

MINISTRY OF FINANCE

Decree n° 2009-3757 dated 21 December 2009, fixing the list of the matters and products benefiting from the suspension or the reduction of the customs duties in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 7.27 of the tariff of the import customs duties.

The President of the Republic,

On a proposal from the Minister for Finance,

Having regard to the new tariff the import customs duties promulgated by the law n° 89-113 of 30 December 1989 as amended and completed by subsequent texts and notably law n° 2009-71 dated 21 December 2009, relating to the appropriations law for the year 2010 and notably paragraph 7.27 of title II of its preliminary provisions,

Having regard to law n° 91-64 dated 29 July 1991, relating to competition and prices, as amended and completed by subsequent texts and notably law n° 2005-60 dated 18 July 2005 and notably article 24 (bis),

Having regard to decree n° 75-316 dated 30 May 1975, fixing the attributions of the Ministry of Finance,

Having regard to decree n° 2005-4 dated 3 January 2005, fixing the lists of the matters and products benefitting from the suspension or reduction of the customs duties in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 7.27 of the import customs duties tariff as amended or completed by subsequent texts and notably decree n° 2008-3963 dated 30 December 2008,

Having regard to the opinion of the Minister of Industry, Energy and Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises,

Having regard to the opinion of the Minister of Trade and Handicrafts,

Having regard to the opinion of the Administrative Court.

Decreases the following :

Article one - Is fixed at the following table, the list of hydrocarbons benefitting from the suspension of the customs duties due on the importation:

Positioning N°	Tariff Positioning N°	Designation of products
Ex 27.10		bituminous mineral or Petroleum oils others that crude oils, non called preparations nor included elsewhere, containing in weight 70% or more petroleum oil or minerals bituminous and whose oils constitute the basic element, oil waste:
	271011419	super Gasoline, super gasoline without lead and normal gasoline
	271011459 271011499 271011519 271011599	
	271019259	Kerosene and paraffin oil
	271019359	Diesel oil
	271019419 271019459 271019499	
	271019619	Fuel oils
	271019639 271019659 271019699	

Art. 2 - Are fixed at the list (published only in Arabic and French) annexed to the decree herein the matters and the products benefitting from the reduction of the customs duties in the rates fixed in this same list.

Art. 3 - Are repealed the provisions of decree n° 2005-4 dated 3 January 2005 fixing the lists of the matters and products benefitting from the suspension or reduction of the customs duties in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 7.27 of the import customs duties tariff.

Art. 4 - The provisions of the decree herein apply as from 1st January 2010.

Art. 5 - The Minister of Finance, the Minister of Industry, Energy and Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises and the Minister of Trade and Handicrafts shall, each in his respective capacity, implement the provisions of the decree herein which shall be published in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Tunisia.

Tunis, 21 December 2009.

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