



PUBLIC NOTICE

IMPORTATION OF USED OR RECONDITIONED MOTOR VEHICLE INTO FIJI/ISSUANCE OF IMPORT LICENCE

We wish to advise all motor vehicle dealers, traders, importers and the general public that the importation criteria for second hand motor vehicles under Schedule 3 of the Customs (Prohibited Imports and Exports) Regulation 1986 is as follows:

- (i) Hybrid Vehicles – 5 years from the year of manufacture and Euro 4 compliant
- (ii) Diesel, Petrol, LPG, CNG Vehicles – Euro 4 compliant

The minimum year model that will be admissible for importation effective from 1st January 2021 will be 2016 and over for used hybrid vehicles.

All motor vehicle licences issued in 2020 for hybrid vehicles that are 2015 models must leave the country of export on/or before 31st December 2020. If a Hybrid motor vehicle (2015 models) is shipped after 31st December 2020, the vehicle:

- (i) will not be eligible for issuance of an Import Licence;
- (ii) will be considered a prohibited import;
- (iii) will not be permissible for release;
- (iv) will be subject to re-exportation at the cost of the importer

We advise all motor vehicle dealers, traders, importers and the general public to obtain an import licence PRIOR to loading and shipping of the vehicles for Fiji to avoid unnecessary inconveniences.

All enquiries concerning this notice can be directed to Deputy Director Policy, Mr. Shavindra Nath on T: **3243033** or Email: snath@frcs.org.fj and the Tariff and Trade Section on tarrif&trade@frcs.org.fj.

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