

CoVid-19 Crisis - Exceptional measures - Submission of proofs of preferential origin

Website of DG TAXUD dedicated to exceptional measures: https://ec.europa.eu/taxation_customs/business/guidance-customs-issues-related-covid-19-emergency_en#heading_4

Situation as of 08/06/2020

		EXPORT Issuance of proofs of origin for the purpose of export under exceptional circumstances				IMPORT Acceptance of proofs of origin for the purpose of import under exceptional circumstances			Other information (public website address to explain the procedure, public contact point...)
		certificates normally issued (EUR.1, EUR-MED, A.TR)	copy of the original certificate signed and stamped	certificate (or a copy) with only a digital signature or a copy of it	incomplete certificate whose issuance might be checked with exporting country customs by importing country customs	copy of the original certificate signed and stamped	certificate (or a copy) with only a digital signature or a copy of it	incomplete certificate whose issuance might be checked with exporting country customs by importing country customs	
Pan-Euro-Mediterranean Countries	Albania	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted	Accepted	Not accepted	
	Algeria	Yes	Yes	N/A	N/A	Accepted An original certificate must be presented within 3 months	Accepted A retrospective certificate in accordance with the model and the provisions of the Association Agreement must be presented within 3 months	Not accepted	fiscalite@douane.gov.dz www.douane.gov.dz
	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted Original to be presented within 120 days Movement certificates and the declaration of origin can also be accepted as proof of origin	Not accepted	Not accepted	
	Egypt	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted Guarantee required Original to be presented within 6 months	Accepted Guarantee required Original to be presented within 6 months	Not accepted	
	Faroes	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted	Not accepted	Not accepted	
	Georgia	Yes	N/A	System currently in development	N/A	Accepted Original to be presented on request after the notification of the Commission regarding the end of the emergency measures application	Accepted	Not accepted	webpage: www.rs.ge ; e-mail: t.sulaberidze@rs.ge ; a.chelidze@rs.ge
	Iceland	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted, with the later presentation of the original upon request	Accepted	Not accepted	
	Israel	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted	Accepted In accordance with the country of export guidelines	Not accepted	For Export purposes the Israeli Customs Directorate has maximized the use of "approved exporter" status For Import purposes the Israeli Customs Directorate has maximized the use of "Invoice Declaration" status https://www.israel-trade.net/coronaupdates
	Jordan	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted Guarantee required Original should be presented in 60 Days	For Export purposes the Israeli Customs Directorate has maximized the use of "approved exporter" status For Import purposes the Israeli Customs Directorate has maximized the use of "Invoice Declaration" status.	Accepted Guarantee required Original should be presented in 60 Days	In case of no presentation of any certificate, the preferential treatment is also granted provided that the original certificate is presented within 60 days. (Financial guarantee is required)
	Kosovo*	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted No guarantee required	Not accepted	Not accepted	
	Lebanon								
	Liechtenstein	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted	Accepted	Not accepted	CoVid19 information import certificates of origin
	North Macedonia	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted Guarantee required	Under consideration. Legal act proposed to the Government for Adoption and to be valid only during the special circumstances	Under consideration. Legal act to be adopted only to be valid during the special circumstances because of the Corona virus.	http://www.customs.gov.mk/index.php/mk/

Pan-Euro-Mediterranean Countries	The Republic of Moldova	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted No guarantee required Original should be presented within 30 days from the end of the crisis period	Accepted No guarantee required Original should be presented within 30 days from the end of the crisis period	Not accepted	
	Montenegro	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted Guarantee required Later presentation of the original will be required	Not accepted	Not accepted	
	Morocco	Duly signed certificates are for the moment issued	Duly signed certificates are for the moment issued	N/A	In case copies of non-signed certificates were issued, they could be seen in the Morocco's customs website by looking for serial number	Accepted No guarantee required	Accepted No guarantee required	Can accept copies of non-duly signed certificates if their issuance can be verified No guarantee required	Certificates are stored and made available on-line in a database (http://www2.douane.gov.ma/certificat/angular/#/searchCertificat), searching by the serial number of the certificate and the reference of the declaration in box 11 of the certificate.
	Norway	Yes	Yes	Yes	N/A	Accepted No guarantee required	Accepted No guarantee required	Not accepted	https://www.toll.no/
	Palestine**	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted Guarantee is required Presentation of the original certificate in 120 days	Accepted - in case the certificate holds a secure verification number and a a website link	Not accepted	
	Serbia	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted Needs to be marked as "COPY" Original will be requested after 30 days (extended during CoVid 19)	Potentially upon clarification	Not possible but special procedure in case of no certificate or copy: duty has to be paid but is reimbursed upon presentation of the EUR1	
	Switzerland	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted	Accepted	Not accepted	CoVid19 information import certificates of origin
	Tunisia	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted for the EU members states Guarantee required	Accepted for the EU member states Guarantee required	N/A	
	Turkey	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	Accepted without any guarantee (provided that the documents could be verified via (a) web-site of which address is printed on them if any or (b) e-mail addresses provided by the competent authorities of the exporting party)	Accepted without any guarantee (provided that the documents could be verified via (a) web-site of which address is printed on them if any or (b) e-mail addresses provided by the competent authorities of the exporting party)	Not accepted	There will be announcements on the official website of the Ministry of Trade soon.
	Ukraine	Yes	Yes	N/A	N/A	Accepted	Not accepted	Accepted	The copy of the original certificate can be verified via request to the e-mail address: origin@customs.gov.ua

*This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo Declaration of Independence

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