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INTRODUCTION

The Kenyan Bureau of Standards (KEBS), a statutory organization of the government of Kenya, is responsible for the adoption and application of Standards for both imported and domestically manufactured products in the Kenyan market. With effect from 29th September 2005, KEBS implemented the **Pre-Export Verification of Conformity (PVoC) to Standards Programme**. This is a conformity assessment and verification procedure applied to specific **Goods/ Products** at the respective exporting countries, to ensure their compliance with the applicable Kenyan Technical Regulations and Mandatory Standards or approved equivalents. KEBS has appointed **Société Générale de Surveillance S.A. (SGS)** and **Intertek** to operate the PVoC program on its behalf, depending on the country of supply. The applicable countries of operation for Intertek's and SGS' (zones of responsibility) are listed in Appendix I of this document.

All consignments subject to PVoC must obtain a **Certificate of Conformity (CoC)** issued by **PVoC Country Offices** (*offices operated and managed by authorised KEBS partners*) prior to shipment. The Certificate is a mandatory Customs Clearance document in Kenya; consignments arriving at Kenyan Ports without this document will be denied entry into the country. In exceptional cases, at the sole discretion of KEBS, specific consignments may be allowed to undergo destination inspections after receiving the appropriate application from importers. Such consignments will be subject to a penalty of 15% of the CIF value of the goods plus 15% bond and the testing and inspection costs. All other expenses incurred at destination will be borne solely by the importer.



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GENERAL OUTLINE OF THE OPERATIONS OF THE PVoC PROGRAMME

Over the years KEBS has been undertaking conformity assessment of both locally manufactured and imported goods as part of its mandate in implementation and enforcement of Kenya standards through the Quality Assurance, and Import and Export Department. However, verification of imported goods was hitherto restricted to post-shipment verification. This not only led to delays at the port of entry, but also laid on KEBS a heavy responsibility of ensuring that substandard goods are re-exported or destroyed in an environmental friendlier manner.

To curb some of these problems, KEBS has put in place Pre-Export Verification of Conformity (PVoC) program to ensure that selected goods are verified for conformity to relevant Kenya standards or approved equivalents before shipment to Kenya. The primary objective of applying Pre-Export Verification of Conformity (PVoC) program is to ensure quality of products, health and safety, and environmental protection for Kenyans and this is reflected in the product coverage scope.

The key elements undertaken in PVoC are:

- Physical inspection prior to shipment,
- Sampling, testing and analysis in accredited laboratories,
- Audit of product processes,
- Documentary check of conformity with regulations and
- Assessment of conformity to standards



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PRINCIPLES OF PVoC

The PVoC program is based on Article 5 of Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT/WTO), which requires that technical requirements (i.e. Standards) applied to foreign products must also be applied to domestically manufactured products. Over 2500 domestic companies are already subjected to Kenya standards, through our Quality assurance department and therefore PVoC will offer equal and national treatment to imported products.

Since PVoC is a conformity assessment process to verify that products imported to Kenya are in compliance with the applicable Kenya standards or approved equivalents, regulations and technical requirements before shipment, it is the sole responsibility of the supplier (i.e. exporter) to demonstrate the same and hence meet any associated costs of verification.



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RESPONSIBILITIES

Importers

Ensure their suppliers are conversant with import quality requirements and that their consignments are accompanied with a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) from the appointed PVoC Partners (i.e. SGS or Intertek).

Exporters

Ensure their products or goods meet the regulations and quality requirements of Kenya before shipment by carrying out tests and/or obtaining the necessary certification of Conformity (CoC) from the appointed PVoC partners for all products subject to the PVoC program.

KEBS

Ensure that only quality goods gain entry into the country as provided for in the Standards Act Cap 496, Laws of Kenya and the Quality Imports Order No. 78 of July, 2005, thereby offering the necessary protection to Kenya's consumers in safety, health and environmental matters.



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ROUTES FOR CERTIFICATION

Route A: Consignment Inspection and Testing

The exporters may contact their nearest **PVoC Country Office** and submit a **Request for Certification (RFC) form** together with their Pro-forma Invoice for the shipment. Alternatively, Importers can trigger the process by submitting a copy of the **Import Declaration Form (IDF)** and Pro-forma Invoice to the **SGS or Intertek Kenya Liaison Office**. The PVoC Country Office in the country of supply will arrange for an inspection of the consignment to assess the visually verifiable requirements to the relevant Kenyan technical regulations/standards or approved equivalent and shall draw samples for testing.

Testing shall be carried out in laboratories accredited to ISO/IEC system or other approved laboratories against the relevant Kenyan or approved specifications taking into account the essential health/safety requirements and the report forwarded to the PVoC Country Office. Testing requirements may be satisfied by the presentation of test data produced by accredited to ISO/IEC Laboratories or approved laboratory or supervised manufacturer's testing by a KEBS Partner.

In case testing of the goods proves not feasible for either technical or economic reason a KEBS partner will collect documentary evidence of the goods conforming to Kenyan standards or other KEBS approved requirements/specifications.

Upon satisfactory inspection and testing together with the submission of a final commercial invoice from the exporter (*with the exception, for air shipments, where a CoC may be issued on the basis of the Pro-forma invoice*), the PVoC Country Office will issue a CoC. The CoC is valid only for one consignment and for a maximum of 90 days from the date of inspection.

Route B: Product Registration, Inspection and Limited Testing

This route is recommended for frequent exporter to Kenya with homogeneous products. Exporters and Manufacturers may reduce the level of shipment intervention by **registering** the products through one of the **PVoC Registration and Licensing/Certification Centres**. The Registration takes the form of a self-declaration of compliance to applicable Kenyan technical regulations/standards or approved relevant International or National standards. The declaration should be submitted for evaluation supported by substantiated evidence in the form of Test Reports ISO certifications etc. The evaluation allows for an assessment to be made of the current level of compliance to declared standards. The applicant is informed of the deficiencies (if any) and the steps to be taken in order to satisfy the full requirements, which may involve product testing and modification. Successful completion of the Registration process will result in the issuance of a **Statement of Registration** for the relevant products/product range.

