



**WORLD BAGGAGE**

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Items	Needed Documents	Customs Regulations	Notes
<b>Moved goods</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Detailed inventory of the items</li> <li>If the description of the items is shown as only electrical appliances or only clothing, an import license must be obtained before clearance. A general description of used household goods and personal effects is preferred.</li> </ul>	Import declaration	
<b>Diplomatic goods</b>	Detailed inventory of the items	Import declaration	
<b>Automobiles, motor-cycles, mopeds, power-driven boats with in-board engine</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Certificate of registration showing the dimensions of BOATS to be submitted to Marine Department for application of import permit within 24 hours from arrival.</li> <li>Original purchase invoice.</li> <li>Insurance certificate.</li> <li>De-registration certificate etc. are required.</li> <li>Original Registration document.</li> <li>Shipping document.</li> </ul>		<p>For Cars First registration fee is based on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Depreciation 25% per year – variable (after manufacture)</li> <li>After depreciation, the fee is calculated on the following scale: Value HK\$ 100,000 40% up to HK\$ 200,000 45% HK\$ 300,000 50% over HK\$ 300,000 60% Customs import is easy for cars &amp; motorcycles but registration process is costly and time consuming.</li> <li>Vehicles must satisfy emission standard, and be right-hand drive.</li> <li>Vehicles over 10 years - difficult to obtain Insurance Policy.</li> </ul>
<b>Liquor, Wine</b>	Detailed record with quantity and CIF value.	Liable to payment of duties.	<p>Duty shall be payable on the following types of liquor at the rates, expressed as a percentage of the value (calculated in accordance with section 26A), set out opposite each type of liquor.</p> <p>100%: Liquor with an alcoholic strength of more</p>



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			<p>than 30% by volume measured at a temperature of 20 degrees Celsius.            40%: Liquor, other than wine with an alcoholic strength of not more than 30% by volume measured at a temperature of 20 degrees Celsius. NO DUTY on Wine and Beer (below 30% alcoholic strength).</p> <p>Where there is no or insufficient information available from which the Commissioner (or any officer authorized by him in that behalf) is able to determine the value of any quantity of liquor of less than 12 liters, imported at any time in one consignment, he may assess the duty payable on such liquor at the rate of HK\$160 per liter.</p>
<b>Dangerous objects, firearms</b>	Valid firearm certificate issued to the proprietor by the police authorities controlling the area, in which he planned to reside.		<p>Importation prohibited:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fireworks</li> <li>• Clasp-knives</li> <li>• Explosives</li> </ul>
<b>Plants, Vegetable products</b>	Phytosanitary certificate	Import License is necessary.	7 working days is needed for application of a Plant Import License.
<b>Foodstuff</b>	Packed in cans, non-perished food items or other durable packaging, may be imported in reasonable amounts.		
<b>Dogs, cats, birds</b>	Health Certificate dated not more than 14 days ahead of departure. (Documents requirements may differs according to country of origin).	Import License is necessary.	<p>Importation of dogs and cats is allowed, subject to the usual quarantine in licensed and approved premises, for 1 to 6 months, depending on country of origin.            Quarantine is waived under some conditions, mostly depending of origin country.</p>
<b>Certain feathers furs, skins,</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exporting Country's License</li> </ul>	Import License is necessary.	To be examined by Customs Office and



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tusks, etc. of animals coming under the Protected Species Regulations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Proof of Origin.</li></ul>		Agriculture and Fisheries Department together.