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KAMRA TAD-DEPUTATI

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

ABBOZZ ta' Ligi mressaq mill-Onorevoli George Bonello Du Puis, M.P., Ministru tal-Finanzi, u moqri għall-Ewwel darba fis-Seduta ta' l-14 ta' Lulju, 1989.

A BILL introduced by the Honourable George Bonello Du Puis, M.P., Minister of Finance, and read the First time at the Sitting of the 14th July, 1989.

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IL-PRESIDENT, bil-parir u l-kunsens tal-Kamra tad-Deputati, imlaqqgħa f'dan il-Parlament, u bl-awtorità ta' l-istess, hareġ b'liġi dan li ġej:—

1. Dan l-Att jista' jissejjah l-Att ta' l-1989 li jemenda l-Att dwar il-Protezzjoni ta' l-Erarju, u għandu jinqara u jiftiehem haġa waħda ma' l-Att dwar il-Protezzjoni ta' l-Erarju, hawnhekk iżjed 'il quddiem imsejjah "l-Att prinċipali".

Titolu fil-qosor.
Kap. 62.

2. L-artikolu 2 ta' l-Att prinċipali għandu jiġi sostitwit b'dan li ġej:—

Sostituzzjoni ta' l-artikolu 2 ta' l-Att prinċipali.

"Dazji godda jew zieda ta' dazji tad-Dwana eċċ.

2. (1) Kull meta Ministru jagħti avviż lill-Iskrivan tal-Kamra tad-Deputati ta' abbozz ta' liġi dwar dazju ġdid jew dwar zieda ta' dazju li ġa jkun hemm, dan id-dazju ġdid jew din iż-żieda ta' dazju għandhom jittiehdu u jingabru mill-Kontrullur tad-Dwana minn dak in-nhar li tinhareġ Proklama biex tgħarraf li hareġ avviż kif jinghad hawn fuq.

(2) Għall-finijiet ta' dan l-Att il-kelma "dazju" tfisser u tinkludi dazju tad-Dwana, kull imposta li tingabar fuq oġġetti li jiġu importati f'Malta u dazji tas-Sisa."

3. Fis-subartikolu (1) ta' l-artikolu 3 ta' l-Att prinċipali minflok il-kliem "erba' xhur" għandhom jidhlu l-kliem "sitt xhur".

Emenda ta' l-artikolu 3 ta' l-Att prinċipali.

4. Minnufih wara l-artikolu 4 ta' l-Att prinċipali għandu jizdied dan l-artikolu ġdid li ġej:

Zieda ta' artikolu ġdid ma' l-Att prinċipali.

"Mod kif jingabar id-dazju.

5. Meta f'xi abbozz ta' liġi bħal dak imsemmi fis-subartikolu (1) ta' l-artikolu 2 ta' dan l-Att tiġi stabbilita

proċedura partikulari għall-gbir tad-dazju, dak id-dazju għandu, bla ħsara tad-dispożizzjonijiet l-oħra ta' dan l-Att, jingabar skond il-proċedura stabbilita f'dak l-abbozz."

Għanijiet u Raġunijiet

L-Għan ta' l-Abbozz huwa sabiex jipprovdi dwar kif jiġi applikat l-Att prinċipali wkoll dwar Abbozzi li jintroduċu imposti li jingabru fuq oġġetti ma' l-importazzjoni tagħhom f'Malta. L-Abbozz jestendi wkoll il-ħdim tad-dispożizzjonijiet ta' l-Att prinċipali minn żmien ta' erba' xhur għal żmien ta' sitt xhur wara li jinghata avviż ta' Abbozz ta' Liġi li jkollu bhala għan tiegħu dazju ġdid jew iż-żieda ta' dazju li jkun għa hemm.

A BILL
entitled

AN ACT to amend the Revenue (Safeguard) Act (Cap. 62).

BE IT ENACTED by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the House of Representatives, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Revenue (Safeguard) (Amendment) Act, 1989, and shall be read and construed as one with the Revenue (Safeguard) Act, hereinafter referred to as “the principal Act”.
- Short title.
Cap. 62.
2. Section 2 of the principal Act shall be substituted by the following:—
- Substitution of section 2 of the principal Act.
2. (1) Whenever notice is given by a Minister to the Clerk of the House of Representatives of a bill having for its object the imposition of a new duty or the increase of an existing duty, such new duty or increase of duty shall be levied and collected by the Comptroller of Customs as from the day on which a Proclamation has been issued to the effect that notice as aforesaid has been given.
- “New or increase of Customs duties etc.”
- (2) For the purposes of this Act the term “duty” means and includes Customs duty, any charge leviable on goods on their importation into Malta and Excise duties.”
3. In subsection (1) of section 3 of the principal Act for the words “four months” there shall be substituted the words “six months”.
- Amendment of section 3 of the principal Act.
4. Immediately after section 4 of the principal Act there shall be added the following new section:
- Addition of new section to the principal Act.

"Mode of collection of duty.

5. Where in any bill as is referred to in subsection (1) of section 2 of this Act a particular procedure is established for the collection of the duty, such duty shall, subject to the other provisions of this Act, be collected in accordance with the procedure established in such bill."

Objects and Reasons

The Object of the Bill is to provide for the applicability of the principal Act also to Bills introducing charges leviable on goods on their importation into Malta. The Bill also extends the operation of the provisions of the principal Act from a period of four months to a period of six months after notice of a Bill having for its object the imposition of a new duty or the increase of an existing duty.