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## **Binding Tariff Information: BTI-48/2025**

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Date Issued	12 <sup>th</sup> March 2025
GOODS	1. SUNTISUK NAMMANAW LIME FLAVOURED WATER

BINDING TARIFF INFORMATION - SEYCHELLES											
Customs Management (Tariff and Classification of Goods) Regulations, 2022											
		FTA									
Tariff Classification	MFN (Customs Import Duty)	COMESA	SADC	AFCFTA	EU/UK	Excise Tax	VAT	Sugar Tax	Levy		
2202.1010 SUNTISUK NAMMANAW LIME FLAVOURED WATER	SCR10/L	SCR10/L	SCR10/L	SCR10/L	SCR10/ L	N/A	0%	15%	SCR1/ BOTTLE		

## **REMARKS:**

The specifications for the the **SUNTISUK NAMMANAW LIME FLAVOURED WATER** provided on finished product specification documents for binding tariff information by the applicant to Classification, Valuation and Rules of Origin unit details;

1. Product name: SUNTISUK NAMMANAW LIME FLAVOURED WATER

Packaging: Plastic bottle, 500ml

**Ingredients:** Water (91.6%), Citric Acid Monohydrate (8%), Clouding Agent WO.3G (0.25%), Lemon Yellow (0.1%), Sodium Benzoate (0.05%)

Nutritional facts (per 100ml): Carbohydrates 1g, Sugar 0.0g

The applicable heading for the **SUNTISUK NAMMANAW LIME FLAVOURED WATER** is **22.02** and was further classified under **2202.1010-Waters (incl. mineral & aerated)**, with added sugar/sweetening/flavoured,in PET/Plasics

22.02 – Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured, and other non-alcoholic beverages, not including fruit, nut or vegetable juices of heading 20.09

This heading covers non-alcoholic beverages, as defined in Note 3 to this Chapter, not classified under other headings, particularly heading 20.09 or 22.01

(A) Waters, including mineral waters and aerated waters, containing added sugar or other sweetening matter or flavoured.

This group includes, inter alia:

(1) Sweetened or flavoured mineral waters (natural or artificial)

**Note**; More advice can be found for Classification of fruit and vegetable juices (CA.1/2014) on the SRC website.

**Reference**; World Customs Organisation Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System, Explanatory Notes, Seventh Edition (2022) Volume 1.

S.I 14 of 2019 - Excise Tax (Imposition of Sugar Tax on Drinks)

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR BTI-48/2025**

- The binding tariff information (BTI) provided above shall be valid for a period of 1 year from the issue date.
- BTI shall be annulled if based on inaccurate or incomplete information provided by the applicant
- As published under section 30.(7) of the Customs Management Act 2011, BTI shall cease to be valid:
  - (a) Where a regulation is adopted and the information no longer conforms to the law laid down thereby;
  - **(b)** Where it is no longer compatible with the legal interpretative rules for tariff classification of goods set out in the regulations;
  - (c) Where it is revoked or amended provided the revocation or amendment is notified by regulations.
- An applicant who disputes BTI provided may within 60 days of the determination lodge a formal objection to the Commissioner General, in accordance with SI 60 of 2012.
- 'Tariff Classification Advices' and 'Binding Tariff Information' can be viewed at www.src.gov.sc.