REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT ACT NO. 23 OF 2019

Instrument of Directions to Government Agencies Relating to Tropical Cyclone Judy and Tropical Cyclone Kevin (Amendment) Order No. 71 of 2023

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by subsection 35(1) of the Disaster Risk Management Act No. 23 of 2019, I, the Honourable RALPH REGENVANU, Minister of Meteorology, Geological Hazards and Climate Change, on the advice of the National Disaster Committee, make the following Order.

1 Amendments

The Instrument of Directions of Government Agencies relating to Tropical Cyclone Judy and Tropical Cyclone Kevin Order No. 31 of 2023 is amended as set out in the Schedule.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the day on which it is made.

Made at Port Vila this 4th **day of** APRIL **, 2023.**

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SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS OF THE INSTRUMENT OF DIRECTIONS TO GOVERNMENT AGENCIES RELATING TO TROPICAL CYCLONE JUDY AND TROPICAL CYCLONE KEVIN ORDER NO. 31 OF 2023

1 Paragraph 1(15)(h)

(a) After "VAT", insert "and import duties"

(b) Delete "and chain saws", substitute ", chain saws and wood chipper machines"

2 Paragraph 1(15)(i)

Delete ".", substitute "; and

(j) ensure that all imports under exemption code 290 are released at manifest level before the completion of customs revenue formalities."

3 After subclause 1(16)

Insert

"(16A) The Price Controller must monitor the prices of the items listed in the Port Vila Mid-Year Report and Santo Mid-Year Report 2022 and ensure that the price of the items in Efate and Santo remain within the price range stated in the reports."