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## PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### Government Notifications

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#### FOREST CONSERVATION ORDINANCE

(Chapter 451)

REGULATIONS made by the Minister of Environment under sub-section (1) of Section 24 of the Forest Conservation Ordinance (Chapter 451).

ANURA PRIYADARSHANA YAPA,  
Minister of Environment.

Ministry of Environment,  
Battaramulla,  
5th June, 2012.

#### Regulations

1. The Forest Regulations No. 1 of 2008, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1548/ 29 dated May 9, 2008 are hereby amended as follows :-

(a) by the repeal of regulation 3 thereof and the substitution therefor of the following regulation :-

"3. (1) The transportations of all species of timber specified in Column III of the Second Schedule or any item made out of such species of timber within the Divisional Secretary's Divisions specified in Column II of that Schedule and located within the Administrative Districts referred in Column I of the said Second Schedule, shall be exempted from the requirement of obtaining permits.

(2) The transportation of sawn timber specified in Column III of the Third Schedule and any item made out of such species of timber within the Municipal Council and Urban Council limits specified in Column II of that Schedule and located within the Administrative Districts referred to in Column I of the Third Schedule, shall be exempted from the requirement of obtaining permits."

(b) by the repeal of the Second Schedule thereof and the substitution therefor of the following Schedules :-

N.B.—Gazette Extraordinary series No. 1761/1 ends with 1761/22.

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**"Second Schedule**

<i>No.</i>	<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
1.	All Administrative Districts	Within all Divisional Secretary's Division	Sawn timber and timber items of Ginisapu
2.	Colombo Administrative District	within all Divisional Secretary's Divisions except Hanwella and Padukka Divisional Secretary's Divisions	Sawn timber and timber items, wooden finished furniture, round poles and fire wood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamandar, Nadun woods and Sandal wood
3.	Colombo Administrative District	Within Hanwella and Padukka Divisional Secretary's Divisions	Finished furniture of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Woods and Sandalwood
4.	All Administrative Districts except Colombo District	Within all Divisional Secretary's Divisions	Finished furniture of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Sandalwood, Stain Wood and Nadun Wood.

**Third Schedule**

<i>No.</i>	<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
1.	All Administrative Districts	Within all Municipal Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles Wooden finished furniture firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood and Sandal wood.
2.	Colombo District	Within Seethawakapura Urban Council Limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood and Sandal wood.
3.	Gampaha District	Within Wattala - Mabola, Katunayake - Seeduwa, Ja-ela, Minuwangoda and Peliyagoda Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood

**Third Schedule (Contd.)**

<i>No.</i>	<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
4.	Kalutara District	Within Panadura, Beruwala and Kalutara Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
5.	Kandy District	Within Wattagama and Kadugannawa Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
6.	Galle District	Within Ambalangoda and Hikkaduwa Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
7.	Matara District	Within Weligama Urban Council limits	Sawn timber and timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
8.	Hambantota District	Within Tangalle Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
9.	Jaffna District	Within Point Pedro, Welwetithure and Chawakachcheri Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
10.	Mannar District	Within Mannar Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood

**Third Schedule (Contd.)**

<i>No.</i>	<i>Column I</i>	<i>Column II</i>	<i>Column III</i>
11.	Ampara District	Within Ampara Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
12.	Batticaloa District	Within Kattankudi Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
13.	Tricomalee District	Within Kinya Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
14.	Kurunegala District	Within Kuliyaipitiya Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
15.	Puttlam District	Within Puttlam and Chilaw Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
16.	Rathnapura District	Within Embilipitiya Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood
17.	Kegalle District	Within Kegalle Urban Council limits	Sawn timber, timber items round poles and firewood of all the other species of timber except Ebony, Calamander, Nadun Wood, Sandal wood and Satin Wood.

2. The Second Schedule and the Third Schedule shall come into force on 25.06.2012.