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Director General
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Dear Sir,

Customs Duty Waiver on Importation of Motor Vehicles.

Please be kindly informed that the Hon. Minister of Finance, Planning and Economic Development has granted approval to provide the General Duty Waiver of Customs Import Duty in terms of Section 19(A) of the Customs Ordinance. This waiver applies to importation of motor vehicles for which Customs Import Duty was not applicable prior to 01st February 2025, and for which Letters of Credit (LC) were opened on or before 31st January 2025.

Accordingly, you are kindly informed that the motor vehicles imported under the applicable HS Code where Customs Import Duty was not applicable prior to 1st February 2025 and Letters of Credit (LC) were opened on or before 31st January 2025 should be exempted from the Customs Import Duty (CID).

Please note that for the administrative purpose, validity of this letter shall expire on 31st August 2025.

Yours faithfully

M.K.P.Kumara
Director General

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