

L.N. 128 of 2001

Import and Export (Fees) (Amendment)

Regulation 2001

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 31  
of the Import and Export Ordinance (Cap. 60))

1. Commencement

This Regulation shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Director-General of Trade and Industry by notice published in the Gazette.

2. Prescribed fees and manner of payment

Regulation 2 of the Import and Export (Fees) Regulations (Cap. 60 sub. leg.) is amended---

(a) in paragraph (2)(a), by repealing ", in" and substituting---  
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(i) in cash or through a payment system known as the Easy Pay System provided by the Electronic Payment Services Company (HK) Limited; or

(ii) in";

(b) by adding---

"(3) The Director may collect fees for items 3, 12 and 13 of the Schedule pro rata on a monthly basis---

(a) on a person making an application for the purpose; and

(b) if the Director is satisfied that it will enable the registration of that applicant in respect of each of those items to have the same expiry date, being a date determined by the Director.

(4) In calculating the fees payable under paragraph (3)---

(a) any period of less than one month shall be regarded as a whole month; and

(b) any fraction of a dollar that is less than \$0.50 shall be disregarded and any fraction of a dollar that is not less than \$0.50 shall be regarded as a whole dollar.".

3. Scale of fees

The Schedule is amended---

(a) in item 3, by repealing everything from "companies" to "year" and substituting "a person for textile controls purposes";

(b) in item 12, by repealing "Registration of" and substituting "Annual fee for registration of a".

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Explanatory Note

This Regulation---

(a) provides for additional means of payment for application fees for textile licences and certificates of origin, as well as lodgment fees for production notifications;

(b) provides for monthly pro rata registration fees for textiles controls registration, factory registration and textiles trader registration to enable a trader under 2 or all of these registrations to have the same expiry date for his registrations; and

(c) removes the date fixed for payment of registration fees for textile controls purposes.