Each time the products are shipped the Exporter should submit a copy or the reference of their Statement of Registration to the PVoC Country Office along with their Request for Certification and Pro-forma Invoice. The status of Registration will mean that the PVoC Country Office conducts consignment inspection as in Route A, but will only perform testing on selected shipments to monitor continued compliance. Upon satisfactory inspection (and testing where applicable) and receipt of the Exporter's final commercial invoice, a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) will be issued. Registration is annually renewable subject to ongoing continual compliance with the appropriate registration requirements. When registered products undergo subsequent technical or physical modifications, re-registration of the modified product models or type may be required.

Route C: Product Licensing

Manufacturers who have registered their products and shown consistent shipment compliance may apply to have their products **Licensed** by a **PVoC Registration and Licensing / Certification Centres**. The process involves evaluation of test reports and possibly additional testing to demonstrate full compliance with the relevant Kenyan Standard. This is accompanied by an audit of the manufacturing facility and subsequent surveillance visits to ensure that the Kenyan requirements are consistently integrated into the manufacturing process. Licensing procedures closely follow ISO / IEC Guide 28 – General Rules for a Model 3rd party Certification Systems for products.

On successful conclusion of this process, the manufacturer will be presented with a **Licence** for the relevant products. When shipping these products, the manufacturer may apply to their nearest PVoC Country Office and submit their Request for Certification, final commercial invoice and a copy or reference to their Licence to apply for a Certificate of Conformity (if requested). The PVoC Country Office will issue the certificate on the basis of this documentation alone and will not routinely instigate inspection and testing.

In order to monitor compliance, PVoC Country Offices reserve the right to randomly inspect licensed shipments, but exporters will be given adequate notice when this is the case. A PVoC Licence is annually renewable subject to ongoing continual compliance with the appropriate licensing requirements. When registered products undergo subsequent technical or physical modifications, re-registration of the modified product models or type may be required.



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Other Requirements

Container sealing requirements

Wherever feasible, sealing of FCL Containers (Full Container Loads) is required during physical inspection. Exporters are required to give advance notice to PVoC Country Office of container stuffing arrangements, so that the date of inspection is scheduled to coincide with the container stuffing.

Labeling and shelf life requirements

All labeling of packaging of imports shall include English and / or Swahili. Packaged goods (e.g. foodstuffs, chemicals, cosmetics, and similar) shall indicate the batch numbers and dates of expiration and/or date of production. All imports with a limited shelf life shall have more than seventy five per cent (75%) shelf life from the date of expected landing in Kenya.

Counterfeit Products/Goods

Importation of any counterfeit goods is not allowed. Where products/goods are established to be counterfeits, No Certificate of Conformity (CoC) shall be issued even if the products/goods meet the relevant specifications (standards). Exporters of suspect counterfeit goods will be expected to provide adequate evidence of the genuineness of their goods before a CoC is issued.

Importation of Motor vehicles

All used motor vehicles shall conform to the published Kenya Standard KS 1515:2000 and any other Kenya standards or approved specifications issued from time to time by KEBS.

For some motor vehicles (ambulances, mounted water drilling equipments – rigs-, fire tenders/engines, special purpose vehicles for physically handicapped), two requirements of the standard KS 1515-2000 do not apply: the right drive and the age. All other requirements remain applicable.



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CONFORMITY ASSESSMENT FEES (VERIFICATION FEES)

VERIFICATION FEES

The applicable verification fees depend on the route, subject to the minimum and maximum detailed below. The fees are payable by the Exporter or Manufacturer and payable in advance:

Route A

0.475% of FOB value subject to a minimum of USD 180

Route B

0.425% of FOB value subject to a minimum of USD 180

Route C

0.25% of FOB value subject to a minimum of USD 135

Used Vehicles

To be advised

Testing Fees

Determined on a case by case basis

REGISTRATION AND LICENSING FEES

Registration Fees

The Registration fees shall be 375 USD, which will cover the Registration of 15 products / line items in the Statement for Registration (SfR).

Every additional product / line item above 15 products / line items will be charged an additional fee of 20 USD.

Amendments to SfRs will be charged at the rate of 40 USD minimum for up to two products / line items amendments and then 20 USD per line item amendment after that.

Licensing Fees

Licensing fees are calculated on a case-by-case basis. Please contact your nearest Registration and Licensing Certification Centre or PVoC Country Office for further information.

NOTE: Products with common characteristics will be grouped together in determining the Registration / Licence fees



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HOW TO OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY

The PVoC compliance procedures are designed to provide maximum flexibility to exporters and importers by providing three (3) possible routes for obtaining a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) for their shipments. The method utilized will depend on the frequency of the exporters' shipments to Kenya and the level of compliance they are able to demonstrate initially when applying for certification.

Request for Certification

The electronic **Import Declaration Form (IDF)** data is to be received from KEBS. The PVoC Country Office in the Country of supply may contact the exporter and provide him with a **Request for Certification Form, (RFC)**. The exporter must send the form completed together with a pro-forma invoice and provide information about the date and place for inspection. The exporter joins to the RFC form the test reports (if available) and when applicable copies of the statements of registration and / or Licence.

Determination of Route

The PVoC Country Office will review the RFC and attached documentation and will confirm the applicable route for certification and the standards applicable.

