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**PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL**

**Government Notifications**

**EXCISE (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) ACT, No. 13 OF 1989**

**Order under Section 3**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 3 of the Excise (Special Provisions) Act, No. 13 of 1989, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning, do hereby vary the Order made under Section 3 and published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1574/8 of 06.11.2008, by the deletion, from the Schedules to those Order of the following articles.

MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,  
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,  
Colombo 01,  
31st December, 2008.

**SCHEDULE**

<i>I</i> H.S. Heading	<i>II</i> H.S. Code	<i>III</i> Description	<i>IV</i> Rate of Excise Duty
24.02	2402.20.20	Cigarettes each not exceeding 60 mm in length	Rs. 2,215/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.30	Cigarettes each exceeding 60 mm but not exceeding 67 mm in length	Rs. 5,048/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.40	Cigarettes each exceeding 67 mm but not exceeding 72 mm in length	Rs. 7,745/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.50	Cigarettes each exceeding 72 mm but not exceeding 84 mm in length	Rs. 9,380/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.60	Cigarettes each exceeding 84 mm in length	Rs. 10,870/- per 1,000 Cigarettes

**EXCISE (SPECIAL PROVISIONS) ACT, No. 13 OF 1989**

**Order under Section 3**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 3 of the Excise (Special Provisions) Act, No. 13 of 1989, I, Mahinda Rajapaksa, Minister of Finance and Planning, do by this Order declare that with effect from 01st January, 2009, Excise Duty on every article specified in Column III of the Schedule hereto shall be payable at the rate specified in the corresponding entry in Column IV of that Schedule.

MAHINDA RAJAPAKSA,  
Minister of Finance and Planning.

Ministry of Finance and Planning,  
Colombo 01,  
31st December, 2008.

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24.02	2402.20.20	Cigarettes each not exceeding 60 mm in length	Rs. 2,289/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.30	Cigarettes each exceeding 60 mm but not exceeding 67 mm in length	Rs. 5,215/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.40	Cigarettes each exceeding 67 mm but not exceeding 72 mm in length	Rs. 7,991/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.50	Cigarettes each exceeding 72 mm but not exceeding 84 mm in length	Rs. 9,681/- per 1,000 Cigarettes
	2402.20.60	Cigarettes each exceeding 84 mm in length	Rs. 11,170/- per 1,000 Cigarettes

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