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Ministry of Industry and Commerce

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Notification

on goods subject to automatic and non-automatic import or export licensing

- Pursuant to the Prime Minister's Decree on the Organization and Activities of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce No. 522/PM, dated 23 December 2011;
- Pursuant to Government's Decree on the Import and Export of Goods No. 114/GoL, dated 6 April 2011;
- Pursuant to Prime Minister's Decree on the Goods Import Licensing Procedures No. 180/PM, dated 07 July 2009; and
- Refer to the collaboration with relevant Ministries; and
- In order to provide trade information to facilitate importer and exporter.

The Minister of Industry and Commerce hereby issues the following notification:

1. Goods subject to automatic and non-automatic import or export licensing are as following:
 - Goods subject to automatic import licensing listed in annex A.I;
 - Goods subject to non-automatic import licensing listed in annex A.II;
 - Goods subject to automatic export licensing listed in annex B.I; and
 - Goods subject to non-automatic export licensing listed in annex B.II.
2. For goods excluded in the Annexes of this notification, shall be directly proceed to the customs procedure; except, goods subject to the international agreement that Lao PDR are member, goods subject to the Sanitary and Phyto-sanitary (SPS) and Technical Barrier to Trade (TBT), the procedure of such measures applied before proceed to the customs clearance.
3. This Notification is effective due the date of signature and replaces Notification No. 0826/MoIC.DIMEX, dated 03 May 2011.

Minister
Of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce,

[Signed and sealed]
Dr. Nam Viyaketh

Annex A

Goods subject to Automatic and Non-automatic Import Licensing

I. Goods subject to automatic import licensing

No	HS Code	Products	Reasons	Responsible Agencies
1.	8701.20 8701.30.20 8701.90 87.02-87.05 87.11	Road vehicles, except road vehicles with three wheels (87.04.31)	For statistical purpose	Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export)
2.	27.10 27.11	Petroleum and Gas	For statistical purpose	Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export)
3.	44.03 4407.10-4407.28 0601	Logs, trunks, barks and rough-processed timber	For statistical purpose	Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export)
4.	10.06	Unmilled Rice, low standard rice, premium rice, semi-milled or fully milled, whether filtering or not	For statistical purpose	Provincial, Vientiane Capital Department of Industry and Commerce
5.	72.13-72.16	Steel bars and transformed steel	For statistical purpose	Provincial, Vientiane Capital Department of Industry and Commerce
6.	25.23 38.16	Cement, mortar, concrete	For statistical purpose	Provincial, Vientiane Capital Department of Industry and Commerce
7.	4901 4903 4905.91.00 4905.99.00	Printing products	For statistical purpose	Ministry of Information, Culture and Tourism (Department of Publication)

8.	26.01-26.17	Minerals and mineral products	For statistical purpose	Ministry of Energy and Mines (Mining Department)
9.	84.67.81.00 84.67.89.00 84.67.91.10	Timber exploitation machines, logging machines, chain saws including parts and equipment thereof	For statistical purpose	Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry (Forestry Department)

II. Goods subject to non-automatic import licensing

No	HS Code	Product	Reason	Responsible Agencies
1.	93.03.20 93.03.30	Guns and bullets for sportive purposes	For safety of public and national security	Ministry of National Defense (National Defense Department)
2.	36.02 36.03	Explosives used in industries: - explosives - explosive equipment - explosive objects - fireworks	For safety of public and national security	Ministry of National Defense (National Defense Industry Department)
3.	7108.12.10	Gold bars (only for gold bars as internationally recognized as medium of payment)	For exchange stability	Bank of Lao PDR (Monetary Policy Department)

Annex B

Goods subject to Automatic and Non-automatic Export Licensing

I. Goods subject to automatic export licensing

No	HS Code	Products	Reasons	Responsible Agencies
1.	4403 4407.10-4407.28 0601	Logs, trunk, bark, rough-processed timber and semi-finished timber from plantations	For monitoring the conformity of the implement the Chain of Custoday System (CoC)	Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export)
2.	1006	Rice, Rice in the husk, husked (brown) rice, semi-milled or wholly milled rice, whether or not polished or glazed	For statistical purpose	Provincial, Vientiane Capital Department of Industry and Commerce
3.	2601-2617	Minerals and mineral products	For Protection of natural resource	Ministry of Energy and Mines (Mining Department)

II. Goods subject to non-automatic export licensing

No	HS Code	Product	Reason	Responsible Agencies
1.	4403 4407.10-4407.28 0601	Logs, trunk, bark, rough-processed timber and semi-finished timber from natural forest	For monitoring the conformity of the implement the Chain of Custoday System (CoC)	Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export)
2.	7108.12.10	Gold bars (only for gold bars as internationally recognized as medium of payment)	For exchange stability	Bank of Lao PDR (Monetary Policy Department)