

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1996, No. 34

Customs Appointment of Officers Order 1996, made by the Minister under section 5(2) of the Customs Control and Management Act 1996 (No. 7 of 1993).

1. This Order may be cited as Customs (Appointment of Officers) Order, 1996. Short title.

2. For the purposes of the Customs (Control and Management) Act, the Minister with the concurrence of the Comptroller of Customs hereby appoints the officers of the Tax Compliance Unit of the Ministry of Finance who are named in the Schedule, as officers of customs with the rank of senior customs officers. Appointment of officers.

3. The persons appointed under this Order shall perform the following duties —

- (a) to investigate, identify and assess all under payment of custom duties, consumption taxes and other Import and Excise duties payable under any law in force in Antigua and Barbuda;
- (b) to collect and pay to the Comptroller of customs for the benefit of the Consolidated Fund all such taxes and duties so identified and assessed;
- (c) to review current customs tax assessment and collection systems, and where necessary, to design and recommend to the Minister, a more efficient system of assessing and collecting duties and taxes on goods.

4. The Minister may, with the concurrence of the Comptroller of Customs, add to or delete from the Schedule. Amendment of Schedule.

SCHEDULE

Lawrence Patrick May

William Schouten

Hyacinth Charles

Clarence Pilgrim

Christopher Hind

Lloyd Christie

David Lee

Made this 22nd day of November, 1996.

John E. St. Luce,*Minister responsible for Finance.*

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