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ROYAL GOVERNMENT OF BHUTAN MINISTRY OF FINANCE TASHICHHODZONG THIMPHU

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January 16, 2025

NOTIFICATION

Subject: Notification on the enactment of the Cattle Tax Exemption Act of Bhutan 2024

This is to notify general public that the 2nd Session of the Fourth Parliament of the Kingdom of Bhutan has enacted the Cattle Tax Exemption Act of Bhutan 2024 and becomes effective from the day it was introduced by the Finance Minister in the National Assembly of Bhutan corresponding to November 15, 2024.

The Cattle Tax Exemption Act of Bhutan 2024 has been enacted to stimulate agriculture growth, enhance livestock productivity and improve the livelihood of farmers and highland communities, thereby contributing to the broader economic and social development of rural areas.

This Act also repeals subsection (c) of Section 57 of the Local Government Act of Bhutan.

This Notification, issued as per Section 5 of the Cattle Tax Exemption Act of Bhutan 2024 shall supersede all previous Notifications, Circulars & Rules and Regulations.

(Lekey Dorji)

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