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**CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT  
(CAP. 121)****CUSTOMS AND EXCISE (EXPORT DUTY RATES FOR  
ROUND LOGS) (FOURTH QUARTER) (AMENDMENT)  
ORDER 2018**

I, Hon. **Manasseh Damukana Sogavare**, Minister for Finance and Treasury, under section 7 of the *Customs and Excise Act* (Cap. 121), make the following Order:

**1 Citation**

This Order may be cited as the Customs and Excise (Export Duty Rates for Round Logs) (Fourth Quarter) (Amendment) Order 2018.

**2 Commencement**

This Order commences on the date this instrument is published in the *Gazette*.

**3 Prohibited species**

This Order does not have the effect of allowing the export of species which are prohibited for export as round logs under the *Forest Resources and Timber Utilization Act* (Cap.40) or any other Act.

**4 Export duty listed in Schedule**

The export duty payable on the export of round logs shall be calculated and determined according to the Schedule to this Order.

**5 Amendment of First Schedule**

The First Schedule to the *Customs and Excise Act* (Cap.121), as replaced by Legal Notice No. 66 of 2018, is amended in tariff item number **44.03** by replacing the rates of the previous Order with the rates in the Schedule to the Order.

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SCHEDULE  
Rates payable in US\$ per m<sup>3</sup>

| No. | Species                        | Rates Payable In US\$/M <sup>3</sup> |                         |
|-----|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
|     |                                | Regular & Small Grade                | Super Small & Low Grade |
| 1   | Palaquim (Pencil Cedar)        | 42                                   | 37                      |
| 2   | Calophyllum                    | 43                                   | 38                      |
| 3   | Pometia (Tuan Akwa)            | 43                                   | 38                      |
| 4   | Planchonella                   | 42                                   | 37                      |
| 5   | Schizomeria (Beabea)           | 38                                   | 34                      |
| 6   | Dillenia                       | 34                                   | 31                      |
| 7   | Gonostylus (Ramin)             | 37                                   | 32                      |
| 8   | Terminalia brassii             | 36                                   | 31                      |
| 9   | Terminalia (Except T. brassii) | 32                                   | 28                      |
| 10  | Terminalia Calamansanai        | 32                                   | 28                      |
| 11  | Canarium (Gnali)               | 33                                   | 29                      |
| 12  | Burkella                       | 33                                   | 28                      |
| 13  | Celtis                         | 32                                   | 28                      |
| 14  | Alstonia (Milky pine)          | 32                                   | 28                      |
| 15  | Dysoxylum                      | 32                                   | 29                      |
| 16  | Eugenia (Water gum)            | 33                                   | 28                      |
| 17  | Endosepermum                   | 32                                   | 28                      |
| 18  | Mixed species                  | 32                                   | 28                      |
| 19  | Amoora                         | 32                                   | 28                      |
| 20  | Camptosperma                   | 33                                   | 29                      |
| 21  | Maranthes                      | 30                                   | 26                      |
| 22  | Parinari                       | 30                                   | 26                      |
| 23  | Other*                         | 43                                   | 38                      |

\*The rates for these species are as stated under item 23 of the above table or 25% of the FOB value (whichever is higher).

DATED AT HONIARA this eighth day of October, 2018.

HON. MANASSEH SOGAVARE

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