

**I assent,**

**CUTHBERT M SEBASTIAN**

*Governor-General*

*14<sup>th</sup> March 2001.*



**SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS**

**No. 3 of 2001**

AN ACT to make provision for the imposition of Environmental Levy on the importation of used motor vehicles.

(1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2001.)

**Commencement.**

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the National Assembly of Saint Christopher and Nevis and by the authority of the same as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the Environmental Levy (Used Motor Vehicles) Act, 2001 and shall be deemed to have come into effect on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 2001.

**Short title and Commencement.**

- 2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, the word "Comptroller" means the Comptroller of Customs as appointed under the Customs (Control and Management) Act, 1992; "Minister" means the Minister responsible for Finance; "motor vehicle" means any mechanically propelled vehicle manufactured or adapted for use on roads.

**Interpretation.**

3. This Act shall be administered by the Comptroller.

**Administration.**

4. (1) There is imposed on all motor vehicles imported into Saint Christopher and Nevis an environmental levy as provided in the Schedule.

**Environmental Levy.**

**Schedule.**

(2) The levy imposed by subsection (1) shall be collected by the Customs Department and paid into the Consolidated Fund.

(3) Save as permitted by or under this Act or any other enactment relating to customs, no imported used motor vehicle shall be delivered or removed on importation until the importer has paid to the proper officer an environmental levy chargeable thereon, and that levy shall, in the case of a motor vehicle of which entry is made, be paid on making the entry.