Product testing

Wherever possible, the PVoC Country Office shall arrange for product sampling and testing with an approved or an ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratory in advance of the scheduled date of shipment. The exporters should wait for test results before shipment.

Where the exporter wishes to provide test certificates, these should be from a laboratory accredited to an ISO/IEC system or other approved laboratories. The exporter may also make arrangements to have the tests witnessed by a PVoC partner staff. Test reports should be submitted to the PVoC Country Office along with a copy of the Laboratory Accreditation. The test reports must be sufficiently detailed so as to demonstrate tractability to the consignment to be shipped to Kenya.

Inspection

The PVoC Country Office will contact the place of inspection and confirm the appointment for physical inspection of the consignment. Physical inspection is normally carried out to verify requirements that may be visually verified (e.g. product labeling) and to ensure reconciliation of the consignment with previously submitted test reports. If applicable, product sampling for testing purposes may also be performed during physical inspection. In such case however, exporters should wait for test results before shipment.

Certification

Except for air-shipments, the exporter shall submit a final invoice to the PVoC Country Office, as soon as possible after physical inspection. The PVoC Country Office will perform a final review of all test and inspection reports and decide upon the issuance of the Certificate of Conformity (CoC) or Non Conformity Report (NCR). PVoC Country Office will indicate any corrective actions needed prior the issuance of a Certificate of Conformity. Only if the discrepancy is corrected, a CoC will be issued.



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PVOC PRODUCT SCOPE (COVERED / EXCLUDED)

PRODUCTS SUBJECT TO PVOC PROGRAMME (COVERED)

CHAPTERS/ HEADING (HS CODES)	DESCRIPTIONS
02	Meat of bovine, swine, sheep or goats, etc; meat and edible offal fresh, chilled or frozen;
0302, 0304, 0305, 0306, 0307	Fresh fish or chilled excluding fish fillet; Fish fillet; Fish dried or salted; crustaceans; Molluscs.
04	Milk and cream, buttermilk, curdled milk and cream, yogurt, kephir, whey, Dairy spreads, cheese and curd, bird's eggs, natural honey, edible products of animal origin etc.
0710 - 0714	Vegetables frozen; Dried vegetables; Dried leguminous vegetables; Manioc, arrowroots, sweet potatoes e.t.c
0811 - 0814	Fruits and nuts, cooked or uncooked or preserved; Fruit dried; Peel of citrus fruits and melons fresh, frozen dried or preserved.
0901 – 0903	Coffee, Tea, Mate.
10	Wheat & Meslin; Rice, Maize, Barley, Rye, Grain sorghum, Buckwheat, Millet etc.
1101- 1107 & 1109	Wheat, maize (corn), other cereals flour, pellets; Flour meal, powders, flakes, malt, wheat gluten e.t.c
1507.90.00, 1508.90.00, 1509.90.00, 1510.00.00, 1511.90.30, 1511.90.40, 1511.90.90, 1512.19.00, 1512.29.00, 1513.19.00, 1513.29.00, 1514.19.00, 1514.99.00, 1515.19.00, 1515.29.00, 1515.50.00, 1515.90.00, 1516.10.00, 1516.20.00, 1517.10.00, 1517.90.00, 1518.00.00	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage product, excluding : Pig fat (including lard) and poultry fat, Fats of bovine animals, Stearin, Fats and oils and their fractions, of fish or marine mammals, Wool grease and fatty substances, Other animal fats and oils and their fractions, Crude Soya-bean oil and its fractions, Crude Ground-nut oil, Virgin Olive oil, Crude Palm oil and its fractions, Palm stearin, Crude Sunflower-seed, safflower or cotton-seed oil, Crude Coconut (copra), palm kernel or babassu oil, crude Rape, colza or mustard oil, other crude fixed vegetable fats and oils (including jojoba oil), Glycerol, crude; Vegetable waxes, Degras; residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes.
16	Sausages & similar products; homogenized preparations (meat); Prepared or preserved meat, fish, crustaceans or molluscs etc.
17 Excluding 1702	Cane or beet sugar and other related products; Sugar confectionery
1803, 1806	Cocoa paste; Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa.
19 excluding 1901.2010 & 1901.9010	Preparations of cereals, flour, starch or milk; pastry cooks' products, excluding Biscuit powder & Malt extract
20	Vegetables, fruits, nuts and other edible parts of plants prepared or preserved by vinegar or acetic acid or other means; Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades and fruit juices.
21 Excluding 2106.10.00 & 2106.90.20	Extracts, essences & concentrates of coffee, tea and mate; Yeast; Sauces & preparations thereof; Soups and broths and preparations thereof; Ice cream and other edible ice; Food preparations specially for infants.



