

**Administrative Notice MCI/No.008/05/2013**

**Date: Wednesday, June 12, 2013**

**Ref: Updated List of Specific Products and Commodities Requiring Import Permit Declarations (IPDs)**

Whereas the Ministry of Commerce and Industry (MoCI) issued an Administrative Notice on June 26, 2012 (MCI/No.005/06/2012) limiting the application of Import Permit Declarations (IPDs) to products listed in the notice, and whereas the MoCI wishes to further reduce the list of products, it now, therefore, issues a further Administrative Notice on the following:

The list of products contained in the Administrative Notice (MCI/No.005/06/2012) of June 26, 2012 is cancelled and hereby replaced by the reduced list of products as set out below. Whereas previously IPDs were required for 27 categories of products, they are now required for only 17 categories of products. Effective **Wednesday, June 12, 2013**, IPDs will apply only to the products listed below:

1. Fresh or frozen meat and meat products, including poultry
2. Fresh and frozen fish and crustaceans
3. Fresh and frozen vegetables and tubers (*excluding* canned, preserved, or dried)
4. Fresh fruits and nuts (*excluding* canned, preserved, or dried)
5. Dairy produce, including milk, cream, butter, cheese and eggs (*excluding* powder)
6. Bottled water and alcoholic beverages
7. Products of the milling industry, including rice, flour, and starches
8. Live animals, all types
9. Prescription medicines/pharmaceuticals and biological substances
10. Specialized medical, dental, or veterinary apparatus and equipment
11. Inorganic and organic products of the chemical industry, chemical elements, acids, and chemicals (e.g. lead, mercury, sodium, monosodium glutamate, formaldehyde, sulfuric acid), including ozone-depleting substances
12. Fertilizers containing nitrates
13. Petroleum products, including crude and refined oil and petroleum gases
14. Explosives, pyrotechnics, fireworks, and combustible liquid or gas preparations
15. Military tanks and weapons, arms and ammunition
16. Hazardous waste (including clinical waste, municipal waste, sewage sludge, and other wastes)
17. Building materials (including lime, cement, steel rods, plywood, PVC pipes, sheets of zinc, and ceramic flooring blocks)

The public is also put on notice that any products listed above which, after testing or analysis, are found to be non-compliant with nationally or internationally accepted quality standards, will be treated as prohibited imports and be subject to seizure or destruction action by Customs. Also note that the MoCI is in the process of electronically automating the issuance of permits through the implementation of the Automated System for Customs Data (ASYCUDA). Please check the Ministry's website, [www.moci.gov.lr](http://www.moci.gov.lr), for the full and detailed list of Harmonized System (HS) Customs Codes associated with these products.

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Ref: Updated HS Code List for Specific Products specified on IPD List

