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## **CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ORDINANCE, 1999**

# CUSTOMS AND EXCISE (APPROVED INVESTMENT) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2021

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 5 and 41 of the Customs and Excise Ordinance, 1999, the Governor in Council makes the following Regulations:

## Citation and commencement

**1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Customs and Excise (Approved Investment) (Amendment) Regulations, 2021, and come into force on 1 April 2021.

### **Customs tariffs**

**2.** Regulation 7 of the Customs (Approved Investment) Regulations, 2011, is amended by revoking the table in sub-regulation (2) and substituting the following:

"Approved Investor A	Exempt from duty	
Approved Investor B	In the case of vehicles charged a fixed rate of duty under the Customs (Tariffs and Exemptions) Regulations, 2011	25% of that fixed rate of duty
	In the case of all other goods and vehicles	5% of Value
Approved Investor C	Rates of duty as prescribed under the Customs (Tariffs and Exemptions) Regulations, 2011".	

Made by the Governor in Council this day of 2021.

Connie Johnson Clerk of Councils

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

#### (This note is not part of the Regulations)

The customs tariffs on motor vehicles were amended in 2019 to move from a value-based calculation to a fixed rate of duty based on CO2 emissions. The current concessions for approved investments are based on duty charged as a percentage of value. These regulations amend the concessions for approved investments to reflect payment of a percentage of the regularly charged fixed rate of duty on any vehicle imported.