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IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Customs and Excise Department wishes to advise the public of the following requirements arising from the Budgetary Proposals and Financial Statement 2026.

With effect from April 1, 2026, the following Customs Procedure Codes (CPCs) have been implemented/extended to facilitate specific measures:

1. Community Resilience Programme

- *CPC 943*
Waiver of Import Duty and VAT on the purchase and installation of water tanks, septic tanks, pressure tanks and electric pumps for residential properties.

2. Citizen Security and Resilience

- *CPC 820*
This code applies to a waiver of Import Duty and VAT on the purchase and installation of CCTV security systems and burglar alarms for residential properties, as well as dashcams and GPS devices.

The public is advised that a “Letter of Exemption” must be uploaded when completing Customs Declarations and submitted to the ASYCUDA Support Unit for the following Customs Procedure Codes (CPCs):

- CPC 820
- CPC 943

All Letters of Exemption must be addressed to:

**The Comptroller of Customs
The Leroy Trotman Building
Customs House
University Row
St. Michael**



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The exemption references should be stated as follows:

- For CPC 820 or 943:
“As per memorandum Ministry of Finance, Economic Affairs and Investment Ref. 5001/2/49 Vol. 4 dated March 23, 2026.”

All stakeholders are kindly asked to ensure that the required documentation is properly uploaded and referenced in accordance with the above guidance.

The Customs and Excise Department thanks you for your cooperation.