

INDIA

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USED HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PERSONAL EFFECTS - NON-DIPLOMATIC

Documents Required

- Passport copy with valid visa copy
- Air ticket
- Departure certificate
- Customs invoice
- Customs packing list
- Assignment letter
- Authority letters
- Shipping instructions
- Boarding pass & departure stamp on the passport

Customs Prescriptions

- The following documents duly signed are required for the customs clearance purpose in India:
- A copy of full set of passport (excluding the blank pages) along with Visa/FRRO.
- A copy of e-ticket with 13-digit E-ticket number and Boarding pass.
- A copy of Transfer letter/assignment letter.
- Some Indian customs documents in original.
- These documents will be provided by the moving agent to the customer for his signature and will be required in original for the customs clearance purpose in India.
- Departure Certificate.
- Boarding pass & departure stamp on the passport

RESTRICTED ITEMS

Documents Required

- Hazardous items:
- Perishables.
- Batteries.
- Please remove from all items, especially laptops.
- Open containers and bottled bleaches.
- Paints, thinners, chemicals, weed killers.
- Insecticides, other poisons, aerosol.
- Spray cans.
- Ammunition, flares, fireworks gasoline, oil, kerosene, lighter fluid or other combustible liquids.
- Propane tanks.

- Matches.
- Fire extinguishers.
- Hoverboards.
- High value items:
- Irreplaceable documents – birth or marriage certificates, passports, etc.
- Art work valued over \$5000 USD.
- Antiques – furniture or otherwise.
- Coin and stamp or other valuable.
- Collections Fur coats, wraps, etc.
- Jewelry – precious metals and stones.
- Money – currency, stocks, bonds, CDs etc.

Customs Prescriptions

- Local Customs or Law may prohibit the following items:
- Food Stuffs & Spices – including food flavorings containing alcohol.
- Films, Videos, and DVD's, CD's (Compact Disc), Vinyl records.
- May be confiscated and viewed to verify content – PG13 or R rated movies may be considered culturally
- offensive.
- Adult Literature – any books, videos, CDs, software, films or other media that might be considered culturally offensive or illegal in the host country.
- Controlled Substances – as defined by the home or host country.
- Prescription Drugs and Medications.
- Personal Computers and Electronic Games.
- PCs and laptops may be confiscated and data examined for unacceptable contents.
- Articles of endangered species – furs, skins, feathers, horns, ivory, shells, etc.
- Religious and political literature.
- Religious statues or ornaments – idols made of clay, metal, marble, glass, etc.
- Agricultural products (plants, potting soil, etc.).
- Cordless phones, short wave radios.
- Fur coats.
- Firearms and ammunitions.
- Weapons - knives, swords, etc. including decorative items.
- Paints and chemicals.
- Precious metals & stones.
- Satellite dishes.
- Dried flowers of bulbous variety.
- Poppy seeds in any form – spices, flour, dried, decorative, etc.
- Tobacco.
- Drones.

Remarks

- Please be advised that the drone export in any form is restricted and comes under the list of restricted goods. In case the assignee still wants to ship then he/she has to take prior approval from the Ministry of Defence, Ministry of External Affairs and the Directorate General of Foreign Trade before shipping the goods.