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CHAPTERS/ HEADING (HS CODES)	DESCRIPTIONS
22	Mineral and aerated waters; Beer; Wine; Other fermented beverages; Undenatured ethyl alcohol, Vinegar and vinegar substitutes.
2402 - 2403	Cigars, cheroots, cigarillos, cigarette etc.
2523- 2524 Excluding 2523.10.00	White cement, limestone, Portland cement and other mineral substances;
2710.11.10 – 2710.11.40 & 2710.19.10- 2710.19.39 & 2710.19.51- 2712.10.00 & 2713.11.00- 2716.00.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals; Petroleum gases and jelly, bitumen, asphalt etc.
2828 & 2833.30.00	Hypochlorites; Alums
2936	Provitamins and vitamins
3005	Wadding, gauze, bandages and similar articles
31	Animal or Vegetable Fertilizers; Mineral or Chemical fertilizers
3208 - 3210	Paints and varnishes including enamel, lacquer and distempers.
3213 - 3215	Colours in sets; Glaziers' putty etc.; Printing, writing, drawing ink and other inks.
3303 - 3307	Perfumes & toilet waters; Beauty & make up preparations (skin care); Shampoos; Relaxers; Preparations for oral and dental hygiene; Pre- shave, shave and after- shave preparations; Personal deodorants; Bath preparations e.t.c.
3401, 3403 & 3405- 3407 Excluding 3405.40.00	Soap; organic surface-active products and preparations for use as soap; Lubricating preparations; Polishes and creams for footwear, furniture e.t.c; Modeling pastes
3501, 3502, 3505.20.00, 3506.10.00	Casein; Albumins; Gelatin; Prepared glues and other prepared adhesives.
3605 - 3606	Matches, other than pyrotechnic articles; Liquid or liquefied –gas fuels in containers e.t.c
3702. 51- 3702.56	Photographic films in rolls
3808.40.00	Disinfectants
3811, 3813, 3814, 3815 & 3817- 3820	Anti- knock preparations; Preparations for charges and fire- extinguishers; Refractory cements; Hydraulic brake fluids; Anti- freezing preparations; other water treatment chemicals.
3917 – 3918 & 3922	Tubes, pipes and hoses and fittings thereof; Floor covering of plastics; Baths and shower baths; Sinks, wash- basins, bidets, lavatory pans e.t.c, Flush cisterns and other similar sanitary ware e.t.c.
3925 - 3926.30 & 3926.90.00	Reservoir, tanks, vats and similar containers (Plastic); Builders' ware of plastic e.g. Doors, windows, blinds, shutters e.t.c; Other articles of plastic e.g. floats for fishing nets e.t.c.
4009	Tubes, pipes and hoses of vulcanized rubber other than hard rubber.
4010.31-4010.39	Transmission belts or belting
4011	New pneumatic tyres
4012.11.00, 4012.12.00, 4012.13.00, 4012.19.00, 4012.20.00, 4012.90.90,	Retreaded or used new pneumatic tyres of rubber e.t.c
4013	Inner tubes of rubber.
4014.10.00	Sheath contraceptives.
4014.90.00 to 4016.99.00	Hygienic or pharmaceutical articles of vulcanized rubber; Articles of apparel and clothing accessories of vulcanized rubber and others;



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4104- 4115	Tanned or crust hides and skins of bovine; Leather further prepared after tanning or crusting; Chamois leather.
42	Trunks, suit- cases, vanity cases, executive cases, brief cases, school satchels e.t.c; Articles of apparel and clothing accessories of leather or of composition leather.
4302 - 4304	Tanned or dressed fur skins; Articles of apparel, clothing, accessories and other articles of fur skins.
4408 – 4421, excluding 4415	Sheets for veneering; Wood strips for parquet flooring; Particleboard; Fibreboard; Plywood and panels e.t.c.
4504	Agglomerated cork and articles of agglomerated cork
46	Plaits and similar products of plaiting materials; Basketworks, wickerwork and other articles.
4802.56.00, 4802.62.00, 4802.69.00, 4803, 4804.19.90, 4804.29.00, 4804.59.00, 4805.19.00, 4808.90.00, 4810.19.00, 4810.29.00, 4810.39.00, 4810.99.00, 4811.49.00, 4814.90.00, 4816.10.00 4816.90.00, 4817 & 4818 4821.10.90, 4823.19.00, 4820.20.20 4823.90.90	Uncoated paper and paperboard of size not exceeding 435mm x 297mm; Other uncoated paper and paper boards, Other paper and paper boards coated on both side with kaolin, Paper board cellulose wadding etc, Wall paper, Toilet paper and similar paper tissue paper. Carbon paper and similar copying paper etc, Envelopes, letter cards, postcards, wallets etc; Exercise Books etc.
5007	Woven fabrics of silk or silk waste
5111 - 5113	Woven fabrics of carded wool or of fine or combed animal hair; Woven fabrics of coarse animal hair.
5204	Cotton sewing thread
5208 - 5211	Woven fabrics of cotton (less than 85% cotton)
5212 Excluding 5212.11.00 & 5212.21.00	Other woven fabrics of cotton
5309 - 5311	Woven fabrics of flax; Woven fabrics of jute etc.
5401	Sewing thread of man made filaments
5407 - 5408	Woven fabric of synthetic filament yarn; Woven fabric of artificial filament yarn
5508	Sewing thread of man - made staple fibers
5512 – 5516	Woven fabrics of synthetic and artificial staple fibers
5601, excluding 5601.30.00	Wadding of textile materials and articles thereof
5602 – 5603 5607 - 5609	Felt and Non-woven whether or not impregnated, coated, covered or laminated, Twine cordage, ropes & cables; Knotted netting of twine, cordage or rope; Articles of yarn
57	Carpets and other Textile floor coverings



