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EXEMPT RESOLUTION NO. 309

VALPARAISO,

WHEREAS:

- 1. The provisions of Article 1, No. 2, letter a) of Law No. 20,997 of 2017, which amends letter g) of Article 31 of the Customs Ordinance, add the following final sentence to numeral 1 of the aforementioned provision: "Likewise, those carried solely for personal use by crew members of ships, aircraft, and other transportation vehicles".
- 2. The provisions of numeral 7 of Article 2 of Law No. 20.997, which amends Section 0 of the Customs Tariff, granting the National Director the power to determine the objects that may be included within the concept of baggage when they are carried by crew members.
- 3. The amendments introduced by the aforementioned Law No. 20.997, Article 2, numerals: 5 a) which modifies the gloss of subheading 0009.0200, adding, after the expression "traveler", the phrase "excluding crew members"; 5 b) which adds after the phrase "Passengers shall enjoy the same benefit", the expression "and crew members"; 5 c) which adds after the words "US\$ 500", the phrase "per trip and US\$ 350 per month, respectively". And the amendments introduced to Legal Note No. 6 of heading 00. 09, by numeral 7 of Article 2°, which adds in letter a) the final sentence: "Likewise, those carried only for their personal use, by crew members of ships, aircrafts, and other transportation vehicles"; b) which replaces in letter c) the expression "adult person" by "traveler of legal age, excluding crew members"; and c) which adds in the second paragraph the following final sentence: "In the same way it shall determine the objects that may be included within the concept of baggage, when they are carried by crew members".
- 4. The fifth and sixth transitory articles of Law No. 20,997, which provide that within a period of one year from the publication of said law, the corresponding regulations must be issued to apply it and that the regulations established on crew members' exemption shall be in force one year after this publication.



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 Resolution No. 7264, dated 22.12.2014, issued by the National Director of Customs, established a list of items included under the concept of 'baggage' that travelers, in general, are allowed to carry, not considering crew members in such category.

CONSIDERING:

In accordance with the provisions outlined above, it is necessary to issue a resolution determining the objects that may be included within the concept of baggage when carried by crew members.

Considering that Resolution No. 7264 of 23.12.2014, of the National Director of Customs that establishes a list of objects, included within the concept of "baggage" of travelers in general, is not contained in the Compendium of Customs Regulations and that it is also necessary to complement it with the list of objects that may be carried by crew members and in order for these provisions to be found in a single text it has been determined to incorporate them into the Compendium of Customs Regulations, adding them to Annex No. 5 of Appendix XI of its Chapters III.

CONSIDERING: The cited regulations, and the powers conferred upon me by Article 4 of Decree with the force of law No. 329/1979 of the Ministry of Finance, Organic Law of the National Customs Service; as well as the provisions of Resolution No. 1,600/2008 of the Office of the Comptroller General of the Republic, on exemption from the registration procedure, I hereby issue the following:

RESOLUTION:

- I. **REPEAL** Resolution No. 7264 of 26.12.2014 issued by the National Director of Customs.
- II. **AMEND** the Customs Regulations Compendium, replaced by Resolution No. 1300 of 2006 of the National Director, as follows:
 - 1. **ADD** the following Annex No. 5 to Appendix XI of CHAPTER III.



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ANNEX N° 5

BENEFITS FOR TRAVELERS IN GENERAL AND FOR CREW MEMBERS OF SHIPS, AIRCRAFT AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES

I. TRAVELERS' BAGGAGE

The objects listed below correspond to those that are included within the concept of "baggage" of each traveler, excluding Crew Members, coming from abroad or from a Free Trade Zone or Extension Free Trade Zone, indicated in letter g) numeral 1 of article 31 of the Customs Ordinance:

- 1. Items, whether new or used, carried by the traveler for personal use or as gifts, excluding goods that, due to their quantity or value, are likely to be marketed:
 - a) One (1) portable video camera, not of the professional type, and its accessories.
 - b) Two (2) mobile phones.
 - c) One (1) portable photographic camera and its corresponding accessories.
 - d) One (1) portable device for recording or reproducing sound, image or mixed, along with its respective set of portable headphones and accessories.
 - e) One (1) laptop and/or one (1) Tablet for personal use.
 - f) Sporting items for personal use. Bicycles of any type or model, new or used, carried by the traveler are excluded from this category and must be entered under the general regime.
 - g) Medications, in quantities according to the respective medical prescription, as long as they are for personal use or for direct family members. In the case of over-the-counter medicines, they must come in quantities that are only for the traveler's personal use.
 - h) Gifts up to an amount of US\$ 300 FOB or its equivalent in other currencies, for each traveler over 14 years old. This amount shall not be



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- cumulative with the amount corresponding to other travelers using this same means.
- i) Books and pamphlets published in music and in standard binding, as well as newspapers, printed materials, magazines and printed musical compositions, provided they are deluxe editions.
- j) All those items of **personal use**, new or used, not previously mentioned and that are necessary for the trip.
- Objects of exclusive use for the exercise of professions and trades, used, with the limitation that they correspond to portable objects that are normally carried from one place to another by professionals and craftsmen and not machines, apparatuses or other objects that require some installation for their use.
- 3. Up to a quantity not exceeding per adult traveler 400 units of cigarettes, 500 grams of pipe tobacco; 50 units of cigars and 2500 cubic centimeters of alcoholic beverages.
- II. BAGGAGE FOR CREW MEMBERS OF SHIPS, AIRCRAFT AND OTHER TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES

The objects indicated correspond to those included in the concept of "baggage" of crew members coming from abroad in the exercise of their profession or trade, as indicated in letter g) numeral 1 of article 31 of the Customs Ordinance:

Items, new or used, carried by crew members of ships, aircraft and other transport vehicles, solely for their personal use, which correspond to goods that, due to their quantity or value, do not imply they are intended for commercial purposes.

- a) One (1) portable video camera, not of the professional type, and its accessories.
- b) Two (2) mobile phones.
- c) One (1) portable photographic camera and its corresponding accessories.



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- d) One (1) portable device for recording or reproducing sound, image or mixed, along with its respective set of portable headphones and accessories.
- e) One (1) laptop and/or one (1) Tablet for personal use.
- f) Sporting goods for personal use. Bicycles of any type or model, new or used, carried by the crew member are excluded in this category, since they are classified as vehicles, which must be entered under the general regime.
- g) Personal use medications, over-the-counter and/or in accordance with the respective medical prescription.
- h) Books and pamphlets published in music and in standard binding, as well as newspapers, printed materials, magazines and printed musical compositions, provided they are not deluxe editions.
- i) All those items of **personal use**, new or used, not previously mentioned and that are necessary for the trip

III. EXEMPTION HEADING 0009.0200 CUSTOMS TARIFF

Under this Heading of Section 0 of the Customs Tariff, the following goods may additionally be imported:

- 1. *Travelers*: Excluding crew members, coming from Free Trade Zone or Free Zone Extension, goods up to a customs value of US\$1,375.
- 2. Passengers coming from abroad: goods purchased in the Duty-Free Stores established by Law No. 19.288, up to a customs value of US\$ 500 per trip.
- 3. Crew members coming from abroad: goods purchased in the Duty-Free Stores established by Law No. 19,288, up to a customs value of US\$350 monthly.
- IV. This Resolution shall enter into force on 13 March 2018.

RECORDED, COMMUNICATED AND PUBLISHED IN EXTRACT IN THE OFFICIAL GAZETTE AND IN FULL TEXT ON THE WEB PAGE OF THE CUSTOMS SERVICE.



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