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STREAMLINING OF IBG DEDUCTIONS

In our continuous effort to provide better service to the trading community, we are pleased to inform you that we have further fine-tuned our Inter-Bank Giro (IBG) billing process.

2 With effect from 10 Jun 2000, a payment advice would be issued to you immediately after our officers have created the IBG transactions for your payment of duty/GST on goods not covered by permits at the Customs Office/Checkpoint as follows:

- (a) Duty/GST on personal import of liquors and tobacco products by air of quantity not exceeding 10 litres for liquors and 1 kg for tobacco;
- (b) Duty/GST on liquors and tobacco products imported together with used personal and household effects,
- (c) GST on ship spares.

3 The IBG deductions from your bank account would be effected 2 days after the IBG transactions.

4 Please contact our Call Centre at telephone number 3552000 *0 if you require any clarification.

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