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MINISTRY OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

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RESTRICTIONS ON IMPORTATION OF POULTRY PRODUCTS INTO NAMIBIA: IMPORT AND EXPORT CONTROL ACT, 1994

Under section 2(1)(b) and section 3, respectively, of the Import and Export Control Act, 1994 (Act No. 30 of 1994), I -

- (a) prohibit, except under the authority of and in accordance with conditions contained in a permit issued by the Ministry of Trade and Industry, or except a person falling under paragraph 1(2) in the Schedule, the importation into Namibia of the poultry products as set out in the Schedule;
- (b) establish a limit of 600 tons per month for importation into Namibia of poultry products derived from slaughtered fowls of the species *Gallus domesticus* intended for human consumption as set out in the Schedule;
- (c) authorize the Import, Export and Trade Measures Office of the Ministry of Trade and Industry to direct any person who intends to import into Namibia poultry products as set out in the Schedule to furnish that office within a period specified by that office any information at his or her disposal in relation to that import of poultry products; and
- (d) determine that this notice comes into operation 30 days after the date of its publication in the *Gazette*.

C. SCHLETTWEIN
MINISTER OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Windhoek, 2 April 2013

SCHEDULE

Restriction on importation of poultry products

1. (1) A person may not import into Namibia any poultry product specified in the Annexure except under and in accordance with an import permit issued by the Minister or by any person authorised by the Minister in that respect.

(2) Despite subparagraph (1) a person may, without an import permit issued by the Minister, import for consumption by himself or herself or his or her immediate family not more than 5 kg of poultry products at any one time.

Application for import permit

2. (1) A person who wishes to obtain an import permit must lodge an application on a form made available for that purpose by the Ministry of Trade and Industry.

(2) An application referred to in subparagraph (1) must be submitted to any office of the Ministry of Trade and Industry which is stated in the application form.

Issue of permit

3. If the Minister or a person authorized by the Minister is satisfied that the applicant for a permit has complied with all the conditions specified for the issue of the permit the Minister or that person must, subject to such conditions that he or she may impose, issue an import permit to the applicant.

Import permit to be presented at place of entry

4. The importer of any poultry product under an import permit must present the import permit or cause it to be presented for verification to an officer at the place of entry of the poultry product into Namibia.

Validity of import permit

5. (1) An import permit issued under this notice is valid for a period of 30 days from date of issue.

(2) An application for an import permit must be lodged at least 30 days prior to the date of the intended import.

(3) An import permit is required for each consignment of poultry product imported into Namibia except for import for consumption contemplated in paragraph 1(2).

Annexure

Poultry products the importation of which requires an import permit

Heading	Sub-Heading	Product Description
02.07		Meat and Edible Offal, of the Poultry of heading 01.05, fresh chilled or frozen
	0207.1	Of fowls of the species <i>Gallus domesticus</i>
	0207.11	Not cut in pieces, fresh or chilled
	0207.12	Not cut in pieces, frozen
	0207 12.20	Carcasses (excluding necks and offal) with all cuts (example thighs, wings, legs and breasts) removed
	0207 12.90	Other
	0207.13	Cuts and offal, fresh or chilled
	0207.14	Cuts and offal, frozen
	020714.10	Boneless cuts
	020714.20	Offal
	020714.90	Other
16.02		Other Prepared or Preserved Meat, Offal or Blood
	1602.32	Of fowls of the species <i>Gallus domesticus</i>
	1602.32.10	Pastes
	1602.32.90	Other