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**CUSTOMS ACT  
(CHAPTER 70)**

**CUSTOMS (DUTIES)  
(AMENDMENT NO. 2) ORDER 2017**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 10(1) of the Customs Act, the Minister for Finance makes the following Order:

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order is the Customs (Duties) (Amendment No. 2) Order 2017 and comes into operation on 1 October 2017.

**Amendment of paragraph 4**

2. Paragraph 4 of the Customs (Duties) Order (O 4) is amended —

(a) by deleting the full-stop at the end of sub-paragraph (w) of sub-paragraph (1) and substituting a semi-colon, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following sub-paragraph:

“(x) the Republic of Turkey.”;

(b) by inserting, immediately after sub-paragraph (4T), the following sub-paragraph:

“(4U) Goods are deemed to have originated from and be consigned direct from the Republic of Turkey if the goods —

(a) are considered as originating in Turkey according to Section 2 of Protocol 1 of the Turkey-Singapore Free Trade Agreement (called in this sub-paragraph the Protocol); and

(b) satisfy the territorial requirements mentioned in Section 3 of the Protocol.”;

- (c) by deleting the full-stop at the end of sub-paragraph (v) of sub-paragraph (5) and substituting a semi-colon, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following sub-paragraph:

“(w) where the goods are from the Republic of Turkey, an Origin Declaration in the form set out in the Twenty-Second Schedule by the exporter of the goods.”; and

- (d) by inserting, immediately after sub-paragraph (7M), the following sub-paragraph:

“(7N) An Origin Declaration under sub-paragraph (5)(w) is not required for the importation of goods that —

- (a) are sent as a small package from a private person to another private person, or form part of a traveller’s personal luggage;
- (b) satisfy all the following conditions:
  - (i) the importer does not import the goods on a regular basis;
  - (ii) the goods are for the personal use of the recipient of the goods, or a traveller, or the family of the recipient or traveller;
  - (iii) a proper officer of customs is satisfied from the nature and quantity of the goods, that the goods are not intended for a commercial purpose;
- (c) have been declared by the importer to a proper officer of customs as meeting the requirements of Protocol 1 of the Turkey-Singapore Free Trade Agreement, and the proper officer of customs does not doubt the veracity of the declaration; and