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**SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTION LEVY
(AMENDMENT)**

A

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to amend the Social Security Contribution Levy Act, No. 25 of 2022

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STATEMENT OF LEGAL EFFECT

Clause 2: This clause amends the First Schedule to the Social Security Contribution Levy Act, No. 25 of 2022 in order to add items 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29 as exempted articles under PART IA, and to reword item 1 under PART II for the avoidance of doubt and the avoidance of electricity price variations due to the Social Security Contribution Levy and to add item 24 as an exempted service under PART II.

*Social Security Contribution Levy
(Amendment)*

L.D.- O. 54/2022

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SOCIAL SECURITY CONTRIBUTION LEVY
ACT, No 25 OF 2023

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist
Republic of Sri Lanka as follows: -

1. This Act may be cited as the Social Security Contribution Levy (Amendment) Act, No. of 2023. Short title

5 **2.** The First Schedule to the Social Security Contribution Levy Act, No. 25 of 2022 is hereby amended as follows:- Amendment
of the First
Schedule to
the Act,

(1) in PART IA thereof- No. 25 of
2022

10 (a) by the substitution for the words “project implementation period; and” in item 23, of the words “project implementation period;”;

 (b) by the substitution for the words “ the Minister of Finance.” in item 24, of the words “ the Minister of Finance;”;

15 (c) by the addition immediately after item 24, of the following new items :-

20 “25. Any motor vehicle identified under Harmonized Commodity Description and Coding Numbers for Custom purpose and liable to the excise duty under the Excise (Special Provisions) Act, No. 13 of 1989 on the importation;

 26. Equipment used by differently abled persons;

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5 “24. Services provided by any General Sales Agent who holds an Air Transport Service Licence issued under section 97 of the Civil Aviation Act, No. 14 of 2010.”.

3. In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail. Sinhala text to prevail in case of inconsistency

