVINCIAL COUNCILS

### Provincial Council Notifications

#### NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCIAL COUNCIL

Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province

#### ORDER UNDER SECTION 01

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 01 of the Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute, No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province, I, Berty Premalal Dissanayake, Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order, Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism, Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment, Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and Lands of the North Central Provincial Council, do, by this Order, appoint that the Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute, No. 03 of 2003 shall come into operation on 01.01.2005.

BERTY PREMALAR DISSANAYAKE,  
Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order,  
Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism,  
Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional  
Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment,  
Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and  
Lands of the North Central Provincial Council.

Anuradhapura,  
01st December, 2004.

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#### NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCIAL COUNCIL

Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province

#### ORDER UNDER SECTION 06(1)

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 06 (1) of the Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province, I, Berty Premalal Dissanayake, Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order,

Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism, Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment, Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and Lands of the North Central Provincial Council, do, by this order, prescribed that with effect from 01.01.2005 a “ Betting Tax ” at the rate of 5% (Five per centum) shall be paid on every bet placed or accepted on cash or credit in any place or premises in the North Central Province on any horse race conducted within or outside the North Central Province.

BERTY PREMALAR DISSANAYAKE,  
Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order,  
Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism,  
Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional  
Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment,  
Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and  
Lands of the North Central Provincial Council.

Anuradhapura,  
01st December, 2004.

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#### **NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCIAL COUNCIL**

##### **Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province**

##### **ORDER UNDER SECTION 10 (1)**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 10 (1) of the Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province, I, Bertie Premalal Dissanayake, Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order, Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism, Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment, Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and Lands of the North Central Provincial Council, do, by this order, prescribed that with effect from 01.01.2005 a “ Drugs and Chemicals Tax ” shall be paid by every person who carries on a business of drugs and chemicals in the North Central Province at a rate equal to 50% (Fifty per centum) of the annual value of the premises where such business is carried on.

BERTY PREMALAR DISSANAYAKE,  
Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order,  
Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism,  
Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional  
Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment,  
Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and  
Lands of the North Central Provincial Council.

Anuradhapura,  
01st December, 2004.

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**NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCIAL COUNCIL**

**Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province**

**ORDER UNDER SECTION 11 (1)**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 11 (1) of the Finance (Supplementary Provisions) Statute No. 03 of 2003 of the North Central Province, I, Berty Premalal Dissanayake, Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order, Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism, Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment, Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and Lands of the North Central Provincial Council, do, by this order, prescribe that with effect from 01.01.2005 a “ Mineral Tax ” at the rate of 0.5% (decimal Five per centum) shall be paid by every person who has been granted the right to mine, prospect for process, collect or remove any materials from a land situated within the North Central Province under the authority of a licence or permit issued under the Mines and Minerals Act, on the gross turnover thereof.

BERTY PREMALAR DISSANAYAKE,  
Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order,  
Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism,  
Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional  
Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment,  
Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and  
Lands of the North Central Provincial Council.

Anuradhapura,  
01st December, 2004.

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**PROVINCIAL COUNCIL — NORTH CENTRAL PROVINCE**

**Finance Statute No. 13 of 1990**

**ORDER UNDER SECTION 7 (1)**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me under Section 7 (1) of the Finance Statute No. 13 of 1990 of the North Central Province Provincial Council, I, Berty Premalal Dissanayake, Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and Order, Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism, Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment, Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and Lands of the North Central Province Provincial Council, do, by this order, fix the following rates of Turnover Tax which shall come into effect from the mid-night of 31st December 2004 / 01st January, 2005 :

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| (a) In respect of the turnover of the business of selling Gold, Pearls, Gems, Precious or semi-precious stones and Precious Metals                          | 05 per centum |
| (b) In respect of the turnover of the business of selling Jewellery and Costume Jewellery   | 05 per centum |
| (c) In respect of the turnover of the business of selling Timber, whether sawn or in the form of logs, Bamboos and Coconut timber                           | 05 per centum |
| (d) In respect of the turnover of the business of selling Furniture (including cabinets, safes and office furniture) made out of wood, metal or fibre-glass | 05 per centum |

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| (e) | In respect of the turnover of the business of selling Arrack (including processed arrack and blends of arrack) Beer, Wine, Toddy and other varieties of imported or locally manufactured liquor  | 05 per centum |
| (f) | In respect of the turnover of the business of selling Cigarettes purchased from the manufacturer of such Cigarettes or from the importer of such Cigarettes  | 05 per centum |
| (g) | In respect of the turnover of the business of selling the under-mentioned imported articles and commodities—<br><br>Ceramics, Ceramic Tiles, Bathroom and Toilet Fittings, Glass and Glassware   | 05 per centum |
| (h) | In respect of the turnover of the business of selling the under-mentioned imported articles and commodities—<br><br>Cameras, Mobile phones, Gymnastic equipment, Refrigerators (including Deep freezers, Bottle Coolers, Water Coolers, Ice Cream Makers and other refrigerating articles), Air-conditioners, Washing Machines, Radio sets, Sound Recorders and Reproducers, Television sets, Television Image and Sound Recorders and Reproducers, and other electrical machinery and equipment and accessories and parts of such articles  | 05 per centum |
| (i) | In respect of the turnover of the business of selling mechanically propelled vehicles whether registered at the Department of Motor Traffic or not including tractors or trailers which are intended or adapted for use on roads (other than mopeds, invalid carriages, motor tricycles which are constructed wholly or mainly for the carriage of persons, buses having a seating capacity of over twenty-six and motor hearses) motor cycles and mechanically operated vehicles, whether fitted with wheels or not, and machinery intended for use on land in connection with agricultural or constructional purposes such as levelling, dredging, earth-moving, forestry or any similar operation | 05 per centum |
| (j) | In respect of the turnover of the business of buying and selling any article or commodity other than any business referred to under items (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h) and (i) above   | 01 per centum |

02. The orders made under this Section and published in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 643/4 of 01.01.1991 and in the *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 758/3 of 15.03.1993 of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka and amendments thereto shall cease to apply, upon the coming into effect of this order, in respect of any turnover arising after the mid-night of 31st December, 2004 / 01st January, 2005.

BERTY PREMALAL DISSANAYAKE,  
Chief Minister and Minister of Finance, Planning, Law and  
Order, Local Government, Education and Transport, Tourism,  
Infrastructure, Provincial Council Affairs, Divisional  
Administration, Economic Promotion, Environment,  
Information, Energy, Cultural Affairs, Food and Lands of the  
North Central Province, Provincial Council.

Office of the Chief Minister,  
North Central Province, Provincial Council,  
Anuradhapura,  
01st December, 2004.

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