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GOODS	DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	CUSTOMS PRESCRIPTIONS	REMARKS
Personal Effects	 Foreigners: Copy of passport, page with photo and 70-day visa page with last entry stamped by Myanmar immigration. Copy of company registration letter/MOU Air ticket copy Original boarding pass Authority letter to your local agent printed on company letterhead. Appointment letter from local employer. Returning Citizens: Official letter from overseas organisation stating date of employment, position Income tax slips that were issued by Myanmar Embassy Return air ticket / copy of passport and copy of airport entry stamp page Original boarding pass Copy of Myanmar NRC card / family member card. Diplomats: Same as above Approval from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and authorisation letter from the embassy. UN Organisations: 		 All shipments are subject to inspection (except diplomats). Shipment must arrive within 3 months of date of last arrival in the country. Custom clearance for HHGs for foreigners will take a minimum of 14 days. Demurrage and port storage will have to be paid. Duties are compulsory in Myanmar and at the discretion of the customs office. Around USD 300 for 1x20' container up to USD 600 for 1x40' (estimates). All new electrical items are subject to duties. Returning Citizens: Returning citizens must have spent a minimum of one full year abroad. Diplomats: Diplomates shipments are exempt from duties. Clearance should take 7-10 working days. You need to immediately apply for a TEC permit from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs through the client's office, once the shipping documents are ready, to avoid additional port storage / demurrage fees.

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Motor Vehicles		 Importation of motor vehicles is not allowed in Myanmar except for diplomats. Motorcycles cannot be imported. 	
Prohibited Items		 Firearms and ammunition Shortwave radio Pornographic literature Narcotics Indecent or obscene video cassettes, DVDs, etc. Weapons Meat, including poultry Many other animal products. 	

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