## LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPLUBIC PEACE INDEPENDENCE DEMOCRACY UNITY PROSPERITY

## Notification <br> on goods subject to automatic and non-automatic import or export licensing

- Pursuant to the Prime Minister's Decree on the Organization and Activities of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce No. 522/PM, dated 23 December 2011;
- Pursuant to Government's Decree on the Import and Export of Goods No. 114/GoL, dated 6 April 2011;
- Pursuant to Prime Minister’s Decree on the Goods Import Licensing Procedures No. 180/PM, dated 07 July 2009; and
- $\quad$ Refer to the collaboration with relevant Ministries; and
- In order to provide trade information to facilitate importer and exporter.

The Minister of Industry and Commerce hereby issues the following notification:

1. Goods subject to automatic and non-automatic import or export licensing are as following:

- Goods subject to automatic import licensing listed in annex A.I;
- Goods subject to non-automatic import licensing listed in annex A.II;
- Goods subject to automatic export licensing listed in annex B.I; and
- Goods subject to non-automatic export licensing listed in annex B.II.

2. For goods excluded in the Annexes of this notification, shall be directly proceed to the customs procedure; except, goods subject to the international agreement that Lao PDR are member, goods subject to the Sanitary and Phyto-sanitary (SPS) and Technical Barrier to Trade (TBT), the procedure of such measures applied before proceed to the customs clearance.
3. This Notification is effective due the date of signature and replaces Notification No. 0826/MoIC.DIMEX, dated 03 May 2011.

Minister
Of the Ministry of Industry and Commerce,

## Annex A

## Goods subject to Automatic and Non-automatic Import Licensing

I. Goods subject to automatic import licensing

| No | HS Code | Products | Reasons | Responsible Agencies |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 8701.20 \\ & 8701.30 .20 \\ & 8701.90 \\ & 87.02-87.05 \\ & 87.11 \end{aligned}$ | Road vehicles, except road vehicles with three wheels (87.04.31) | For statistical purpose | Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export) |
| 2. | $\begin{aligned} & 27.10 \\ & 27.11 \end{aligned}$ | Petroleum and Gas | For statistical purpose | Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export) |
| 3. | $\begin{aligned} & 44.03 \\ & 4407.10-4407.28 \\ & 0601 \end{aligned}$ | Logs, trunks, barks and roughprocessed timber | For statistical purpose | Ministry of Industry and Commerce (Department of Import and Export) |
| 4. | 10.06 | Unmilled Rice, law standard rice, premium rice, semi-milled or fully milled, whether filtering or not | For statistical purpose | Provincial, Vientiane Capital Department of Industry and Commerce |
| 5. | 72.13-72.16 | Steel bars and transformed steel | For statistical purpose | Provincial, Vientiane Capital Department of Industry and Commerce |
| 6. | $\begin{aligned} & 25.23 \\ & 38.16 \end{aligned}$ | Cement, mortar, concrete | For statistical purpose | Provincial, Vientiane Capital Department of Industry and Commerce |
| 7. | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 4901 \\ & 4903 \\ & 4905.91 .00 \\ & 4905.99 .00 \end{aligned}$ | Printing products | For statistical purpose | Ministry of Information, Culture and Tourism (Department of Publication) |


| 8. | $26.01-26.17$ | Minerals and mineral products | For statistical purpose | Ministry of Energy and Mines <br> (Mining Department) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 9. | 84.67 .81 .00 <br> 84.67 .89 .00 <br> 84.67 .91 .10 | Timber exploitation machines, <br> logging machines, chain saws <br> including parts and equipment <br> thereof | For statistical purpose | Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry <br> (Forestry Department) |

II. Goods subject to non-automatic import licensing

| No | HS Code | Product | Reason | Responsible Agencies |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1. | 93.03 .20 <br> 93.03 .30 | Guns and bullets for sportive <br> purposes | For safety of public and <br> national security | Ministry of National Defense <br> (National Defense Department) |
| 2. | 36.02 <br> 36.03 | Explovies used in industries: <br> - explosives <br> - explosive equipment <br> - explosive objects <br> - fireworks | For safety of public and <br> national security | Ministry of National Defense <br> (National Defense Industry Department |
| 3. | 7108.12 .10 | Gold bars ( only for gold <br> bars as internationally <br> recognized as medium of <br> payment) | For exchange stability | Bank of Lao PDR <br> (Monetary Policy Department) |

## Annex B

## Goods subject to Automatic and Non-automatic Export Licensing

I. Goods subject to automatic export licensing

| No | HS Code | Products | Reasons | Responsible Agencies |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1. | 4403 <br> $4407.10-4407.28$ <br> 0601 | Logs, trunk, bark, rough-processed timber <br> and semi-finished timber from plantations | For monitoring the conformity <br> of the implement the Chain of <br> Custoday System (CoC) | Ministry of Industry and <br> Commerce (Department of <br> Import and Export) |
| 2. | 1006 | Rice, Rice in the husk, husked (brown) <br> rice, semi-milled or wholly milled rice, <br> whether or not polished or glazed | For statistical purpose | Provincial, Vientaine Capital <br> Department of Industry and <br> Commerce |
| 3. | $2601-2617$ | Minerals and mineral products | For Protection of natural <br> resource | Ministry of Energy and Mines <br> (Mining Department) |

II. Goods subject to non-automatic export licensing

| No | HS Code | Product | Reason | Responsible Agencies |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1. | 4403 <br> $4407.10-4407.28$ <br> 0601 | Logs, trunk, bark, rough-processed timber <br> and semi-finished timber from natural <br> forest | For monitoring the conformity <br> of the implement the Chain of <br> Custoday System (CoC) | Ministry of Industry and <br> Commerce (Department of <br> Import and Export) |
| 2. | 7108.12 .10 | Gold bars ( only for gold bars as <br> internationally recognized as medium of <br> payment) | For exchange stability | Bank of Lao PDR <br> (Monetary Policy Department) |

