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GOODS	DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	CUSTOMS PRESCRIPTIONS	REMARKS
Removal goods - EU and non EU citizens	<ul> <li>Copy of inventory list in English.</li> <li>Inventory list in Hungarian (your local FIDI agent will arrange the translation). Original hardcopy signed out by the shipper is required.</li> <li>Copy of passport.</li> <li>Power of attorney (authorisation to clear the shipment given by the client to the agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Declaration from the shipper on changing the residence and that he/she has possessed the HHG for more than six months. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Value declaration from shipper stating the customs value of the imported items. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Employment certificate – declaration from the employer at origin indicating shipper's name, job title, employment period with starting and termination dates and full residence address at origin - original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Documents which prove that shipper has lived outside of EU for more than 12 months before moving to Hungary (copy of residence permit from origin country, visa copy, copy of utility bills for the last 12 months of residence, copy of lease/purchasing contract). Customs has the right to request other supporting documents.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Duty free, subject to re-exportation.</li> <li>Customs clearance in Hungary is for indefinite period.</li> <li>Customs accepts supporting documents in English, French German or Hungarian.</li> <li>No alcohol and food.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Effective 21.01.2024, customs examination is performed at the relevant customs office based on the Hungarian registered address of the shipper.</li> <li>Due to this, exact information can be given once the Hungarian address card/accommodation report or lease contract of the shipper is available.</li> <li>Customs has the right to ask additional documents supporting the duty-free entry of the shipment.</li> <li>In some cases, shipper should be presented in person at the time of the clearance</li> <li>Number of shipments is not limited.</li> <li>Duty free import customs clearance is possible only within 12 months from the relocation date (issue date of residence permit).</li> <li>All required documents must be approved by Customs prior to the arrival of shipment to Hungary.</li> </ul>

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Removal goods - Returning Hungarians	<ul> <li>Copy of inventory list in English.</li> <li>Inventory list in Hungarian (Your local FIDI agent will arrange the translation). Original hardcopy signed out by the shipper is required.</li> <li>Copy of passport.</li> <li>Power of attorney (authorisation to clear the shipment given by the client to the agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Declaration from the shipper on changing the residence and that he/she has possessed the HHG for more than six months. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Value declaration from shipper stating the customs value of the imported items. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Employment certificate – declaration from the employer at origin indicating shipper's name, job title, employment period with starting and termination dates and full residence address at origin - original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Documents which prove that shipper has lived outside of EU for more than 12 months before moving to Hungary (copy of residence permit from origin country, visa copy, copy of utility bills for the last 12 months of residence , copy of lease/purchasing contract). Customs has the right to request other supporting documents.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Duty free, subject to re-exportation.</li> <li>Customs clearance in Hungary is for indefinite period.</li> <li>Customs accepts supporting documents in English, French German or Hungarian.</li> <li>No alcohol and food.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Effective 21.01.2024, customs examination is performed at the relevant customs office based on the Hungarian registered address of the shipper.</li> <li>Due to this exact information can be given once the Hungarian address card/accommodation report or lease contract of the shipper is available.</li> <li>Customs has the right to ask additional documents supporting the duty-free entry of the shipment.</li> <li>In some cases, shipper should be presented in person at the time of the clearance</li> <li>Imported items cannot be sold or leased. If client wants to leave these items behind he has to pay duty on them.</li> <li>Number of shipments is not limited.</li> <li>All required documents must be approved by Customs prior to the arrival of shipment to Hungary.</li> </ul>

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	<ul> <li>GDPR declaration.</li> <li>Copy of Hungarian ID card or passport.</li> <li>Copy of the Hungarian address card</li> <li>Copy of the Hungarian TAX card.</li> </ul>		
Diplomatic shipment	<ul> <li>Copy of diplomatic passport or Hungarian diplomatic card.</li> <li>Duty free request form issued by the receiving Embassy in Hungary with apostil from the Protocol department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.</li> <li>VPID number.</li> <li>Copy of inventory list in English.</li> <li>Inventory list in Hungarian (Your local FIDI agent will arrange the translation). Original hardcopy signed out by the shipper with apostil from the Protocol department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is required.</li> <li>Power of attorney (authorisation to clear the shipment given by the client to the agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Value declaration from shipper stating the customs value of the imported items. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>GDPR declaration.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Duty free for all imported shipments.</li> <li>No Alcohol and Food.</li> </ul>	All required documents must be approved by Customs prior to the arrival of shipment to Hungary.
Vehicles	<ul> <li>Registration certificate of the vehicle – original hardcopy.</li> <li>Invoice or purchasing contract – original hardcopy</li> <li>Value declaration from shipper stating the value of the imported vehicle. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Power of attorney (authorization given by the client to the customs agent) – original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Declaration from the shipper on changing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>U.S. made cars may need technical modification.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The shipper should own the car for at least 6 months before moving to Hungary.</li> <li>After customs clearance the car has to be checked at 'Technical Test Station". Only cars that meet the European standards can pass technical test.</li> </ul>

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	<ul> <li>the residence. Original required.</li> <li>Declaration from the shipper that he/she has possessed the vehicle for more than six months. Original hardcopy required.</li> <li>Photos from the 4 sides of the vehicle, the speed meter and serial number.</li> <li>GDPR declaration.</li> </ul>		
Alcohol	<ul> <li>Same as Removal Goods.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Contact your destination agent for details.</li> </ul>
Tobacco		<ul> <li>Maximum quantity allowed to be imported:</li> <li>500 cigarettes.</li> <li>50 cigars or 500 gr. tobacco.</li> </ul>	
Medicine		<ul> <li>Imported duty-free with the general practitioner's written confirmation that the kind and quantity of the medicine is necessary to the treatment of the client.</li> </ul>	
Foodstuff			<ul> <li>Contact the destination agent for details.</li> </ul>
Plants and vegetable products	<ul><li>Same as for Removal Goods.</li><li>Phytosanitary certificate.</li></ul>		<ul> <li>Contact your local FIDI agent for more details when planning to move plants.</li> </ul>
Dogs, cats, birds	<ul><li>As for Removal Goods.</li><li>Veterinary certificate.</li></ul>		<ul> <li>Please, contact your local FIDI agent for more details when planning to move animals.</li> </ul>
Prohibited Items		<ul> <li>Weapons and explosives.</li> <li>Drugs and narcotics.</li> <li>Pornographic or obscene material.</li> <li>Radio transmitters.</li> </ul>	

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