

**MINISTRY OF FINANCE
CUSTOMS AND EXCISE DIVISION**

NOTICE TO IMPORTERS NO. 13 OF 2022

**SUBJECT: THE COMMON EXTERNAL TARIFF (SUSPENSION
AND VARIATION OF DUTY) (NO. 5) ORDERS, 2022**

The attention of all Importers is drawn to:

- 1) The Common External Tariff (**Suspension**) (**No. 5**) **Order, 2022**, made by the Minister under Section 8A(1) of the Customs Act, Chap. 78:01 and published as **Legal Notice No. 193 of 2022**; and
- 2) The Common External Tariff (**Variation of Duty**) (**No. 5**) **Order, 2022**, made by the President under Section 8A(2) of the Customs Act, Chap. 78:01 and published as **Legal Notice No. 194 of 2022**.

These Orders **suspend** and **vary** the rate of duty on **tack coat CRS-1 and refinery bitumen products**. The effect of this measure is that these goods shall attract a rate of duty as detailed below when entered during the specified period:

<i>Tariff Heading Number</i>	<i>Description of Goods</i>	<i>Rate of Duty</i>	<i>Period</i>
Ex 2714.10.00	Tack Coat CRS-1	10%	29 th September, 2022 to 28 th September, 2023
Ex 2715.00.10	Refinery Bitumen (60/70)	10%	29 th September, 2022 to 28 th September, 2023
Ex 2715.00.90	Refinery Bitumen (180/200)	10%	29 th September, 2022 to 28 th September, 2023

The Common External Tariff (Suspension and Variation of Duty) (No.2) Orders, 2021 are hereby revoked.

Copies of the aforesaid Legal Notice Nos. 193 and 194 of 2022 are attached for ease of reference.

Importers are to be guided accordingly.



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Vidyah Marcial
Comptroller of Customs & Excise
Custom House, Port of Spain
Ref. No: C&E 11/1/1
Date: 03/10/2022

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 193

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE CUSTOMS ACT, CHAP. 78:01

ORDER

MADE BY THE MINISTER UNDER SECTION 8A(1) OF THE CUSTOMS ACT

THE COMMON EXTERNAL TARIFF (SUSPENSION) (NO. 5)
ORDER, 2022

1. This Order may be cited as the Common External Tariff Citation
(Suspension) (No. 5) Order, 2022.

2. In this Order, where “Ex” is used in relation to an item number Interpretation
under a heading listed in the First Column of the First Schedule to the Chap. 78:01
Customs Act, that item number shall refer only to the corresponding
goods described in the Second Column.

3. The rates of duty set out in the First Schedule to the Customs Suspension of
Act, in relation to the goods carrying the headings and descriptions duty in the
listed below in the First and Second Columns respectively, are First Schedule
suspended for the period specified in the Third Column—

FIRST COLUMN Heading	SECOND COLUMN Description of Goods	THIRD COLUMN Period
27.14	Bitumen and asphalt, natural; bituminous or oil shale and tar sands; asphaltites and asphaltic rocks.	
Ex 2714.10.00	Tack Coat CRS-1	Date of publication to 28th September, 2023
2715.00	Bituminous mixtures based on natural asphalt, on natural bitumen, on petroleum bitumen, on mineral tar or on mineral tar pitch (for example, bituminous mastics, cut-backs).	
Ex 2715.00.10	Refinery Bitumen (60/70)	do.
Ex 2715.00.90	Refinery Bitumen (180/200)	do.

4. The Common External Tariff (Suspension) (No. 2) Order, 2021 is Revocation of
revoked. L.N. No. 260
of 2021

Dated this 29th day of September, 2022.

C. IMBERT
Minister of Finance

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 194

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE CUSTOMS ACT, CHAP. 78:01

ORDER

MADE BY THE PRESIDENT UNDER SECTION 8A(2) OF THE CUSTOMS ACT

THE COMMON EXTERNAL TARIFF (VARIATION OF DUTY)
(NO. 5) ORDER, 2022

1. This Order may be cited as the Common External Tariff (Variation of Duty) (No. 5) Order, 2022. Citation

2. In this Order, where “Ex” is used in relation to an item number under a heading listed in the First Column of the First Schedule to the Customs Act, that item number shall refer only to the corresponding goods described in the Second Column. Interpretation Chap. 78:01

3. The rates of duty set out in the First Schedule to the Customs Act, in relation to the goods carrying the headings and descriptions listed below in the First and Second Columns respectively, are varied to the amount specified in the Third Column for the period specified in the Fourth Column— Variation of duty in the First Schedule

FIRST COLUMN <i>Heading</i>	SECOND COLUMN <i>Description of Goods</i>	THIRD COLUMN <i>Varied Rate of Duty</i>	FOURTH COLUMN <i>Period</i>
27.14	Bitumen and asphalt, natural; bituminous or oil shale and tar sands; asphaltites and asphaltic rocks.		
Ex 2714 10 00	Tack Coat CRS-1	10%	Date of publication to 28th September, 2023
2715.00	Bituminous mixtures based on natural asphalt, on natural bitumen, on petroleum bitumen, on mineral tar or mineral tar pitch (for example, bituminous mastics, cut-backs).		
Ex 2715 00 10	Refinery Bitumen (60/70)	do	do
Ex 2715 00 90	Refinery Bitumen (180/200)	do	do

4. The Common External Tariff (Variation of Duty) (No. 2) Order, 2021 is revoked. L.N. No. 261 of 2021 revoked

Dated this 29th day of September, 2022.

C. HEMLEE
Secretary to Cabinet