## GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT NO. 6 OF 2012

The Customs and Excise Act (Laws, Volume 18, Cap. 322)

## The Customs and Excise (General) (Amendment) Regulations, 2011

IN EXERCISE of the powers contained in section *eighty-nine* of the Customs and Excise Act, the following Regulations are hereby made:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Customs and Excise (General) (Amendment) Regulations, 2012, and shall be read as one with the Customs and Excise (General) Regulations, 2000, in these Regulations referred to as the principal Regulations.

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Amendment of regulation

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- 2. (1) Regulation 31 of the principal Regulations is amended-
  - (a) in sub-regulation (1)—
    - (i) by the deletion of the full stop in paragraph (d), and the substitution therefor of a semi-colon; and
    - (ii) by the insertion, immediately after paragraph (d), of the following new paragraph:
      - (e) in the case of minerals or mineral ore, upon verification by the Commissioner-General of the weight and mineral content.; and
  - (b) by the insertion, immediately after sub-regulation (8), of the following new sub-regulation:

(9) The verification of the weight of minerals or mineral ores shall be done by an officer on the basis of the following:

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- (i) an export permit issued by the Ministry responsible for minerals;
- (ii) a mineral analysis certificate and a mineral valuation certificate issued by the Director of Geological Survey;
- (iii) a mineral royalty clearance certificate issued by the Zambia Revenue Authority;
- (iv) at least two independent weigh bridge reports issued by the responsible Government department, one of which shall be from the port of exit; and
- (v) a copy of the dispatch note at the port of exit, duly furnished to the Commissioner-General by an exporter or an agent of the exporter.

LUSAKA 18th January, 2012 [MFB.103/22/97] A. B. CHIKWANDA, Minister of Finance