Corresponding Harmonized System (HS) Customs Codes for Products Requiring IPDs
<p><b>(1) Fresh or frozen meat and meat products, including poultry</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 2 of the tariff, <i>Meat and Edible Meat Offal</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 02.01 through 02.09</li> </ul>
<p><b>(2) Fresh and frozen fish and crustaceans</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 3 of the tariff, <i>Fish and Crustaceans</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 03.01, 03.02, 03.03, 03.04, 03.06, 03.07, and 03.08</li> </ul>
<p><b>(3) Fresh and frozen vegetables and tubers (excluding canned, preserved, or dried)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 7 of the tariff, <i>Edible Vegetables and Certain Roots and Tubers</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 07.01, 07.02, 07.03, 07.04, 07.05, 07.06, 07.07, 07.08, 07.09, 07.10, and 07.14</li> </ul>
<p><b>(4) Fresh fruits and nuts (excluding canned, preserved, or dried)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 8 of the tariff, <i>Edible Fruit and Nuts</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 08.01, 08.02, 08.04, 08.05, 08.07, 08.08, 08.09, 08.10, 08.11, and 08.14</li> <li>• In addition, it covers the specific HS codes noted below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Heading 08.03, including HS codes: 0803.10.10.00, 0803.90.10.00</li> <li>○ Heading 08.06, including HS codes: 0806.10.00.00</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>(5) Dairy produce, including milk, cream, butter, cheese, and eggs (excluding powder)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapters 4 and 21 of the tariff, <i>Dairy Produce/Eggs and Miscellaneous Edibles</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 04.01, 04.04, 04.05, 04.06, 04.07, and 21.05</li> <li>• In addition, it covers the specific HS codes noted below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Heading 04.03, including HS codes: 0403.10.10.00, 0403.10.20.00, 0403.10.30.00, 0403.10.90.00, 0403.90.19.00, 0403.90.99.00</li> <li>○ Heading 04.08, including HS codes: 0408.19.00.00, 0408.99.00.00</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>(6) Bottled water and alcoholic beverages</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 22 of the tariff, <i>Beverages and Spirits</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under headings 22.01 through 22.08</li> </ul>
<p><b>(7) Products of the milling industry, including rice, flour, and starches</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 10 of the tariff, <i>Cereals</i></li> <li>• It covers the specific HS codes noted below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Heading 10.06, including HS codes: 1006.10.10.00, 1006.10.90.00, 1006.20.00.00, 1006.30.10.10, 1006.30.10.20, 1006.30.10.30, 1006.30.10.40, 1006.30.10.90, 1006.40.00.00</li> <li>○ Heading 11.01, including HS code: 1101.00.00.00</li> <li>○ Heading 11.02, including HS codes: 1102.20.00.00, 1102.90.10.00, 1102.90.90.00</li> <li>○ Heading 11.08, including HS codes: 1108.11.10.00, 1108.11.90.00</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>(8) Live animals, all types</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 1 of the tariff, <i>Live Animals</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 01.01, 01.02, 01.03, 01.04, 01.05, and 01.06</li> </ul>
<p><b>(9) Prescription medicines/pharmaceuticals and biological substances</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 30 of the tariff, <i>Pharmaceutical Products</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 30.01, 30.02, 30.03, 30.04, 30.05, and 30.06</li> </ul>
<p><b>(10) Specialized medical, dental, or veterinary apparatus and equipment</b></p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 90 of the tariff, <i>Medical or Surgical Instruments and Apparatus</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 90.11, 90.12, 90.18, 90.20, 90.21, and 90.22</li> <li>• In addition, it covers the specific HS codes noted below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Heading 90.19, including HS code: 9019.20.00.00</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>(11) Inorganic and organic products of the chemical industry, chemical elements, acids, and chemicals (e.g. lead, mercury, sodium, monosodium glutamate, formaldehyde, sulfuric acid), including ozone-depleting substances</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapters 28 and 29 of the tariff, <i>Inorganic Chemicals</i> and <i>Organic Chemicals</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes in Chapter 28 under Headings 28.01 through 28.53</li> <li>• It covers all HS codes in Chapter 29 under Headings 29.01 through 29.42</li> </ul>
<p><b>(12) Fertilizers containing nitrates</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 31 of the tariff, <i>Fertilizers</i></li> <li>• It covers the specific HS codes noted below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Heading 31.02, including HS codes: 3102.10.00.00, 3102.30.00.00, 3102.40.00.00, 3102.50.00.00, 3102.60.00.00, 3102.80.00.00, 3102.90.00.00</li> <li>○ Heading 31.05, including HS codes: 3105.51.00.00</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>(13) Petroleum products, including crude and refined oil and petroleum gases</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 27 of the tariff, <i>Mineral Fuels and Mineral Oils</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 27.09 and 27.11</li> <li>• In addition, it covers the specific HS codes noted below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Heading 27.10, including HS codes: 2710.12.10.00, 2710.12.21.00, 2710.12.22.00, 2710.12.23.00, 2710.12.24.00, 2710.12.29.00, 2710.19.11.00, 2710.19.12.00, 2710.19.19.00, 2710.19.21.00, 2710.19.22.00, 2710.19.23.00, 2710.19.24.00, 2710.19.25.00, 2710.20.00.00, 2710.91.00.00, 2710.99.00.00</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>(14) Explosives, pyrotechnics, fireworks, and combustible liquid or gas preparations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 36 of the tariff, <i>Explosives and Pyrotechnic Products</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Headings 36.01, 36.02, 36.03, 36.04, 36.05, and 36.06</li> </ul>
<p><b>(15) Military tanks and weapons, arms and ammunition</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapters 93 and 87, <i>Arms and Ammunition</i> and <i>Vehicles</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes in Chapter 93 under Headings 93.01, 93.02, 93.03, 93.04, 93.05, and 93.06, as well as one HS code in Chapter 87 under Heading 87.10: HS code 8710.00.00.00</li> </ul>
<p><b>(16) Hazardous waste (including clinical waste, municipal waste, sewage sludge, and other wastes)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns Chapter 38 of the tariff, <i>Miscellaneous Chemical Products</i></li> <li>• It covers all HS codes under Heading 38.25</li> </ul>
<p><b>(17) Building materials (including lime, cement, steel rods, plywood, PVC pipes, sheets of zinc, zinc alloys and ceramic flooring blocks)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This concerns specific HS codes in several different areas of the tariff, as noted below</li> <li>• In Chapter 25, it covers all HS codes under HS Heading 25.21, 25.22, and 25.23</li> <li>• In Chapter 39, it covers the HS codes 3917.23.10.00 and 3917.23.90.00</li> <li>• In Chapter 44, it covers all HS codes under HS Heading 44.12</li> <li>• In Chapter 69, it covers all HS codes under HS Heading 69.04</li> <li>• In Chapter 72, it covers all HS codes under HS Headings 72.13, 72.14, 72.15, 72.21, 72.22, 72.27, and 72.28</li> <li>• In Chapter 79, it covers the HS codes 7901.20.00.00 and 7905.00.00.00</li> </ul>