



CUSTOMS REGULATIONS AND INFORMATION FOR IMPORTS

HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PERSONAL EFFECTS

Documents Required

- Copy of Passport
- Residence Visa
- Detailed inventory
- Letter of Employment
- Original Bill of Lading Air (OBL) / Air Waybill (AWB)
- Diplomatic Franchise (Diplomats)

Specific Information

- All shipments are subject to the payment of Customs duties.
- The shipper must be present for Customs clearance.

MOTOR VEHICLES

Documents Required

- Title / Registration
- OBL

Specific Information

- Automobiles, motorcycles, lorries, omnibuses, (including mini buses, tractors and trailers require the approval of the Controller of Customs prior to import.

PETS

Documents Required

- Vaccination Record
- Veterinary Health Certificate
- Import License

Specific Information

- All pets are subject to quarantine. The length of time varies and depends on the country from which the animal is imported.
- The Import License must be obtained prior to import.

RESTRICTED / DUTIABLE ITEMS

- The following items require the permission of the Controller of Customs:
 - Live plants or plant materials
 - Persian glue
 - Rice paddy and products thereof
 - Sugar and salt
 - Converted timber

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- Alcohol
- Radioactive materials
- Cigarettes (200) and loose tobacco (250 g)
- The following items are dutiable:
 - Coffee, roasted, non-roasted and instant
 - Tea
 - Grease
 - Carpet and other textile floor coverings
 - Wood and wood products
 - Electrical items
 - Musical instruments
 - Jewelry, including imitation jewelry
 - Cosmetics, perfumes, shampoo, etc.
 - New items

PROHIBITED ITEMS

- Arms and ammunition
- Illegal drugs
- Pigs imported from Thailand
- SALK polio vaccines
- Gambling devices
- JAVA sparrows
- Firecrackers
- Cigarettes without health warning imprinted on the package
- Vaccines of Chinese Taipei origin

CONSIGNMENT INSTRUCTIONS

Recommended: Contact the destination agent to ensure all requirements have been met prior to import, especially for differences regarding air / sea shipments.

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Helpful Website(s):

<http://www.brunembassy.org>

http://travel.state.gov/travel/cis_pa_tw/cis/cis_1073.html

<http://www.mof.gov.bn/English/RCE/CustomsMatters/CustomsProcedures/CustomTaxes/Pages/default.aspx>