



## Export Customs Guide **MYANMAR**

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| GOODS                                  | DOCUMENTS REQUIRED   | CUSTOMS PRESCRIPTIONS   | REMARKS  |
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| <p><b>Removal Goods</b></p>            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ End of Employment Letter</li> <li>▪ Authorization Letter</li> <li>▪ Courtesy letter to Customs Department</li> <li>▪ Copy of Passport Front Page</li> <li>▪ Copy of Entry Stamp</li> <li>▪ Copy of Business Visa Page</li> <li>▪ Copy of Departure Stamp</li> <li>▪ Copy of E-ticket</li> <li>▪ Original Import Declaration (ID) aka Release Order (RO) Notification</li> </ul>   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Flammable liquids or solids, Lithium Battery as well as Dry Cell Alkaline Batteries such as typical AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt, or button sized batteries that power most common small electrical or electronic items, Food stuff, Kitchen cutlery, Weapon, Swords, Knives, etc. are NOT recommend into the air shipment.</li> <li>▪ We recommend checking with the destination agent in advance for the specific information on the updated customs rules &amp; regulations applying for other goods importation.</li> <li>▪ All letters to the Customs Office must be with Myanmar company letterhead, Stamp and Signature.</li> </ul> |
| <p><b>Diplomatic Removal Goods</b></p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ For Embassy:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Approval from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA)</li> <li>▪ Authorization Letter of Embassy</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ For UN Organizations:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Approval from the foreign Economic Relation Department (FERD)</li> <li>▪ Authorization Letter of UN Organization</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Same as above</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The Embassy / UN Organizations can usually apply the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) / Foreign Economic Relation Department (FERD) Approval for all export.</li> <li>▪ Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) / Foreign Economic Relation Department (FERD) Approval can take around 2-3 weeks.</li> </ul>   |

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| <b>World Bank/IFC/ADB Removal Goods</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Tax Exemption Certificate (TEC) Approval from Ministry of Finance + Customs Request Letter</li> <li>▪ Authorization letter</li> <li>▪ Customs Request Letter</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Same as above</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ World Bank/IFC/ADB is only able to deal with Ministry of Planning &amp; Finance (MOPF) to apply the approval for all export.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Antique/Religious Items</b>          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Original Invoice(s)</li> <li>▪ Archaeology Approval</li> <li>▪ Export Permit</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ If the antique(s)/religious items was not declared upon arrival to Myanmar, they are prohibited to be exported. Customs does not allow exporting of any antiques or religious items.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ The approval of the customs department is very important on the antique/religious items even though the shipper can provide each required documents, approval etc., the customs department will decide case by case whether it should be provided the export approval or not depending on the rules &amp; regulations.</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Motor Vehicle Export</b>             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>For Embassy:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Approval from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA)</li> <li>▪ Authorization Letter of Embassy</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ <b>For UN Organizations:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Approval from the Foreign Economic Relation Department (FERD)</li> <li>▪ Authorization Letter of UN Organization</li> </ul> </li> <li>▪ <b>For World Bank/IFC/ADB:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Approval from Ministry of Finance</li> <li>▪ Authorization letter</li> <li>▪ Customs Request Letter</li> <li>▪ Original Export Import Permit of World Bank/IFC, ADB</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Only diplomats, UN organizations, World Bank/IFC, ADB's members can be exported.</li> <li>▪ The Embassy / UN Organizations can usually apply the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) / Foreign Economic Relation Department (FERD) Approval for all vehicle export.</li> <li>▪ World Bank/IFC/ADB is only able to deal with Ministry of Planning &amp; Finance (MOPF) to apply the approval for all export.</li> <li>▪ Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MOFA) / Foreign Economic Relation Department (FERD)/Ministry of Planning &amp; Finance (MOPF) Approval can take around 3-4 weeks.</li> </ul> |
| <b>Motorcycle Export</b>                |   |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Motorcycle export is not allowed in personal effects shipment.</li> </ul>   |

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| <p><b>Prohibited Items</b></p> |                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Cosmetics</li> <li>▪ Skin Care</li> <li>▪ Battery</li> <li>▪ Alcoholic Beverages and Any Liquid/ Chemical</li> <li>▪ Firearms &amp; Ammunition</li> <li>▪ Buddha head, Buddha and monk Statues</li> <li>▪ Teak Furniture/Decoration Items</li> <li>▪ Short wave Radios</li> <li>▪ Pornographic literature</li> <li>▪ Narcotics</li> <li>▪ Antique items</li> <li>▪ Any Religious Items</li> <li>▪ Non-branded drugs</li> <li>▪ Firearms (Inc. gas pistols, electric shock batons, stun guns and similar weapons, ammunition and explosive (Inc. flares incorporating a barrel)</li> <li>▪ Indecent or obscene video cassettes, DVDs, films, books, magazines and other articles, Flick knives, butterfly knives and certain other offensive weapons and some material arts weapons</li> <li>▪ Counterfeit currency</li> <li>▪ Meat and poultry, many other animal products</li> <li>▪ Food stuffs</li> <li>▪ Plants and plant procedure including trees &amp; shrubs, potatoes and certain other vegetables, fruit, bulbs&amp; seeds, Animals and birds, whether alive or dead (egg, stuffed), parts and articles derived from protected species Inc. Fur skin, ivory, reptile leather and goods made from them.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Flammable liquids or solids, Lithium Battery as well as Dry Cell Alkaline Batteries such as typical AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt, or button sized batteries that power most common small electrical or electronic items, Food stuff, Kitchen cutlery, Weapon, Swords, Knives, etc. are NOT recommend into the air shipment.</li> </ul> |

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| <p><b>Live Animal (Dogs &amp; Cats)</b></p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Copy of shipper's passport front page &amp; immigration stamp</li> <li>▪ Copy of shipper air ticket</li> <li>▪ 24 Hours contact phone Number</li> <li>▪ Shipper origin and destination address and contact number</li> <li>▪ Cage Photo, Dimension: Total gross weight</li> <li>▪ Pet Photo front &amp; side in colour</li> <li>▪ <u>Original</u> Veterinary Health Certificate for Dogs/Cats</li> <li>▪ <u>Original</u> Vaccination Certificate</li> <li>▪ <u>Original</u> Microchip records / certificates</li> <li>▪ <u>Original</u> Rabies/vaccinations of the pets</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Export Permit/Licence is not required.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Veterinary Health Certificate, Vaccination Certificate, Microchip Records/Certificates, Rabies/Vaccinations of Pets must be applied by the pet's owner.</li> </ul> |



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