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5801 – 5806	Woven pile fabrics & Chenille fabrics; Terry toweling & similar woven Terry fabrics; Gauze, Tullies, Nets, & Narrow woven fabrics
5808 - 5811	Braids in the piece, Woven fabrics of ornamental thread, Embroidery in the piece, Quilted textile products
5901	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances
5903- 5905 & 5907- 5911	Textile fabrics impregnated coated covered or laminated with plastics; Linoleum; Textile wall covering; Textile hose piping; Textile products & articles for technical uses etc.
6001 - 6006	Pile fabrics; Knitted or crocheted fabrics; Warp knit fabrics and others.
6101 - 6217	Men's or boys' overcoat, anorak e.t.c; Men's or boys' suits, jackets e.t.c; Women's or girls' suits, jackets e.t.c; Men's or boys' shirts knitted or crocheted, underpants, pyjamas e.t.c; Women's or girls' blouses, shirts, petticoat, slips, panties e.t.c; T-shirts, jersey, baby garments, Truck suits; Handkerchief; Shawls e.t.c
63	Blankets ; Bed linen, table linen e.t.c; Curtains and other furnishing articles including mosquito nets; Sacks and bags; Tarpaulins, awnings and sun blinds, tents; Other made up articles including dress patterns- Life jackets, life belts, Floor cloths, dish cloths and other similar cleaning cloths; Used clothing.
6401 - 6405	Footwear
65	Headgear and parts thereof
6601 - 6602	Umbrellas, walk sticks e.t.c.
6801- 6803 & 6806- 6812	Worked monumental or building stone; Articles of asphalt, plaster, cement, cement- asbestos e.t.c.
6901	Bricks, blocks, tiles and other ceramic goods.
6904 - 6914	Ceramic building bricks, flooring blocks, support or filler tiles e.t.c; Roofing tiles; Unglazed or glazed ceramic flags and paving, hearth or wall tiles; Ceramic ware for laboratories; Tableware and Kitchen ware of porcelain; Ceramic sinks e.t.c; And other ceramic articles.
7003 - 7009	Cast, drawn, float, rolled, blown, safety and surface ground or polished glass; Glass mirrors;
7012 - 7017 & 7020	Glass inners for vacuum flasks or similar articles; Glass ware used for kitchen, table e.t.c; Signaling glassware and optical elements of glass; Paving blocks; Laboratory, hygienic or pharmaceutical glassware; Float for fishing nets.
7203	Ferrous products obtained from direct reduction of iron ores and other spongy ferrous products.
7213- 7216	Bars and rods (hot or cold rolled); Angles, shapes and sections of iron or non- alloy steel.
7217.10.00, 7217.20.00, 7217.30.90, 7217.90.00	Wire of iron and non- alloy steel.
7219 - 7223	Flat rolled products of stainless steel; Wire of stainless steel. Bars and rods (hot rolled); Angles, sections and shapes of stainless steel
7225- 7227 & 7229	Flat rolled products of other alloy steel; Wire of other alloy steel.
7301	Sheet piling, angles, shapes and sections of iron or steel.
7303- 7309 & 7311- 7314, 7315.12.00, 7315.82.00 & 7315.89.00 & 7316- 7319- 7326	Tubes, pipes & hollow profiles, seamless of cast iron, iron or steel and others; Tube or pipe fittings of iron or steel; Structures; Reservoirs, tanks, vats and similar containers for any material of iron or steel; Containers of compressed or liquefied gas; Stranded wire, rope, cables, barbed wire of steel or iron; Cloth, grill, netting, fencing of iron or steel wire; anchors, grapnels; Nails; Screws, nuts, bolts, coach screw, screw hooks, rivets, washers and other lock washers, cotter and cotter pins. Sewing/ knitting needles e.t.c; Leaf springs; Stoves, cookers; Radiators for central heating; Household items of iron or steel or steel wool etc; Sanitary ware of iron or steel e.g. sinks and wash basins; Other cast articles of iron or steel. Welded link chains and Other chains not mentioned elsewhere.
7403	Refined copper and copper alloy.



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7405, 7407 - 7419	Master alloys of copper; Bars, rods, profiles, wire, plates, sheets, strips, tubes, tubes & pipe fittings, stranded wire, cables, nails, tacks, drawing pins, grill and netting of copper; Copper springs; Non-electric cooking or heating apparatus of copper etc.
7505 - 7508	Nickel bars, rods, profile, wire, plates, sheets, foils, tubes, pipes and fittings etc.
7604- 7605, 7608- 7611 & 7613- 7616	Bars, rods, profiles, wire, tubes, tubes & pipe fittings, stranded wire, cables, nails, foils, tacks, screws, reservoirs, tanks, structures, containers for liquefied gas, household articles, grill and netting of aluminum
7803 - 7806 Excluding 7804.20.00	Lead bars, profiles, wires, rods, sheet, strips, foils, plates, tubes, tubes & pipe fittings etc.
7904 - 7907	Zinc bars, profiles, wires, rods, sheet, strips, foils, plates, tubes, tubes & pipe fittings etc.
8003 - 8004 & 8006 - 8007	Tin bars, profiles, wires, rods, sheet, strip, plates, tubes, tubes & pipe fittings etc.
8101.95.00 – 8101.96.00	Bars, foils, rods, sheets, plates, profiles, wire of tungsten etc.
8102.95.00 - 8102.96.00	Bars, foils, rods, sheets, plates, profiles, wire of molybdenum etc
8201 – 8215 Excluding 8207.20.00	Hand tools e.g. spades, shovels, mattocks, hoes, forks etc; Hand saws, files, rasps, pliers; Hand operated tools e.g. spanners e.t.c; Knives, razor blades and others; Spoons, forks, skimmers etc.
8301- 8304, & 8311	Padlocks and locks; Base metal mountings, fittings and similar articles for furniture, doors etc; Filing cabinets;
8415, 8418.10 - 8418.99, 8421.1200, 8422.11.00, 8423.10.00, 8423.81.00, 8424.10.00, 8424.81.00, 8443, 8447.20.20, 8452.10.00, 8467, 8469, 8470, 8471, 8472, 8473, 8476, 8481, 8482, 8483, 8484	Air conditioning machines, Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment. Clothes dryers, Dish washing machines of the household types. - Personal weighing machines, including baby scales; household scales, Other weighing machines, Fire extinguishers; Agricultural and horticultural sprayers (e.g. Knapsack sprayers). Printing machinery, Sewing machines of the household type, Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained electric or non-electric motor. Typewriters. Calculating machines Automatic data processing machines and units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data, not elsewhere specified or included. e.g. computers, printers etc. Other office machines & parts and accessories. Automatic goods-vending machines Taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats or the like, including pressure-reducing valves and thermostatically controlled valves. Ball or roller bearings. Transmission shafts. Gaskets and similar joints.
8501 - 8513 & 8515 – 8548 Excluding 8542	Electric motors, generators, generating sets & rotary converters and accumulators; Electrical transformers, electro-magnets, primary cells and batteries, Electro-mechanical domestic appliances, shavers, hair clippers etc; Sparking plugs, ignition magnetos, ignition coils, starter motors and dual starter generators; Electrical lighting & signaling equipment, miners safety lamps and other portable electric lamps; Soldering irons & guns; Storage water heater & immersion heaters, hand dryers, hand drying apparatus and other household electric products; Telephone sets and facsimile machines; Speakers, audio- visual equipment; Transmission apparatus, semi- conductors and other electrical equipments and parts thereof.
8708	Parts and accessories of motor vehicles (NEW)
8712	Bicycles and other cycles not motorized
8714 - 8715	Parts and accessories of vehicles; Baby carriages and parts thereof.
9008 & 9008	Image projectors and photocopying apparatus.
91	Wristwatches, pocket watches and other watches; Clocks, watch cases and parts thereof.
92	Musical instruments e.g. pianos, accordion and parts thereof
9401, 9403, 9404, 9405	Seats and parts thereof; Other furniture and parts thereof; Mattress supports, articles of bedding and similar furnishings; Lamps and lighting fittings;



