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**CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT
(Cap. 121)****CUSTOMS AND EXCISE (EXPORT DUTY RATES FOR ROUND
LOGS) (AMENDMENT) (No. 3) ORDER 2015**

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 7 of the Customs and Excise Act, I hereby make the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Customs and Excise (Export Duty Rates for Round Logs) (Amendment) Order 2015 and commences on the 1st day of April 2015 and expires on the 30th day of June 2015.
2. 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.
3. The export duty payable on the export of round logs shall be calculated and determined according to the Schedule to this Order.
4. The First Schedule to the Customs and Excise Act (Cap.121), under the Schedule entitled "**EXPORT CLASSIFICATION AND TARIFF**" with 44.03 as the item number of commodity, is amended by replacing the rates of Legal Notice No.20 of 2015 with the rates in the Schedule to this Order.

SCHEDULE

Rates payable in US\$ per m³

No.	Species	Regular Grade (USD/M ³)	Small Grade (USD/M ³)	Super Small Grade (USD/M ³)	Low Grade (USD/M ³)
1	Palaquim (Pencil Cedar)	38	34	33	27
2	Calophyllum	39	35	34	27
3	Pometia (Tuan Akwa)	39	35	34	27
4	Planchonella	38	34	33	27
5	Schizomeria (Beabea)	34	31	30	26
6	Dillenia	31	28	27	25
7	Gonostylus (Ramin)	33	31	28	25
8	Terminalia brassii	32	30	27	24
9	Terminalia (Except T. brassii)	28	26	25	23
10	Terminalia Calamansanai	28	26	25	23
11	Canarium (Gnali)	30	27	26	25
12	Burkella	30	27	25	25
13	Celtis	28	26	25	23
14	Alstonia (Milky pine)	28	26	25	23
15	Dysoxylum	28	26	26	23
16	Eugenia (Water gum)	30	27	25	25
17	Endosepermum	28	26	25	23
18	Mixed Red	28	26	25	23
19	Amoora	28	26	25	23
20	Camptosperma	30	27	26	25
21	Maranthes	26	25	23	20
22	Mixed White	26	25	23	20
23	Parinari	26	25	23	20
24	Other*	39	35	34	27

*The rates for these species are as stated under item 24 of the above table or 25% of the FOB value (whichever is higher).

DATED AT HONIARA this first day of April, 2015.

HON. SNYDER RINI, MP
Minister for Finance and Treasury

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