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ལྷན་རྒྱུས་གཞུང་ཚོགས་ཡིག་ཚང་།  
Cabinet Secretariat  
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Secretary  
Ministry of Finance  
Tashichhodzong

**SUB: LEVY OF IMPORT DUTY ON VANASPATI AND COPPER INDUSTRIES**

Sir,

The Government has approved the levy of customs duty on the import of the following items with effect from July 1, 2008:

- a) Nu.2.00 per kg for import of crude palm oil and crude palmolein oil used as raw material in vanaspati industries, for those companies that are importing free of duty with convertible currency earnings from their subsidiary units; and
- b) Nu.1.50 per kg for import of copper as raw material by copper industries, for those companies that are importing copper free of duty with convertible currency earnings from their own units.

This letter has reference to the 8<sup>th</sup> session of the Lhengye Zhungtshog held on June 17, 2008.

Yours sincerely,

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Cabinet Secretary

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- 1. Hon'ble Minister, MoF, for kind information
- 2. Personal Secretary to Hon'ble Prime Minister, for information and record

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