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LICENSING) ACT**

CHAPTER 425

**Act No.
21 of 1992**

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An Act to provide for the licensing of private warehouses.

Be it enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the House of Assembly of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and by the authority of the same, as follows.

[Act No. 21 of 1992 amended by SRO 20 of 1992, SRO 41 of 2007.]

[Date of commencement: *1st January, 1992.*]

1. Short title and commencement

This Act may be cited as the Customs (Private Warehouses Licensing) Act, 1992, and shall be deemed to have come into operation on 1st January, 1992.

2. Interpretation

In this Act, "**warehouse**" means a private warehouse approved under section 23 of the Customs Act.

3. Licence

As from the commencement of this Act every warehouse shall be licensed in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

4. Duration of licence

Every licence issued shall be valid for one year from the date on which it was granted.

5. Application for licence

A proprietor of a warehouse who wishes to obtain a licence for his warehouse shall apply in writing to the Commissioner of Customs forwarding—

(a) evidence of approval of the warehouse under section 23 of the Customs Act;

(b) the appropriate fee prescribed in the Schedule hereunder,

who shall issue a licence to the applicant.

6. Offence and penalty

A proprietor who fails to register his warehouse within three months of the commencement of this Act commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars.

7. Power to amend Schedule

The Minister may, from time to time, by Order increase or vary the fee prescribed in the Schedule, and may in addition prescribe an appropriate method of computation of such fees.

SCHEDULE

[Section 5(b). Schedule amended by SRO 20 of 1992 and SRO 41 of 2007.]

Fees

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| 1. For every closed warehouse | – \$750.00 |
| 2. For every open warehouse | – \$1,000.00 |

Note.—1% of the value of the bond shall be charged instead of the annual fee where this amount is greater.

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SUBSIDIARY LEGISLATION

No Subsidiary Legislation
