

**MINISTRY OF FINANCE
CUSTOMS AND EXCISE DIVISION**

NOTICE TO IMPORTERS NO. 5 OF 2016

**SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO THE FOURTH SCHEDULE OF
THE MOTOR VEHICLES & ROAD TRAFFIC
ACT, CHAPTER 48:50**

The attention of all Importers is drawn to an amendment to the Fourth Schedule of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act, Chap. 48.50 published as **Legal Notice No. 18 dated 28th January, 2016**. The pertinent sections are provided hereunder:

2. The Fourth Schedule to the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act is amended by deleting paragraph 8 and substituting the following: Fourth Schedule
amended
Chap.48:50

“No motor vehicles
tax on vehicles
manufactured to use
compressed
natural gas

vehicle that

8. (1) Notwithstanding paragraph 1, motor vehicles tax shall not be charged, levied and collected in respect of a -
- (a) new private motor vehicle or new goods vehicle that is manufactured to use compressed natural gas; or
 - (b) used private motor vehicle or used goods is –
 - (i) manufactured to use compressed natural gas; and
 - (ii) not older than two years from the year of manufacture.
- (2) This paragraph comes into force on 1st January, 2016 and expires on 31st December, 2018.”.

A copy of Legal Notice No. 18 is attached for ease of reference.

Importers are to be guided accordingly.

Comptroller of Customs & Excise (Ag)
Custom House, Port of Spain
Ref. No: C&E 11/1/1
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