

INTERNATIONAL MAIL AND COURIER SHIPMENTS



Customs control procedure for mail and courier shipments transported through the customs border of the Republic of Uzbekistan



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What are international mail and courier shipments?



INTERNATIONAL MAIL SHIPMENTS
addressed written letters in appropriate packaging, printed and other mailings;



INTERNATIONAL COURIER SHIPMENTS
leaflets, postcards, banners, printed items delivered hand-to-hand in short periods of time, publications and other dispatches

PURPOSES OF INTERNATIONAL MAIL AND COURIER SHIPMENTS DELIVERY :



FOR PERSONAL NEEDS

goods transported by individuals across the customs border for personal, family (parents, spouse and children) needs and not related to the implementation of entrepreneurship or other commercial activities,



FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES

goods intended for production, business or other commercial activities carried across the customs border

Documents to be submitted

The following documents are valid as a customs declaration for shipments:

Documents stipulated in the acts of the Universal Postal Union;

for goods sent to the address of individuals by international mail, the value of which is up to thirty times the amount of the base calculation unit to the address of individuals for non-commercial purposes, as well as legal entities



Commercial documents

for goods sent by international courier to the address of individuals for non-commercial purposes, as well as to the address of legal entities up to thirty times the amount of the base calculation unit



In other cases, the declaration of goods sent in consignments is carried out by issuing a customs cargo declaration.



INTERNATIONAL MAIL SHIPMENTS



100 \$

Per Shipment*
For individuals and Legal Entities 100 \$



INTERNATIONAL COURIER SHIPMENTS



1000 \$

Per Calendar Quarter*
100 \$ to legal entities (For each shipment)



when goods are transported for commercial purposes, the general rules of customs clearance are applied.



Such benefits are not provided when goods are transported for commercial purposes.



Goods not included in the category of goods imported by individuals for their personal needs



Central heating boilers



Mowers for lawns



Solariums for tanning in the sun.



Medical equipment



Medical, surgical, dental furniture



Barber's chair



equipment for photo laboratories.



equipment intended for demonstration purposes



Internal combustion engines.



Coins, banknotes, bank cards, tokens

Customs control:



Delivered shipments are opened by postal operators and providers in the presence of an official of the customs body.

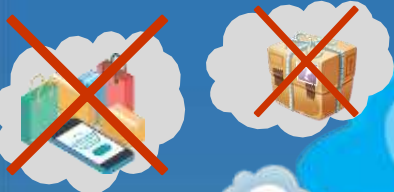


Customs inspection by opening shipments is carried out by an official of the customs body and two employees of the postal operator or provider.



International mail and courier shipments can be opened by customs officers and without the presence of their owners

Are there any restrictions for the import of international mail and courier shipments?



Prohibited and restricted goods for import



drugs



materials of terrorism, extremism and pornography



ethyl alcohol



explosives



drones



pyrotechnics



game machines



laser beam machines



Restricted goods for import



Drugs



Weapons, military equipment, military property,



Civil and service weapons and ammunition



Psychotropic substances



Drones



Medicines



Dangerous items



Restricted goods for export



Drugs



Cultural heritage



Prohibited goods for import



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laser beam machines



Goods which require a licence



ozone depleting
substances



aluminum powder



firearms



high frequency
equipment



wild plants



wild animals



religious literature



cultural heritage

Frequently asked questions:



How is it determined for what purpose an individual is bringing mail and courier shipments, i.e. for his own needs or for commercial purposes?

According to the DECISION OF THE COURT OF MINISTERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN (14.08.2020) "ON THE APPROVAL OF THE REGULATION ON THE PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING THE PURPOSE OF TRANSPORTATION OF GOODS ACROSS THE CUSTOMS BORDER OF THE REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN BY NATURAL ENTITIES":

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6. When making a decision on determining the purpose of transportation of goods, the official of the customs body shall be based on the following criteria:

... b) when transporting goods purchased through international mail and international courier shipments, including in online stores of foreign countries:

- compatibility of the age of the recipient of international mail and international courier shipments with the characteristics of the goods sent to his address;
- repeated transportation of the same type of goods carried by one or more individuals living at the same address;
- the place where the natural entity is actually registered at the receiving address of the goods specified in the declaration



Is there an exemption from payment of fees for mail and courier shipments of legal entities?

According to the DECISION OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN (20.07.2018) "CONCERNING MEASURES TO ENSURE THE CONTROL OF GOODS ARRIVED BY INTERNATIONAL POST AND COURIER SHIPMENTS TO THE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN" (20.07.2018):

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Customs fees are not collected from goods worth 100 (one hundred) US dollars arriving in the name of legal entities through international mail and courier shipments.



In what cases does the individual have permission? Can he import mail and courier without presenting documents?

According to the DECISION OF THE COURT OF MINISTERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN "ON THE APPROVAL OF THE LISTS OF CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT FACILITIES THAT NEED CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT IN THE REPUBLIC OF UZBEKISTAN" (01.05.2021):

Permit for natural entities special documents are not required when importing non-commercial products and previously used (consumed) products (except for hunting and sports weapons) into the customs territory of the Republic of Uzbekistan through mail and courier shipments

PROCEDURE FOR CALCULATING CUSTOMS PAYMENTS ON MAIL AND COURIER SHIPMENTS



$$SCD = \frac{(CV + SC) * 30\%}{(\text{valyuta kursiga asosan so'mda hisoblanadi})} + Y$$

SCD- single customs duty

CV- customs value

Y- fee for issuing a customs import order

SC- shipping costs



Example:

During the quarter (three months), a total of 2 courier shipments were received in the name of the citizen, and the value and weight of the shipments are as follows:

1 - shipping cost is 500 USD per 7 kg; 2 - shipping cost is 520 USD per 3 kg;

Solution:

A total of 1,020 USD worth of shipments were received during the quarter, the excess of which is USD 20 and is subject to a single customs fee based on the formula.

In this case, transportation costs (for example, \$40) will be added to the 20 US dollars in excess of the norm, and a single customs fee of 30% will be calculated and collected in the national currency through clearance (for example, \$1 = 11,300 soums). The customs fee for registration is equal to 25% of BCU (82,500 soums today).



$$SCD = (20 + 40) * 30\% = 18 \text{ US dollars} = 203\,400 + 82\,500 = 285\,900 \text{ soums}$$



Note: Customs fees are in national currency and are calculated according to the official exchange rate on the day of calculation.



**Thank you for your
attention!**

