



**DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE  
CENTRAL BANK OF SRI LANKA**

**DIRECTIONS No. 01 OF 2019 UNDER FOREIGN EXCHANGE ACT, No. 12 of 2017**

**Directions issued to Authorized Dealers on Payments for Imports made on Advance Payment (Cash-in-Advance) Terms**

In terms of Section 3 read with Section 16 of the Foreign Exchange Act, No. 12 of 2017 (the Act), Authorized Dealers are hereby informed that the Directions No. 01 of 2018 dated 10 October 2018 on restricting release of foreign exchange for making payments for import of non-essential consumer goods under the advance payment (Cash-in-Advance) terms is withdrawn from the date of these Directions.

**Director-Department of Foreign Exchange**

**26 March 2019**