

## Translation

TIP/SS/01/03

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### **Trade and Investment Policy Circular No. 01/2018 (3)**

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#### **Scheme for Issuance of Motor Vehicle Permits on Concessionary Terms**

Section No. 2.6, 8.2, and 8.2 ii of the Trade and Investment Policy (TIP) Circular No. 01/2018 as amended by the Circular No. 01/2018 (1) and 01/2018 (2) pertaining to the Scheme for Issuance of Motor Vehicle Permits on Concessionary Terms, are further amended as mentioned below.

**01. The following section will be inserted immediately after the Section No. 2.6. as the Section No. 2.6.1.**

**"2.6.1** Officers who have not exceeded five (5) years active service period from the date of approval granted for the application of the permit issued under any scheme for issuance of motor vehicle permit on concessionary terms by the authorized officer of the institutions sanctioned to issue such permit, provided the relevant officer has obtained a motor vehicle through the said permit issued under the permit scheme on concessionary terms in force on or after 21.11.2015".

**02. Section 08.02.ii is hereby repealed by the insertion of the following Section.**

**"8.2.ii** When applying for the permit other than for the first time.

**(a.)** In case of the permits issued on or before 20.11.2015, a photocopy of the Letter of Credit opened to obtain a motor vehicle / a photocopy of the receipt of the first payment made to obtain a locally assembled motor vehicle.

**(b.)** In case of the permits issued on or after 21.11.2015, a certification made by the Head of Institution on the date of approval granted for the relevant application by the "authorized officer" mentioned in the Section No. "2.6.1" or a photocopy of the relevant part of the application certified by the Head of Institution.

**03. The following Section is inserted as "8.2.vi."**

**"8.2.vi.** Once the application submitted as aforesaid is approved by the authorized person of the institution sectioned to issue the permit, a photocopy of the application should be filed in the personal file of the relevant officer".

04. All the other provisions of the Trade and Investment Policy Circular No. 01/2018 of 15.02.2018 and the amendments shall remain unchanged.

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| 02. Governor, Central Bank of Sri Lanka                    | - f.n.a.                      |
| 03. Director General, Dept. of Trade and Investment Policy | - To take actions accordingly |
| 04. Director General, Dept. of Fiscal Policy               | - f.n.a.                      |
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