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REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA

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EXECUTIVE ORDER N° 40

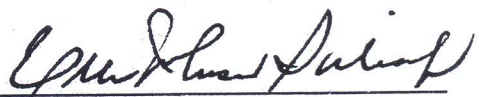
EXTENSION OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 30 SUSPENDING TARIFF ON ROAD CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, FORESTRY EQUIPMENT, AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT, LIVE ANIMALS FOR BREEDING, AND AGRICULTURAL SEEDS

1. WHEREAS, to solidify the gains realized under Executive Order No. 30 and to continue to accelerate the pace of road construction and rehabilitation, as well as the development of the forestry and agricultural sectors in Liberia; the Government of the Republic of Liberia has reviewed the tariffs imposed on essential equipment, agricultural seeds, live animals for breeding, and other goods directly related to forestry and agricultural development;
2. WHEREAS, the Government of Liberia recognizes the increased need to stimulate activities in the above sectors after years of war; and also recognizes the need to provide incentives under the infrastructural and economic revitalization pillars of the Poverty Reduction Strategy by encouraging private sector investment in the procurement of essential road construction equipment, forestry equipment, agricultural equipment, agricultural seeds, other goods directly related to agricultural development and to become self sufficient in food production;
3. WHEREAS, in the exercise of Executive Power vested in the President by the Constitution, the President may issue executive orders in the public interest, either to meet emergencies or to correct particular situations which cannot await the lengthy legislative process to run its course; //



4. NOW THEREFORE, the Government of Liberia hereby extends the moratorium placed under Executive Order No. 30, on import tariffs on the types of road construction equipment, forestry equipment, agricultural equipment, agricultural seeds, live animals for breeding and other goods directly related to agriculture development classified under the Tariff Numbers of the Liberian Revenue Code attached to this Executive Order, with immediate effect. Importers shall pay only the Customs User Fee (CUF) and the ECOWAS Trade Levy (ETL) where applicable. This moratorium shall expire one calendar year after the effective date.
5. This Executive Order shall take immediate effect on the 6th day of April, A.D., 2012

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF
THE REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA THIS ____
DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 2012


Ellen Johnson Sirleaf
PRESIDENT
REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA

REPUBLIC OF LIBERIA
MINISTRY OF FINANCE

SUBJ : PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT
DATE : MARCH __, 2012
RE : EXECUTIVE ORDER #__

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT AND RELATED IMPLEMENTS

NO	TARIFF NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	0102	Live bovine animal for breeding (beef)
2	0103	Live swine for breeding (pigs)
3	0104	Live sheep and goats for breeding
4	0105	Live poultry, that is to, fowl, of the species gallus domesticus , ducks, geese, turkeys and guinea fowl
	0105-19	Other (day old chicks)
5	0106	Other live animas: animals of kind mainly used for human food
6	0301	Live fish for aquaculture
7	0407	Eggs
	0407-10-20	Eggs for hatching
8	1207	All types of agricultural seeds for sowing
9	1211	All types of agricultural plants (seedings)
	1211-90-90	Other (all tree crops)
10	2309	Preparation of kind used in animal feeding (animal feed)
	2309-90-10	Preparation containing added vitamins
	2309-90-90	Other
11	2807	Agricultural acid (agro-chemicals)
	2807-00-00	Suphuric acid; oleum
12	3101	Animal or vegetable fertilizer, whether or not mixed together or chemically treated; fertilizers produced by mixing or chemical treatment of animal or vegetable products
13	3102	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, nitrogenous
14	3103	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, phosphatic
15	3104	Mineral or chemical fertilizers, potassic
16	3105	Mineral or chemical fertilizer containing two or three of the fertilizing elements nitrogen, phosphorous and potassium; other fertilizers; goods of this chapter in tablets or similar forms or in packages of a gross weight not exceeding 10kg (including liquid fertilizers)
17	3808	Insecticides, rodenticides, fungicides, herbicides, anti-sprouting products and plant-growth regulators, disinfectants similar products put in forms or packing for retails sale or as preparation or articles (for example: surphur-treated bands, wicks and candles, and fly-papers)
	3923	Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods, plastics, stoppers, lids, caps and other closures of plastics; Sacks and bags (including cones, seed and bags for seeding)
18	3923-21-00	Of polymers of ethylene
	3923-29-00	Of other plastics
19	5608	Knotted netting of twine, cordage or rope; made up fishing nets and other made up nets, of textile materials (NETS)
20	6201-30-00	Of man-made fabric (rain coat)
21	6307-90-00	Other (mask)

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT AND RELATED IMPLEMENTS (cont)