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CHAPTERS/ HEADING (HS CODES)	DESCRIPTIONS
9501 – 9503, 9506 & 9507.	Wheeled toys and other toys, Dolls; Fishing rods and hooks; Articles and equipment for general physical exercise and sports etc.
9601- 9605 & 9608-9617	Brooms, brushes, hand sieves; Ballpoint pens, felt pens, fountain pens, pencils, pastels, drawing charcoal, Date sealing and numbering stamps, typewriters and similar ribbons, cigarette lighters, smoking pipes, combs, Scent sprays and similar toilet sprays, vacuum flasks.
OTHER	All used road vehicles (as defined by KS 1515)

Please also refer to the prohibited and restricted lists of products under the Customs & Excise Act–CAP 472)



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CHAPTERS/ HEADING (HS CODES)	DESCRIPTIONS
01	Live animals, birds' e.t.c.
0301, 0303	High sea fishing; Life fish
05	Products of animal origin not elsewhere specified or included.
06	Bulbs, tubers, cut flowers and others
0701 - 0709	Vegetables fresh or chilled
0801 - 0810	Fresh fruits, nuts e.t.c.
0904- 0910	Pepper, Vanilla, cinnamon, Nutmeg, Turmeric, Cloves; Ginger etc; Seeds of anise e.t.c.
1108	Starches
12	Seeds, Plants and others
13	Lac, gums, resins and other vegetable saps and extracts.
14	Vegetable plaiting materials; vegetable products not elsewhere specified or included.
15, excluding 1507.90.00, 1508.90.00, 1509.90.00, 1510.00.00, 1511.90.30, 1511.90.40, 1511.90.90, 1512.19.00, 1512.29.00, 1513.19.00, 1513.29.00, 1514.19.00, 1514.99.00, 1515.19.00, 1515.29.00, 1515.50.00, 1515.90.00, 1516.10.00, 1516.20.00, 1517.10.00, 1517.90.00, 1518.00.00	Animal or vegetable fats and oils and their cleavage product, including: Pig fat (including lard) and poultry fat, Fats of bovine animals, Stearin, Fats and oils and their fractions, of fish or marine mammals, Wool grease and fatty substances, Other animal fats and oils and their fractions, Crude Soya-bean oil and its fractions, Crude Ground-nut oil, Virgin Olive oil, Crude Palm oil and its fractions, Palm stearin, Crude Sunflower-seed, safflower or cotton-seed oil, Crude Coconut (copra), palm kernel or babassu oil, crude Rape, colza or mustard oil, other crude fixed vegetable fats and oils (including jojoba oil), Glycerol, crude; Vegetable waxes, Degras; residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes.
1702	Glucose and glucose syrup; Maple sugar and maple syrup; Other fructose and fructose syrup etc.
1801, 1802, 1804 & 1805	Cocoa beans, fats and oil; Cocoa beans and shells; Cocoa powder not containing sugar or other sweetening matter.
1901.2010 & 1901.9010	Biscuit powder, Malt extract
2106.10.00 & 2106.90.20	Protein concentrates; and preparations of a kind used in manufacturing of beverages
23	Flours, bran, residues of starch, oil cake and other preparations used in animal feeding
2401	Un-manufactured tobacco; tobacco refuse
2501- 2522, 2523.10.00 & 2525- 2530	Unroasted iron pyrites, Sulphur, Pebbles, Natural graphite, Quartz, Dolomite, clays etc; Quicklime, cement clinkers.
26	Ores, slag and ash
2701- 2708	Coal; Lignite; Peat and coke; Coal gas; Tar; Solvents e.g. Toluene, phenols, xylenes etc; Pitch coal



