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PART II

Statutory Notifications (S. R. O.)

GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND REVENUE

(Revenue Division)

NOTIFICATION

Islamabad. the 13th December, 2024

S. R. O.2053(I)/2024.— WHEREAS the imports into Pakistan from Azerbaijan are made in conformity with the Pakistan-Azerbaijan Preferential Trade Agreement Rules of Origin, 2024, made in pursuance of the Pakistan-Azerbaijan Preferential Trade Agreement executed between the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and the Republic of Azerbaijan, read with Import Policy Order of the Government of Pakistan.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 18C and 19 of the Customs Act, 1969 (IV of 1969), the Federal Government is pleased to exempt with effect from the 16th day of December, 2024 the import into Pakistan from Azerbaijan of the goods specified in column (3) of the Table below falling under the headings and sub-headings of the First Schedule to the said Act, as specified in column (2) thereof, from so much of the customs duty (CD), additional customs duty (ACD) and regulatory duty (RD), as specified in the

(3521)

Price : Rs. 5.00

[10229(2024)/Ex. Gaz.]

First Schedule to the Customs Act, 1969 (IV of 1969) or as notified by the Federal Board of Revenue (FBR) on the 1st day of July, 2022, as in excess of the rate specified respectively in columns (4), (5), (6), (7) and (8) of the said Table with effect from correspondence date hereof, in accordance with the said agreement:

Provided that where the rates of CD, ACD or RD as has been specified in columns (4), (5), (6), (7) and (8) of the said Table are higher than the rates as specified in the First Schedule to the said Act or notified by the FBR, as the case may be, the lower rate of CD, ACD and RD shall apply, namely: -

Table

S. No	HS 2022	Description	Basic Tariff Rate (%) *			Tariff Reduction Rate from CD	PTA Duty Rate %
	8 digit (PK)		(CD) %	(ACD) %	(RD) %		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1	08022200	Hazelnuts or filberts (Corylus spp.): Shelled	11	2	-	100%	2
2	08091000	Apricots	20	6	-	100%	6
3	13021200	Vegetable saps and extracts: Of liquorice	16	4	-	50%	12
4	24011000	Tobacco, not stemmed /striped	11	2	-	100%	2
5	39011000	Polyethylene having a specific gravity of less than 0.94	3	2	-	100%	2
6	39012000	Polyethylene having a specific gravity of 0.94 or more	3	2	-	100%	2
7	39023000	Propylene copolymers	3	2	-	100%	2
8	73042900	Casing, tubing and drill pipe, of a kind used in drilling for oil or gas: Other	20	6	-	100%	6
9	74081100	Copper wire of refined copper: Of which the maximum cross-sectional dimension exceeds 6 mm	11	2	-	50%	7.5

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Additional Secretary.