NO	TARIFF NO.	DESCRIPTION
22	6506-10-00	Safety hear gear
23	8201	Hand tools, the following: spades shovels, mattocks, picks, hoes, forks and rakes, axes, bill hooks and similar hewing tools; secateurs and pruners of any kind; scythes, sickles, hay knives, hedge shears, agriculture, horticulture or forestry and all types of hand tools (and all other hand tools use in agriculture, horticulture, and forestry)
24	8203	Files, rasps, pliers (including cutting pliers), pincers, tweezers, metal cutting shears, pipe-cutters, bolt croppers, perforating punches and similar hand tools including other farming inputs
25	8208	Knives and cutting blades for machines or for mechanical appliances
26	8419	Dryers
	8419-31-00	For agricultural products
	8419-40-00	Distilling or rectifying plants
27	8424	Mechanical appliances : other appliances
	8424-81-10	Agricultural of horticultural
	8424-81-20	Appliances for spraying insecticides, fungicides, herbicides and the like; water sprinkling appliances
28	8427	Forklift trucks; other works truck fitted with or handling equipment
29	8428	Other lifting, handling, loading or unloading machinery (for example lifts, escalators, conveyors)
	8428-10-00	Lifts and skip hoists
	8428-20-00	Pneumatic elevators and conveyors
30	8429	Self-propelled bulldozers, angle dozers, graders, levelers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers
31	8430	Other moving, grading, leveling, scraping, excavating, tamping, compacting, extracting or boring machinery, for earth minerals or ores, pile drivers and pile-extractor, snow-ploughs and snow-blowers
	8430-10-00	Coal or rock cutters and tunneling machinery: self-propelled
	8430-31-00	Other machinery, not self-propelled
	8430-61-00	Tampering or compacting machinery
	8430-62-00	Scrapers
	8430-69-00	Other
32	8431	Parts suitable for use solely or principally with the machinery or headings No. 8425 to 8430 (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
33	8432	Agricultural, horticultural or forestry machinery for soil preparation or cultivation; lawn or sports ground rollers
34	8433	Harvesting or threshing machinery, including straw or fodder balers; grass or hay mowers; machines for cleaning, sorting, or grading eggs, fruit or other agricultural produce, other than machinery of headings No. 8437
35	8436	Other agricultural, horticultural, forestry, poultry-keeping or bee-keeping machinery, including germination plant fitted with mechanical or thermal equipment; poultry incubators and brooders
	8436-10-00	Machinery for preparing animal feeding stuff; poultry-keeping machinery; poultry incubators and brooders
	8436-21-00	Poultry incubators and brooders
	8436-91-00	Parts: of poultry-keeping machinery or poultry incubators and brooders (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8436-99-00	Other

AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT AND RELATED IMPLEMENTS (cont)

NO	TARIFF NO.	DESCRIPTION
36	8437	Machines for cleaning, sorting or grading seeds, grain or dried leguminous vegetables; machinery used in the milling industry or for the working of cereals or dried leguminous vegetables, other than farmin-type machinery
37	8438	Machinery not specified or included elsewhere in this chapter, for the industrial preparation or manufacture of food or drink, other than machinery for the extraction or preparation of animal or fixed vegetable fats oils
	8438-50-00	Machinery for the preparation of meat or poultry
38	8508	Electro-mechanical tools for working in the hand, with self-contained electric motor
	8508-20-00	Saws (power saw)
39	8701	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709)
	8701-20-00	Road tractors for semi-trailers
	8701-30-00	Track-laying tractors
	8701-90-00	Other
40	8704	Motor vehicles for the transport of goods g.w.w exceeding 20 tons: complete lorries and a van, new
	8704-32-11	Dumpers (truck)
	8704-32-12	Others (pickups
	8704-32-90	Other (pickups)
	8704-32-11	Dumpers (pump trucks)
	8704-32-90	Other (pickups)
41	8705	Special purpose motor vehicles, other than those principally designed for the transport of persons or goods (for example, breakdown lorries, crane lorries, fire fighting vehicles, concrete-mixer lorries, road sweeper lorries, spraying lorries, mobile workshops, mobile radiological units)
	8705-10-00	Crane lorries
	8705-20-00	Mobile drilling derricks
	8705-40-00	Concrete-mixer
	8705-90-00	Other (spraying lorries)
42	8711	Motorcycles (including mopeds) and cycles fitted with an auxiliary motor, with or without side-cars
43	8714	Parts and accessories of vehicles of heading No. 8711 to 8713 (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
44	8716	Trailers and semi-trailers; other vehicles, not mechanically propelled; parts thereof
	8716-20-00	Self-loading or self-unloading trailers or semi-trailers for agricultural purposes
	8716-31-00	Other trailers and semi-trailers for the transports of goods: tanker trailers and tanker semi-trailers
	8716-39-00	Other for the haulage of timber
	8716-39-21	Other tipping trailers: with carrying capacity of 6 cubic meters or less and a weight of 1600kg or more
	8716-40-00	Other trailers or semi-trailers parts (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8716-90-10	Parts of trailers and semi-trailers (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8716-90-20	Parts of vehicles drawn by animals (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8716-90-90	Other (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
45	9507	Fishing rods, fish-hooks and other line fishing tackles; fish landing nets; butterfly nets and similar nets; decoy "birds" (other than those of heading No. 9208 or 9705) and similar hunting or shooting requisites

