

NOTICE TO OUR VALUED CLIENTS:

The Zimbabwe Revenue Authority (ZIMRA) wishes to advise its valued clients that with effect from 1 September 2015, the following goods have been excluded from the Traveller's Rebate and will require payment of duty on importation:

- Beds
- Mattresses,
- Flour,
- Maize meal,
- Sugar,
- Meat,
- Fish,
- Powdered milk,
- Yoghurt,
- Cheese,
- Eggs,
- Corn puffs,
- Jam, and
- Honey.

The suspension of duty on the following goods was lifted and duty is now payable as prescribed in the Customs Tariff:

- Cooking oil and margarine;
- Other beauty and make-up preparations;
- Other preparations for oral or dental hygiene;
- Soap for toilet use;
- Soap in other forms, and
- Other tubes and pipes of copper alloys.

Please also note that Surtax was introduced at 25% on various goods such as:

- Cooking oil;
- Furniture for use in the home and offices;
- Parts of furniture;
- Other articles of bedding and similar furnishings fitted with springs or stuffed.

Surtax has been increased from 25% to 35% on second-hand light passenger motor- vehicles of tariff heading 87.03 which are more than five years old from the date of manufacture at the time of importation.

For more detailed information, please refer to Statutory Instruments 88, 89, 90, 91, 92 and 93 of 2015 which can be downloaded from the ZIMRA website (www.zimra.co.zw). The statutory instruments can also be obtained from Printflow at the ground floor of Cecil House, Jason Moyo Avenue, Harare.

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