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AN ACT TO AMEND THE EXCISE ORDINANCE (CHAPTER 52)

BE it enacted by the Parliament of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka as follows :—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Excise (Amendment) Act, No. of 2011. Short title and date of operation.

5 (2) The provisions of this Act shall for all purposes be deemed to have come into operation on November 19, 2010.

2. Section 15 of the Excise Ordinance (Chapter 52) is hereby amended by the repeal of paragraphs (b) and (c) of that section, and the substitution therefor of the following :— Amendment of section 5 of the Excise Ordinance.

“(b) no tree producing toddy, other than the kithul tree and the palmyrah tree, shall be tapped ; and

(c) no toddy shall be drawn from any tree, other than the kithul tree and the palmyrah tree.”.

15 **3.** In the event of any inconsistency between the Sinhala and Tamil texts of this Act, the Sinhala text shall prevail. Sinhala text to prevail in case of inconsistency.

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