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Committee on Trade Facilitation

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**NOTIFICATION OF CATEGORY COMMITMENTS UNDER
THE AGREEMENT ON TRADE FACILITATION**

COMMUNICATION FROM SIERRA LEONE

The following communication, dated 5 February 2018, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Sierra Leone for Members' information.

Sierra Leone hereby makes the following notifications in accordance with Articles 15 and 16 of the Trade Facilitation Agreement (WT/L/931).

Provision	Heading/Description	Category	Indicative date for implementation (for categories B and C)	Definitive date for implementation (for categories B and C)	Assistance and Support for Capacity Building Required for Implementation (for category C)
Article 1 Publication and Availability of Information					
Article 1.1	Publication	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 1.2	Information Available through Internet	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 1.3	Enquiry Points	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 1.4	Notification	B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 2 Opportunity to Comment, Information before Entry into Force and Consultations					
Article 2.1	Opportunity to Comment and Information Before Entry into Force	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 2.2	Consultations	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 3 Advance Rulings					
		C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 4 Procedures for Appeal or Review					
		C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 5 Other Measures to Enhance Impartiality, Non-Discrimination and Transparency					
Article 5.1	Notification for Enhanced Controls or Inspections	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 5.2	Detention	B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 5.3	Test Procedures	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 6 Disciplines on Fees and Charges Imposed on or in Connection with Importation and Exportation and Penalties					
Article 6.1	General Disciplines on Fees and Charges Imposed on or in Connection with Importation and Exportation	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 6.2	Specific Disciplines on Fees and Charges for Customs Processing Imposed on or in Connection with Importation and Exportation	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 6.3	Penalty Disciplines	B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 7 Release and Clearance of Goods					
Article 7.1	Pre-arrival Processing	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 7.2	Electronic Payment	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 7.3	Separation of Release from Final Determination of Customs Duties, Taxes, Fees and Charges	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 7.4	Risk Management	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 7.5	Post-clearance Audit	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 7.6	Establishment and Publication of Average Release Times	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 7.7	Trade Facilitation Measures for Authorized Operators	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined

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Article 7.8	Expedited Shipments	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 7.9	Perishable Goods	B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 8 Border Agency Cooperation					
		C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 9 Movement of Goods Intended for Import under Customs Control					
		C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 10 Formalities Connected with Importation, Exportation and Transit					
Article 10.1	Formalities and Documentation Requirements	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 10.2	Acceptance of Copies	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 10.3	Use of International Standards	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 10.4	Single Window	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 10.5	Pre-shipment Inspection	A	-	-	-
Article 10.6	Use of Customs Brokers	B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 10.7	Common Border Procedures and Uniform Documentation Requirements	C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined
Article 10.8	Rejected Goods	B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 10.9	Temporary Admission of Goods and Inward and Outward Processing	B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 11 Freedom of Transit					
		B	31 December 2019	To be determined	-
Article 12 Customs Cooperation					
		C	31 December 2022	To be determined	To be determined