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2709, 2710.11.50, 2710.11.90, 2710.19.41- 2710.19.49 & 2712.20.00- 2712.90.00	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals, crude; Paraffin wax; Residual fuel oils; white oils and spirit
2801 - 2827, 2829 - 2832, 2833.11.00- 2833.29.00 & 2833.40.00 & 2834 - 2851	Fluorine, chlorine, bromine, iodine; Sulphur; Carbon; Hydrogen; Rare gases; Alkali; Acids; Sulphides, caustic soda, titanium oxides, fluorides, chlorides, silicates, borates, carbides etc; Other sulphates.
2901 - 2935	Acyclic hydrocarbons; Halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons; Sulphonated hydrocarbons; Acyclic & Cyclic alcohols; Phenols; Ketones; Ethers; Epoxides; Aldehydes; Acids; Esters; Amine function compounds; Oxygen function- amino compounds; Quaternary ammonium salts and hydroxides; Carboxamide function compounds; Organo- sulphur compounds; Heterocyclic compounds.
2937 - 2942	Hormones; Vegetable alkaloids; Antibiotics and other organic compounds.
3001 - 3004	Medicaments; Blood; Glands
3006	Pharmaceutical goods.
3201 - 3207 & 3211 - 3212	Tanning extracts; Synthetic organic tanning substances; Synthetic organic colouring matter; Prepared pigments. Pigments used in the manufacture of paints.
3301 - 3302	Essential oils and mixtures of odoriferous substances and mixtures.
3402, 3404 & 3405.40.00	Organic surface-active agents; Artificial waxes and prepared waxes; Scouring pastes and powders.
3503, 3504, 3505.10.00 3506.91.00 & 3506.99.00	Gelatin; Peptones and their derivatives; Dextrin and other modified starches; Hot melt glues and other industrial adhesives.
3507	Enzymes
3601 - 3604	Propellant powders; Prepared explosives; Fireworks; Safety fuses;
3701.10 - 3702.44 & 3702.91 - 3707.90	Photographic films and plates; Cinematographic films; Chemical preparations for photographic uses.
3801 - 3807	Artificial graphite; Colloidal graphite; Activated carbon, Tall oil, Gum wood or sulphate turpentine, Rosins & resin acids, wood tar etc.
3808 - 3809 (Excluding 3808.40.00)	Insecticides, rodenticides, fungicides, herbicides anti- sprouting products and plant growth regulators (Excluding disinfectants and similar products); Finishing agents- used in the textile and like industries.
3810	Pickling preparations for metal surfaces
3812	Prepared rubber accelerators e.g. stabilizers, plasticisers etc.
3816	Refractory cement
3821 - 3822	Prepared culture media for development of microorganisms; Diagnostic or laboratory reagents.
3823 - 3825	Industrial monocarboxylic fatty acids; Prepared binders for foundry moulds or cores; Residual products of the chemical or allied industries.
3901 - 3916	Polymers of ethylene, propylene, styrene, vinyl chloride, vinyl acetate; Acrylic polymers; Polyacetate, polyamides; Amino resins, phenolic resins and polyurethane, silicones; petroleum resins; Cellulose and its derivatives; Natural polymers; Ion exchanger; Waste, parings and scrap of plastics; Monofilaments
3919- 3921 & 3923 - 3924	Self-adhesive plates, sheets, film, foil, tape, strip and Other plates of plastics or other materials Articles for the conveyance or packing of goods, of plastics, Tableware, kitchenware, articles, of plastics.
3926.40.00	Statuettes and other ornamental articles



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4001 - 4002	Natural rubber, balata, gutta-percha, guayule, chile and similar natural gums, in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip; Synthetic rubber derived from oils in primary forms or in sheets, plate or strip.
4003 - 4008	Reclaimed rubber in primary forms or plates, sheets or strip; Waste, parings and scrap of rubber; Compounded rubber, vulcanized rubber, plates, sheet, strip, profile etc.
4010, excluding 4010.31-4010.39	Conveyor or transmission belts or belting of vulcanized rubber.
4012.90.10	Treads for cold retreading
4017	Hard rubber in all forms.
4101 - 4103	Raw hides and skins bovine; Raw skins of sheep or lambs; other raw hides and skins
4301	Raw fur skins
4401 - 4403 & 4404 - 4407 & 4415	Fuel wood; Wood charcoal; Wood in the rough; Hoop wood, wood wool, railway or tramway sleeper, wood sawn or chipped, packing cases, boxes, crates, drums and similar packing, of wood; cable-drums of wood; pallets, box pallets and other load boards, of wood; pallet collars of wood.
4501 - 4503	Natural cork, raw or simply prepared; Natural cork debarked or roughly squared; Articles of natural cork.
4701 - 4707	Mechanical wood pulp; Chemical wood pulp; Pulp of fibres; Recovered paper or paperboard
4801	Newsprint in rolls and sheets.
4802.10.- 4802.55 4802.57.- 4802.61 4804.11- 4804.19.10 4804.21.00 4804.31 - 4804.52 4805.11 - 4805.12 4805.24 - 4808.30 4809.10 - 4810.14 4810.22.00 4810.31 - 4810.32 4810.92.00 4811.10- 4811.41.90 4811.51 - 4816.30 4819.10- 4820.10 4820.30-4821.10.10 4821.90- 4823.12 4823.20-4823.90.10	Uncoated paper and paperboard (others), Uncoated Kraft paper and paperboard and other special paper and paperboard. Vegetable parchment greaseproof paper etc., cigarette paper. Wall paper and similar paper; Floor coverings on base paper or paperboard; Paper, paperboard corrugated, Self copying paper, Registers, account books, note books, receipt books etc; Albums for samples or collections; Binders, folders and file covers; Manifold business forms and interleaved carbon sets. Paper and paperboard labels of all kind; cellulose wadding etc.
49	Printed books, brochures, leaflets, maps and other printed matter; Transfers (decalcomanias).
5001 - 5006	Silk- worm cocoons suitable for reeling; Raw silk; Silk waste; Silk yarn and yarn spun not put up for retail sale.
5101 - 5110	Wool and Fine or coarse animal hair not carded or combed; Yarn of carded and combed wool;
5201 - 5203 & 5205 - 5207	Cotton, Cotton waste; Cotton carded or combed; Cotton yarn
5212.11.00/ 5212.21.00	Other woven fabric of cotton- unbleached
5301 - 5308	Flax, true hemp, jute, sisal and coconut abaca raw or processed but not spun; Yarn of jute and other vegetable textile fibres.
5402 - 5406	Synthetic and artificial filament yarn (other sewing thread) not put up for retail sale; Synthetic and artificial monofilament of 67 decitex or more.
5501 - 5507	Synthetic filament tow, Artificial filament tow, synthetic and artificial staples fibres not carded, combed or otherwise; Synthetic and artificial fibres carded and combed; Waste of man made fibre



