

GEN 1.4 Entry, transit and departure of cargo

1 Customs requirements concerning cargo and other articles

1.1 The following documents are required for the clearance of goods through customs: Air cargo manifest, invoice, agreements, certificates, licences.

1.1.1 No documents are required in respect of shipments not exceeding the values more than 50kg and/or 500US dollars (luggage), 2 liters of alcoholic drinks, 1kg coffee, 400 cigarettes, 5kg meat, fish, 0.5kg caviar, 1kg different food.

1.1.2 The documents must accompany the shipment. No advance notification required. All air cargo shipments are free of consular formalities and charges, except ancient articles and articles of culture. If it is required certificates must be presented. The import of things of pornographic content and goods of expired date is not permitted.

1.2 As regards air cargo simply being transhipped from one flight to another flight at the same airport, under customs supervision up to the other airports. In the case of cargo and other articles being transferred to another international airport in Armenia no procedures must be adhered to.

1.3 No clearance documents are required with respect to goods retained on board an aircraft for on-carriage to a destination outside Armenia.

1.4 Upon exportation the following documents are required for the clearance of shipments to be exported by air: invoice, agreements, for articles of arts and arms clearances are required.

2 Agricultural quarantine requirements

The following agricultural materials being imported and exported and carried in transit through the Republic of Armenia and subjected to a compulsory phytosanitary and quarantine examination:

- the seeds of crop plants and wild plants,
- living plants and their parts (seedings, cuttings, tubers, etc.),
- bread and forage grains, fresh and dried up fruits, vegetable, cotton fibre and other fibre crops, raw materials as well as raw tobacco and fresh candies,
- all live cultures of fungi, bacteria and viruses as well as every kind of live entomological objects,
- all kind of collections of insects and plants and seed diseases as well as herbaria,
- wood materials (barked and unbarked),
- Bedding and forage,
- Baggage's and parcels containing plant ingredients.

The importation and exportation of the plant ingredients in/from the Republic of Armenia is permitted, if a certificate is available issued by the State Plants Quarantine inspection of the Republic of Armenia.

In case of discovering materials subjected to quarantine, they must be presented to:

- disinfection (in the owner's judgement),
- abolition or returning to the country exported from,

The airplane, by which the infected baggage has been carried, is subjected to disinfection in a prescribed order.

The inspectors of the Border Veterinary Control Inspection Point are liable to take samples for phytosanitary examination due to the functioning order.

3 Transportation of Dangerous Cargo, which is not prohibited for air transportation

3.1 For any dangerous Cargo Transportation, which is not prohibited for Air Transportation by Air Space of the Republic of Armenia, as well as from and to the Airports of the Republic of Armenia, the Shipper presents the request to the Cargo Transportation Company, also to the General Department of Civil Aviation

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in case for the transportation of that type of Cargo according to the technical instruction the permission from General Department of Civil Aviation is required.

3.2 The Shipper of Dangerous, but not prohibited for air Transportation, Cargo presents the request 7 days before the transportation, where the following should be mentioned:

- the name, allocation (individual's the name, last name and address) of the Shipper Company, the name of transporting dangerous material, quantity of the cargo pieces, if a radioactive material the chemical and physical forms description are to be mentioned,

- type of Cargo (class, sort, group), code assigned to the Cargo by the United Nations Organization, the type of packing group,

- the name of the Cargo Consignee company, allocation (Cargo consignee individual's name, last name, allocation),

- the bases of Cargo shipment (contract, agreement, etc),

- Cargo transportation vehicle,

- the name, allocation of Cargo transporting organization,

- the terms of Cargo transportation,

- Cargo transportation routing,

- the copy of a license necessary for the Dangerous Cargo transportation, if the cargo transportation is considered as the activity requiring licensing.

3.3 . the copies of the dangerous cargo and third parties liabilities insurance documents are attached to the request presented to the General Department of Civil Aviation.

3.4 General Department of Civil Aviation discusses the request and the attached documents within 2 days period and makes a decision on permission or refusal for the transportation of the requested Cargo.

3.5 General Department of Civil Aviation informs the applicant about permission or refusal for the Cargo transportation within a period of 3 (three) days after making decision in a written form.

3.6 General Department of Civil Aviation makes a decision to refuse for transportation the applied Cargo:

- if there are data in the presented documents, which do not correspond to the requirements defined by International Civil Aviation Organization,

- if there are inaccuracies/ discrepancies in the presented documents,

- if the Dangerous Cargo is not included in the list determined by Technical instruction,

3.7 The list of Dangerous Cargo, materials, combinations and goods, which are permitted for Air Transportation, is defined by the International Civil Aviation Organization.