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THE CONTROL OF GOODS ACT, 1962  
(Act No. 6 of 1962)

THE CONTROL OF GOODS (PROHIBITION ON IMPORTED CIGARETTES) Short title.  
(POSSESSION, SALE, PURCHASE AND CONSUMPTION) RULES, 1989.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon him by subsection (1) of section 4 of the Control of Goods Act, 1962 the President, acting in accordance with the advice of the Cabinet, hereby makes the following rules:—

1. In these rules unless the context otherwise requires—  
“Cigarette” means any cigarette other than cigarettes manufactured in Sierra Leone;  
Interpretation.
2. No person shall possess, sell, purchase, distribute, consume or deal in the item “Cigarettes” listed under the heading “Goods the importation of which is absolutely prohibited” in the Schedule to the Customs (Imports and Exports) Order, 1988.  
Prohibition on possession, sale, purchase, distribution and consumption of imported cigarettes banned under P.N. No. 83 of 1988.
3. Any person who contravenes the provisions of these rules shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction—  
Offence and penalty.
  - (a) to a fine not exceeding twelve thousand leones or imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year, or to both such fine and imprisonment; and

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(b) to the forfeiture to the State of the cigarettes in connection with which the offence is committed.

MADE this 7th day of August, 1989.

Issued under my hand,

J. B. DAUDA,  
*Minister of Trade.*