FORESTRY MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT AND RELATED IMPLEMENTS

NO	TARIFF NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	8429	Self-propelled bulldozers, angle dozers, graders, levelers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers
2	8430	Other moving, grading, leveling, scraping, excavating, tamping, compacting, extracting or boring machinery, for earth minerals or ores, pile drivers and pile-extractor, snow-ploughs and snow-blowers
3	8432	Agricultural, horticultural or forestry machinery for soil preparation or cultivation; lawn or sports ground rollers
4	8508	Electro-mechanical tools for working in the hand, with self-contained electric motor
	8508-20-00	Saws (power saw)
	8701	Tractors (other than tractors of heading 8709)
	8701-20-00	Road tractors for semi-trailers
5	8701-30-00	Track-laying tractors
	8701-90-00	Other
	8704	Motor vehicles for the transport of goods g.w.w exceeding 20 tons: complete lorries and a van, new
6	8704-32-11	Dumpers (truck)
	8704-32-12	Others (pickups
	8704-32-90	Other (pickups)
	8704-32-11	Dumpers (pump trucks)
	8704-32-90	Other (pickups)
	8705	Special purpose motor vehicles, other than those principally designed for the transport of persons or goods (for example, breakdown lorries, crane lorries, fire fighting vehicles, concrete-mixer lorries, road sweeper lorries, spraying lorries, mobile workshops, mobile radiological units)
7	8705-10-00	Crane lorries
	8705-20-00	Mobile drilling derricks
	8705-40-00	Concrete-mixer
	8705-90-00	Other (spraying lorries)
8	8711	Motorcycles (including mopeds) and cycles fitted with an auxiliary motor, with or without side-cars
9	8714	Parts and accessories of vehicles of heading No. 8711 to 8713 (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8716	Trailers and semi-trailers; other vehicles, not mechanically propelled; parts thereof
	8716-20-00	Self-loading or self-unloading trailers or semi-trailers for agricultural purposes
	8716-31-00	Other trailers and semi-trailers for the transports of goods: tanker trailers and tanker semi-trailers
10	8716-39-00	Other for the haulage of timber
	8716-39-21	Other tipping trailers: with carrying capacity of 6 cubic meters or less and a weight of 1600kg or more
	8716-40-00	Other trailers or semi-trailers parts (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8716-90-10	Parts of trailers and semi-trailers (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8716-90-20	Parts of vehicles drawn by animals (special note: limited to capital spare parts)
	8716-90-90	Other (special note: limited to capital spare parts)

ROAD CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT

N0	TARIFF NO.	DESCRIPTION
1	8413-40-00	Concrete pumps
2	8413-50-00	Other reciprocating positive displacement pumps
3	8429	Self-propelled bulldozers, angle dozers, graders, levelers, scrapers, mechanical shovels, excavators, shovel loaders, tamping machines and road rollers
4	8430	Other moving, grading, leveling, scraping, excavating, tamping, compacting, extracting or boring machinery, for earth minerals or ores, pile drivers and pile-extractor, snow-ploughs and snow-blowers
5	8468	Machinery and apparatus for soldering, bracing or welding whether or not capable of cutting, other than those of heading No. 8515; gas operated surface tempering machines and appliances
6	8474	Machinery for sorting, screening, separating, washing, crushing, grinding, mixing or kneading earth, stone, ores or other mineral substances in solid (including powder or paste) form; machinery for agglomerating shaping or moulding solid mineral fuels, ceramic paste, unhardened cements, plastering materials or other mineral products in powder or paste form; machines for forming foundry mould of sands
7	8479	Machines and mechanical appliances having individual functions, not specified or included elsewhere in this chapter
8	8704	Motor vehicles for the transport of goods
9	8705	Special purpose motor vehicles, other than those principally designed for the transport of persons or goods (for example, breakdown lorries, crane lorries, fire fighting vehicles, concrete-mixer lorries, road sweeper lorries, spraying lorries, mobile workshops, mobile radiological units)
10	8716	Trailers and semi-trailers; other vehicles, not mechanically propelled; parts (special note: limited to capital spare parts) thereof