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PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL

Government Notifications

Direction No. 99

CONSUMER AFFAIRS AUTHORITY ACT, No. 9 OF 2003 (AMENDED)

Direction under Section 12 (2)

ACTING under the powers vested in it by Section 12(2) of the Consumer Affairs Authority Act, No. 9 of 2003, the Consumer Affairs Authority directs that no manufacturer, packer, distributor, transporter, store owner or trader shall manufacture, pack, distribute, transport, store, or sell or display for sale, expose for sale or offer for sale, wholesale or retail any items of locally manufactured products unless it bears the following SLS Product Certification Mark issued by the Sri Lanka Standards Institution.

Further directs, no importer, packer, distributor, transporter, store owner or trader shall import, pack, distribute, transport, store, or sell or display for sale, expose for sale or offer for sale, wholesale or retail any items of imported products mentioned covered by the below specifications unless it has been inspected and approved for sale under the Import Inspection Scheme operated by the Sri Lanka Standards Institution under the Imports (Standardization and Quality Control) Regulation 2006 made under Section 20 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, No. 01 of 1969, as amended by Act, No. 48 of 1985 and Act, No. 28 of 1987.

- (i) Sri Lanka Standard Specification for Single use sanitary towels (SLS 1732)
- (ii) Sri Lanka Standard Specification for single-use ultra-thin/slim sanitary towels (SLS 1748)

This directive is subject to all future amendments made by the Sri Lanka Standards Institution to the above Standards.



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PART I : SEC. (I) - GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY OF THE DEMOCRATIC SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF SRI LANKA - 09.07.2026

This Direction shall come into effect from 08th October, 2026.

By Order of the Consumer Affairs Authority,

S. M. D. SURIYAKUMARA,
Chairman (*Acting*).

Colombo.
09th July, 2026.

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