

**NOTES REGARDING AMENDMENTS TO THE SCHEDULES
TO THE CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT, 1964**

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These notes are issued merely as a guide and both the old and new provisions should be studied in order to determine what the amendment actually entails. These notes have no legal status.

<i>Provision</i>	<i>Note</i>
1605.90.21 1605.90.29 1605.90.31 1605.90.39	The SADC rates of duty on abalone are reduced from 5,5c/kg to free, with retrospective effect from 1 January 2008.
	The effect of this amendment is that the following new subheadings have been inserted under headings 7005.21 and 7005.29;
7005.21.45	Of a thickness exceeding 6 mm but not exceeding 8 mm (excluding optical glass);
7005.21.55	Of a thickness exceeding 8 mm but not exceeding 10 mm (excluding optical glass);
7005.21.65	Of a thickness exceeding 10 mm but not exceeding 12 mm (excluding optical glass);
7007.21.85	Of a thickness exceeding 12 mm (excluding optical glass);
7005.29.45	Of a thickness exceeding 6 mm but not exceeding 8 mm (excluding optical glass);
7005.29.55	Of a thickness exceeding 8 mm but not exceeding 10 mm (excluding optical glass);
7005.29.65	Of a thickness exceeding 10 mm but not exceeding 12 mm (excluding optical glass);
7005.29.85	Of a thickness exceeding 12 mm (excluding optical glass).

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**CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT, 1964.
AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE NO. 1 (NO. 1/1/1362)**

Under section 48 of the Customs and Excise Act, 1964, Part 1 of Schedule No. 1 to the said Act is hereby amended, **with retrospective effect from 1 January 2008**, to the extent set out in the Schedule hereto.

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SCHEDULE

By the substitution for subheadings 1605.90.21, 1605.90.29, 1605.90.31 and 1605.90.39 of the following:

Heading	Subheading	C D	Article Description	Statistical Unit	Rate of Duty			
					General	EU	EFTA	SADC
16.05	1605.90.21	1	- - - Abalone	kg	5,5c/kg	5,5c/kg	free	free
16.05	1605.90.29	7	- - - Other	kg	5,5c/kg	5,5c/kg	free	free
16.05	1605.90.31	9	- - - Abalone	kg	5,5c/kg	5,5c/kg	free	free
16.05	1605.90.39	4	- - - Other	kg	5,5c/kg	5,5c/kg	free	free