PART 1: SECTION (1) - GENERAL

Government Notifications

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THE NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL ACT NO 47 OF 1980

Order under Section 23W

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Section 23W of the National Environmental Act, No 47 of 1980, I, Rukman Senanayake, Minister of Environment and Natural Resources, do by this Order:

(1) Prohibit the use of the substances specified in the Schedule hereto, with effect from October 15, 2003 from being used for any new process, trade or industry as being Ozone depleting substances, which will endanger the quality of the Environment:

Provided that the said substances specified in the Schedule hereto, may be used for the limited purpose of servicing equipment or industrial plants already in operation or which have been installed prior to January 01, 2000.

(2) The Order published in Gazette Extraordinary No. 850/4 of December 20, 1994 is hereby rescinded.

SCHEDULE

Code	Symbol	Substance
CFC - 11 (R 11) CFC - 12 (R 12) CFC - 113 (R 113) CFC - 114 (R 114) CFC - 115 R 115)	$CFCl_3$ CF_2Cl_2 $C_2F_3Cl_2$ $C_2F_4Cl_2$ C_2F_5Cl	Trichlorofluoromethane Dichlorodifluoromethane Trichlorofluoroethane Dichlorodifluromethane Chloropentafluroethane
Halon – 1211 Halon – 1301 Halon - 2402	CF_2BrC1 CF_2Br CF_4Br_2	Bromochlorodifluoromethane Bromotrifluoromethane Dibromotetrafluroethane
CFC - 13 CFC - 111 CFC - 112 CFC - 211	CF_3Cl C_2FCl_5 $C_2F_2Cl_4$ 3_3FCl_7	Chlorotrifluromethane Pentachlorofluroethane Tetrachlorodifluroethane Heptachlorofluropropane
CFC - 212 CFC - 213 CFC - 214 CFC - 215 CFC - 216 CFC - 217	$C_3F_2Cl_6$ $C_3F_3Cl_5$ $C_3F_4Cl_4$ $C_3F_5Cl_3$ $C_3F_6Cl_2$ C_3F_7Cl	Hexachlorodifluropropane Pentachlorotrifluropropane Tetrachlorotetrafluroprone Trichloropentafluropropane Dichlorohexafluropropane Chloroheptafluropropane

RUKMAN SENANAYAKE Minister of Environment And Natural Resources

Colombo, 10th October, 2003.