Legal Notice No. 217

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

CUSTOMS ACT, CHAP. 78:01

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS section 56(1)(a) of the Customs Act, Chap. 78:01 that the House of Representatives may, from time to time, by Resolution, provide that any class of goods specified in the Resolution shall be exempt from import duties of Customs if the goods are imported or entered for use by any person for any purpose specified in the Resolution during any period to be fixed by the Minister in each particular case, not being a period terminating later than the date prescribed in the Resolution as the last day on which such exemption shall be operative, and subject to such conditions as the Minister may impose:

And whereas by Legal Notice No. 11 of 2011, the last Resolution in respect of the goods identified therein came into effect on 1st January, 2011 and shall expire on 31st December, 2015:

And whereas it is expedient that certain goods continue be exempt from import duties of Customs as of 1st January, 2016:

Be it Resolved:

That the House of Representatives, in accordance with and subject to the provisions of section 56 of the Customs Act, exempt from import duties of Customs the class of goods specified in the First Column of the Schedule, being goods imported or entered for use for the purposes specified in the Third Column, but that this Resolution shall cease to have effect in respect of any class of goods specified in the First Column that is manufactured in Trinidad and Tobago:

SCHEDULE

FIRST COLUMN	SECOND COLUMN	THIRD COLUMN
Class of Goods	Purposes for which goods are to be used	Period of Exemption
Equipment, material and supplies	Imported for use in off-shore Petroleum, exploration and Petroleum operations	From 1st January, 2016 to 31st December, 2017

This Resolution shall come into effect on 1st January, 2016.

Passed in the House of Representatives this 11th day of December, 2015.

J. SAMPSON-MIGUEL

Clerk of the House

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