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## PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

### Government Notifications

#### EXCISE ORDINANCE

##### Excise Notification No. 874

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), as amended from time to time, I, Sarath Amunugama, Minister of Finance and Planning, do by this Order direct that, with effect from 19 November, 2004.

- (1) There shall be levied on liquor (other than toddy or any liquor made from any cereal) containing more than 4 per cent by volume, of alcohol manufactured by processes other than distillation from natural products of the Palm tree or any other plant, manufactured in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees two hundred (Rs. 200) on every proof litre, provided that such duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of the aforesaid liquor which is exported out of the Island ; and
- (2) The Excise Notification No. 869 published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1341/28 of 20.05.2004 is hereby rescinded.

DR. SARATH AMUNUGAMA,  
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,  
Colombo 01,  
18th November, 2004.

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#### EXCISE ORDINANCE

##### Excise Notification No. 875

##### Duty on Molasses, Palmyrah, Coconut and Process Arrack

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), as amended from time to time, I, Sarath Amunugama, Minister of Finance and Planning, do by this Order direct that, with effect from 19 November, 2004.

- (1) There shall be levied on Molasses, Palmyrah, Coconut and Process Arrack manufactured in and issued from any licensed manufactory established in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees three hundred and sixty six

(Rs. 366) per proof litre on Molasses, Palmyrah, Coconut and process Arrack provided that such duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of the aforesaid Arrack which is exported out of the Island ; and

- (2) The Excise Notification No. 870 published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1341/28 of 20.05.2004 is hereby rescinded.

DR. SARATH AMUNUGAMA,  
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,  
Colombo 01,  
18th November, 2004.

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### EXCISE ORDINANCE

#### Excise Notification No. 876

#### Duty on Country made Foreign spirits manufactured in Sri Lanka

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), as amended from time to time, I, Sarath Amunugama, Minister of Finance and Planning, do by this Order direct that, with effect from 19 November, 2004.

- (1) There shall be levied on Country made Foreign spirits manufactured in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees Four hundred and ninety (Rs. 490) on every proof litre provided that such duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of the aforesaid Foreign spirits which is exported out of the Island ; and
- (2) The Excise Notification No. 871 published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1341/28 of 20.05.2004 is hereby rescinded.

DR. SARATH AMUNUGAMA,  
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,  
Colombo 01,  
18th November, 2004.

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### EXCISE ORDINANCE

#### Excise Notification No. 877

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Sub-section (1) of Section 22 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52), I, Sarath Amunugama, Minister of Finance and Planning, do by this Order direct that, with effect from 19 November, 2004.

- (1) There shall be imposed on Malt liquor of less than five per centum (5%) of absolute strength as indicated in the label, manufactured in and issued from any licensed brewery established in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees twenty seven and fifty cents (Rs. 27.50) only on every liter so issued ;

- (2) There shall be imposed on Malt liquor of five per centum (5%) and above of absolute strength as indicated in the label, manufactured in and issued from any licensed brewery established in Sri Lanka, a duty at the rate of Rupees fourty three and fifty cents (Rs. 43.50) only on every liter so issued ;
- (3) The aforesaid duty shall not be levied or recovered on any quantity of such liquor which is issued from such brewery for the use of any Diplomatic Mission in Sri Lanka or any foreign country, if payment for such quantity of liquor is made from the foreign account of such Diplomatic Mission ; and
- (4) The Excise Notification No. 872 published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1341/28 of 20.05.2004 is hereby rescinded.

DR. SARATH AMUNUGAMA,  
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,  
Colombo 01,  
18th November, 2004.

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