

GEORGIA

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Used household Goods & Personal Effects (status non-Diplomatic) foreigner and /or Georgian citizen

Documents Required

- Shipper's Passport copy
- Shipper's Georgian ID copy (if Georgian citizen)
- General Packing list (which is prepared during Packing by local agent)
- Detailed list (prepared by local agent)
- Proforma invoice (will be provided by local agent)
- Notarized Power of Attorney (text to be provided by local agent)
- If shipper is a foreign citizen, the local agent will need the shipper's GEO Tax Registration number which (s)he must obtain at Revenue Service in Tbilisi or other main city (Poti/Batumi/Kutaisi)
- Export Permission from the Ministry of Culture for cultural items such as painting, carpets, antique, musical instruments (must be collected by the owner at the ministry of Culture in Georgia).
- Cargo AWB/CMR/BL copy

Customs Prescriptions

- Free from VAT /Tax & Duties.
- When the shipper is a Russian citizen, he/she cannot ship any electronic items.

Remarks

- Once all docs passed to GEO customs, cargo will enter the line: there is a system at customs which applies only non-diplomatic cargos, during export Customs clearance: once all docs are submitted to Customs, system shows light: either Yellow or Red:
- Yellow means everything is in order and clearance will be completed shortly;
- Red means Customs officer will check all docs properly again, open some boxes & expertise the contents according to provided docs and in case of any discrepancy shipper will be charged with Penalty – but this rarely applies for export cases.
- Prohibited items for exportation:
- Any musical instruments including Guitar, Grand or upright Pianos with elephant's Ivory keyboards manufactured since 1974,
- if after expertise its determined that manufacture is since 1974 CITEs certificate will be required & customs have right to confiscate the item even if certificate will be obtained & presented!
- Weapons of all kinds
- Pornography
- Narcotics
- Toxic material
- Radioactive material
- wildlife specimen/trophies

- plants/rocks/medicin
- any type of food/beverages
- for RU citizens not allowed to ship: any kind of office electronics that can carry/save the information, computers, printers, scanner, photo/video camera, memory card, drones, smart watches, smart vacuum cleaners etc..

Used household Goods & Personal Effects (Diplomatic)

Documents Required

- Shipper's Passport copy
- Shipper's Diplomatic Card copy
- General Packing list (which is prepared during Packing by local agent)
- Proforma invoice (will be provided by local agent)

Customs Prescriptions

- Free from VAT /Tax & Duties

Vehicle (Status Non-Diplomatic) Foreigner and/or Georgian citizen

Documents Required

- Shipper's Passport copy
- Shipper's Georgian ID copy (if Georgian citizen)
- Vehicle's condition report (which is prepared during pick up by local agent)
- Vehicles' technical passport copy
- Original proforma invoice (in case shipper is working at Organization) (draft will be provided by local agent)
- Original Notarized Power of Attorney (text that should be added will be provided by local agent)
- If shipper is foreign citizen, the local agent will need his/her addresses both in Georgia as well as per international passport country
- of origin
- Original deregistration docs + export declaration (which will be issued by Patrol/Police office in Rustali city)

Customs Prescriptions

- Free from VAT /Tax & Duties

Remarks

- When done deregistration of the vehicle in Georgia and export declaration is issued there will be a deadline to export the vehicle out of Georgia, which must be taken into consideration – this is very important to avoid a fine.

Vehicle (Diplomatic)

Documents Required

- Shipper's Passport copy
- Shipper's Diplomatic card copy
- Vehicle's condition report (which is prepared during pick up by local agent)
- Vehicles' technical passport copy
- Original proforma invoice from shipper's diplomatic organization (draft will be provided by local agent)
- Original letter "Power of Attorney" from shipper's diplomatic organization (draft will be

provided by local agent)

- Original Deregistration docs + export declaration (which will be issued by Patrul/Police office in Rustali city)

Customs Prescriptions

- Free from VAT /Tax & Duties

Remarks

- When done deregistration of the Vehicle in Georgia and export declaration is issued there will be Deadline to export the Vehicle out of Georgia, which must be taken into consideration to avoid a fine.