

This guide is compiled from the FIDI Customs Guide for reference only. Customs regulations change frequently; please consult your Seapoe relocation consultant for the latest requirements before shipping.

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Household goods and personal effects Foreign Passport Holder (All documents to provide 2 days before packing commence)

Documents Required

- The following documents are required.
- For each document, please ensure:
- It is signed by you (the client),
- It is signed and rubber-stamped by your legal employer in Cambodia.
- Copy of your passport
- Employment Identification (for FCL shipments only)
- Letter to Customs
- Letter of Authorization
- Note:
- Your agent will provide the necessary templates, which must be printed on your company's official letterhead.
- You must submit two (2) complete copies of all the above documents for each shipment.

Remarks

- The safety of your shipment is your agent primary concern. Please note the following:
- Federal law prohibits packing hazardous or restricted materials in any shipment.
- This includes many common household items (e.g., aerosols, cleaners, batteries) that can be dangerous during transport.
- Please ensure none of these items are packed to ensure a safe and compliant move.
- For the safety of everyone involved, please note that many common household items are prohibited from shipping due to fire and explosion risks.
- Why? Items like aerosol hairspray and chemical cleaners can build up extreme pressure when heated. This can cause them to explode, threatening the entire shipment and the lives of the transport crew.
- Your Responsibility: You must carefully review the list below and ensure none of these dangerous items are packed.
- Before packing, ensure your shipment
- complies with all regulations:
- Safety: Remove all hazardous household items (e.g., aerosols, cleaners).
- Customs: Verify that your items are permitted by your destination country's customs laws. This includes common goods like food, alcohol, and electronics, etc....

Household goods and personal effects - Diplomatic shipment (All documents to provide 2 days before packing commence)

Documents Required

- For each document, please ensure:

- It is signed by you (the client),
- It is signed and rubber-stamped by your legal employer in Cambodia:
- Copy of your passport or ID card
- Copy of Overseas work contract
- Application Letter
- & Power of Attorney
- Note:
- Your agent will provide the necessary templates, which must be printed on your company's official letterhead.
- You must submit two (2) complete copies of all the above documents for each shipment.

Customs Prescriptions

- Same as above

Remarks

- Same as above

Antique items / Buddha statues

Documents Required

- Application letter
- Passport copy
- Pictures and dimension of items
- Original receipt of purchase

Customs Prescriptions

- Export Restrictions for Art and Antiques - be aware of the following Cambodian regulations concerning the export of cultural and historical items:
- Reproductions & Decorative Items: Any statue or decorative item of historical or religious significance (even if it is a reproduction) requires an export permit
- from the Ministry of Fine Arts.
- Genuine Antiques: The export of genuine antiques is generally prohibited by Cambodian Customs unless the item meets the following condition:
- It was originally imported into Cambodia and properly registered with the Cultural Department.
- Proof of Import: If an antique was not declared to customs upon its arrival into the country, it will likely be prohibited from being exported.

Remarks

- Cultural Inspection:
- Your agent will arrange the required Cultural Department inspection.
- This adds approximately 7-14 working days to the timeline

Motorbike / Car

Documents Required

- Required Documents:
- Proof of Ownership & Eligibility
- De-registration Certificate: The original document, showing the motorcycle is no longer registered in Cambodia.
- Ownership Requirement: The motorcycle must have been registered in the shipper's name for at least one year.
- Proof of Purchase: The original purchase invoice.

- Client Identification
- Passport Copy: A copy of the shipper's passport, certified as a true copy by a Government Agency.
- National ID Card: A copy of the Cambodian National ID Card (for Cambodian citizens only).
- Authorization & Application
- Power of Attorney: A document
 - authorizing the agent to act on the client's behalf.
- Application Letter: A formal letter requesting the export of the motorcycle.
- Supporting Documentation
- Purchase Invoice: A copy of the original purchase invoice.
- Import Document: A copy of the document proving the motorcycle was originally imported into Cambodia.

Customs Prescriptions

- The Customs Department requires the original vehicle deregistration certificate.
- This document is essential. Export cannot proceed without it.

Prohibited Items

Customs Prescriptions

- Flammables
- Gasoline
- Butane
- Lighter Fluids
- Propane
- Chemicals
- Matches
- Wood oil stains
- Petrol-based garden sprays
- Signal Flares
- Charcoal briquettes
- Fresh fruits
- Flowers
- Combustible Liquids
- Lubricants,
- Antifreeze
- Photograph chemicals
- Explosives
- Fireworks
- Flash Bulbs
- Small arms ammunitions
- Live plants
- Compressed Gas
- Aerosol Cans
- Fire extinguishers
- Scuba diving tanks
- Corrosives
- Acids
- Drain cleaner
- Photograph chemicals
- Bleach

- Weed killers
- Chemicals
- Matches
- Wood oil stains
- Petrol-based garden sprays
- Air Freight: No Electronic Items permitted