[BC CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 289-96, May 31, 1996]

CERTIFICATES OF AUTHORITY TO IMPORT AND RELEASE FOREIGN LEAF TOBACCO

Attached for your information and ready reference are the following Certificates of Authority* to Import and Release Foreign Leaf Tobacco for blending purposes:

| Issued to | Dated | Quantity |
|---------------------------------------|----------|-----------------|
| Sterling Tobacco Corp. | 02-12-96 | 59,400 kilos |
| Sterling Tobacco Corp. | 04-22-96 | 18,200 |
| Sterling Tobacco Corp. | 04-22-96 | 28,800 |
| Sterling Tobacco Corp. | 04-22-96 | 9,600 |
| Sterling Tobacco Corp. | 04-22-96 | 18,000 |
| Sterling Tobacco | 04-22-96 | 76,800 |
| Corp. Sterling Tobacco Corp. | 04-22-96 | 69,000 |

Please be guided accordingly.

Adopted: 31 May 1996

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^{*} Text Available at Office of the National Administrative Register, U.P. Law Complex, Diliman, Quezon City