

ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2002, No. 52

**The External Trade (Prohibition of Importation of Used Motor Vehicles) Order, 2002 made by the Minister under section 3(1) of the External Trade Act, Cap. 163.**

1. This Order may be cited as the External Trade (Prohibition of Importation of Used Motor Vehicles) Order, 2002 and shall come into force on the 26th November, 2002.

Short title.

2. (1) In this Order —

“dealer” means a person who, in the course of business, engages in the sale or exchange of motor vehicles or advertises, exhibits or offers motor vehicles for sale or exchange;

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“used motor vehicle” means a motor vehicle in respect of which the title to ownership is first registered in favour of a person other than the manufacturer or a dealer in accordance with the law of the country from which the motor vehicle is manufactured or from which it is exported; and a motor vehicle is deemed to be a used motor vehicle from the date on which the title to ownership is so registered.

(2) This Order does not apply to —

(a) the following types of used motor vehicles:

- (i) motor lorries;
- (ii) motor omnibuses;
- (iii) tractors;
- (iv) heavy duty motor vehicles for use in the construction industry, in agriculture or for lifting or hauling loads;
- (v) motor vehicles for exclusive use in motor racing and certified for that purpose by the Antigua and Barbuda Motor Racing Association;

(vi) antique motor vehicles certified as such by the Antigua and Barbuda Motor Dealers Association;

(vii) used motor vehicles the importation of which is permitted by or under any written law;

and

(b) used motor vehicles the importation of which is permitted under an import licence granted before the coming into force of this Order.

3. No person shall import a used motor vehicle which is not a motor vehicle of the type set out in paragraph 2.

Made this 26th day of November, 2002.

**Gaston Browne,**  
*Minister responsible for Trade.*

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