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PROGRAMME OUTLINE for HOW TO MANAGE CUSTOMS AUDIT AND INVESTIGATION (INCLUDING POST IMPORTATION AUDIT)

DAY 1

9.00am to 10.30am

Module 1: Customs Organisation and Structure

Module 2: Tax Audit Framework

- Introduction
- What is an Audit
- Why Audit is necessary
- Laws relating to compliance Audit
- Who can be audited
- Audit Type & Venue
- Visit to premises
- Scope of Audit
- Right / Responsibilities of Auditee
- Audit Coverage
- Audit Findings
- Confidentiality
- Appeals
- Complaints

10.30am to 10.45am

Break

10.45am to 1.00pm

Module 3: Overview of Post Importation Audit

- Compliance requirement of the following :
 - o Tariff Classification
 - Valuation of Duty Calculation
 - Currency Exchange Rate
 - o Prohibitions and requirements of Import Permit and Import License
 - Duty Exemption / Facilities
 - o Preferential Duty / Certificate of Origin

Module 4: Classification of Goods

- The Harmonised System (HS)
- General Interpretative Rules (GIR)
- Application of Customs Rulings and Advance Rulings



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Problems associated with Classification and remedies involved

1.00pm to 2.00pm

Lunch

2.00m to 3.15pm

Module 5: Valuation of Goods

- WTO Valuation Agreement
- Methods of Valuation
- Customs (Rules of Valuation) Regulations 2018
- Sales Tax (Rules of Valuation) Regulations 2018
- Identifying Valuation problems

3.15pm to 3.30pm

Break

3.30pm to 5.00pm

Module 6: Licensed Manufacturing Warehouse

- Concepts and Procedures
- Documentation (K1, K2, K9, GPB1, GPB2)
- Release to Domestic Market & Payment of Duty / ATIGA Duty Rate
- Accounting for losses due to fire, floods & theft
- Procedures as to Destructions of Scrap & Wastages
- Compliance with LMW conditions
- SST implications on Designated Areas (DA) and Special Areas (SA)

DAY 2

9.00am to 10.15am

Module 7: MIDA Exemption / Treasury Exemption

- Legal Provision Sec. 14(2) Customs Act 1967
- Application for Treasury Exemption
 - Self Declaration System for Machinery / Equipment
 - Application for Raw Materials & Components
- Conditions to be complied under item 112 Customs Duties Exemption Order 2017
- Procedures & Documentation
- Areas of Audit Focus

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10.15am to 10.30am Break

10.30am to 1.00pm

Module 8: Refund and Drawback

- Understanding Refund and Drawback
- Application for Refund and Drawback (Documentation)
- Compliance with Refund and Drawback conditions
- Common mistakes in applying for Refund and Drawback

Module 9: Compliance with Import / Export Prohibition Orders

- Customs (Prohibition of Import) Order 2023
- Customs (Prohibition of Export) Order 2023
- Compliance with Prohibition Orders

1.00pm to 2.00pm

Lunch

2.00pm to 3.15pm

Module 10: Compliance with Claims For Preferential Tariff

- Various Free Trade Agreements / Certificate of Origin
 - Bilateral Agreement
 - Regional Agreement
- Customs Audit Claim for Preferential Tariff
- Preferential Certificate of Origin
- Self Declaration
- Self Certification
- Minor Discrepancies Remedies

Module 11: Offences and Penalties Under Customs Act

3.15pm to 3.30pm

Break

3.30pm to 5.00pm

Module 12: Review and Appeal Process

- Procedures & Requirements
- Appeal to Customs Appeal Tribunal
- Appeal to Minister of Finance
- Appeal to High Court / Judicial Review

Module 13: Sales Tax and Miscellaneous Audit Areas