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To: All Customs Brokers

From: The Office of the Director of Customs and Inland Revenue

Subject: Customs Brokers License

Date: 1st July 2014

Under Customs Regulation No.49 (b) of the Customs Regulations Order No. 113 of 2014 (Official Gazette No. 31 of 20 June 2014), a person who intends to be a licensed Customs broker must successfully complete an exam in Customs Procedures.

Pursuant to Regulation No. 49 (b) and under the powers conferred on the Director of Customs and Inland Revenue under section 217 (1) of the Customs Act No.7 of 2013, I make the following decisions:

1. Customs Brokers License shall be issued only to those Customs Brokers who have successfully completed an exam in Customs procedures with a grade of 75% and above;
2. Provisional Customs Brokers License shall be issued to those Customs Brokers who have completed an exam in Customs procedures with a grade of 65% and above (but below 75%);
3. All existing Customs Brokers who have failed to successfully complete the exam (attained a grade of 64% and below) will not be issued with a license.

Further to point 2 above, a provisional license holder will be obliged to attend 2 training sessions delivered by Customs this year and to sit an exam in Customs procedures in December 2014. Those who fall under point 3 above may also attend training and take the exam in December.

Customs is taking these measures to ensure a high level of compliance to all Customs procedures.

Thank you


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Acting Director



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