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5509 - 5511	Yarn (other than sewing thread) of synthetic, artificial and man- made staple fibres not put up for retail sale.
5601.30	Textile flock and dust and mill neps
5604 - 5606	Rubber threads and cord; Metallised yarn whether or not gimped; Gimped horsehair yarn.
5807	Labels, badges and articles of textile materials.
5902	Tyre cord fabric of high tenacity
5906	Rubberized textile fabrics
6406	Parts of footwear
6603	Parts, trimmings and accessories of articles heading 6601 or 6602
6701 - 6704	Skins and other parts of birds, artificial flowers etc; Human air, wigs, false beards, eyebrows, eyelashes etc.
6804, 6805 & 6813-6815	Millstones, grindstones, grinding wheels etc; Natural abrasives powder or grain; Friction materials; Worked mica or articles of mica; Article of stone or of other mineral substances.
6902 - 6903	Refractory bricks, blocks, tiles and other similar refractory ceramics constructional goods and other refractory ceramic goods.
6913	Statuette and other ornamental ceramic articles.
7001 - 7002	Cullet and other waste and scrap of glass; Glass in balls unworked.
7010 - 7011	Carboys, bottles, jars, phials, stoppers, lids and other closures; Glass envelopes including bulbs and tubes without fittings for electric lamps.
7018 - 7019	Glass beads, imitation pearls and precious stones and other similar glass small ware. Glass fibres including glass wool.
71	Precious stones, precious metals articles of jewellery and imitation jewellery.
7201 - 7202	Pig iron and, spiegeleisen in pigs, blocks or other primary forms; Ferro- alloys
7204 - 7207	Ferrous waste and scrap; remelting scrap ingots of iron and steel; Granules and powders of pig iron; Iron and non- alloy steel ingots or other primary forms; semi finished products of iron or non-alloy steel
7208	Flat-rolled products of Iron or non-alloy steel of a width of 600mm or more not further worked than Hot-rolled.
7209- 7212	Flat rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel (cold rolled) clad, plated or coated
7217.30.10	Wire of iron & non- iron alloy used in the manufacture of tyres.
7218	Stainless steel in ingots or other primary forms;
7224	Other alloy steel in ingots or other primary forms.
7228	Bars and rods of other alloy steel (hot rolled or not further worked)
7302	Railway or tramway truck construction material of iron or steel.
7310	Cans and ends for beverages; Cans which are to closed by soldering or crimping; Aerosol cans and others
7315.11.00, 7315.19.00, 7315.20.00, 7315.81.00 & 7315.90.00	Chain and parts thereof, of iron or steel.
7401 - 7402, 7404, 7406	Copper mattes; cement copper (precipitated copper); Unrefined copper; Copper waste and scrap; Copper powders and flakes.
7501 - 7504	Nickel mattes, nickel oxide sinters and other intermediate products of nickel metallurgy; Nickel waste and scrap; Unwrought nickel not alloyed, nickel powders and flakes.
7601 - 7603	Unwrought aluminum; Aluminum waste and scrap; powders and flakes.



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7606, 7607 & 7612	Aluminum plates, strip, sheets and foil; Collapsible tubular containers, cans and ends of beverages and others.
7801 - 7802 & 7804.20.00	Unwrought lead; Lead waste and scrap; Powders and flakes.
7901 - 7903	Unwrought zinc; Zinc waste and scrap; Zinc dust powders and flakes.
8001 - 8002 & 8005	Unwrought tin; Tin waste and scrap; Powders and flakes.
8101.10- 8101.94	Unwrought Tungsten and Powders
8101.97 - 8101.99	Tungsten waste and scrap.
8102.10 - 8102.94	Unwrought Molybdenum and Powder
8102.97 - 8102.99	Molybdenum Waste and scrap
8103 - 8113	Waste and scrap of Tantalum; Magnesium, Cobalt mattes, Cadmium, Titanium, Zirconium, Antimony, Beryllium, Chromium, Germanium, Vanadium, Gallium, Hafnium, Indium, bismuth, Manganese, Niobium; Unwrought, powder, waste and scrap and other; Cermets and articles thereof.
8207.20.00	Dies for drawing or extruding metal.
8305- 8307	Fittings for loose-leaf binders and files and others including parts; Staples in strips; Bells, gongs and the like (non- electric); Flexible tubing of base metal, iron or steel.
8308- 8310	Hooks, eyes and eyelets; Tubular or bifurcated rivets; Crown corks; Sign-plates, name-plates etc.
84, excluding 8415, 8418.10 - 8418.99, 8421.1200, 8422.1100, 8423.1000, 8423.8100, 8424.10.00, 8424.81.00, 8443, 8452.1000, 8467, 8469, 8470, 8471, 8472, 8473, 8476, 8481, 8482, 8483, 8484	Plants, machinery and parts thereof, excluding: Air conditioning machines, Refrigerators, freezers and other refrigerating or freezing equipment. Clothes dryers, Dish washing machines of the household types. - Personal weighing machines, including baby scales; household scales, Other weighing machines, Fire extinguishers; Agricultural and horticultural sprayers (e.g. Knapsack sprayers). Printing machinery, Sewing machines of the household type, Tools for working in the hand, pneumatic, hydraulic or with self-contained electric or non-electric motor. Typewriters. Calculating machines Automatic data processing machines and units thereof; magnetic or optical readers, machines for transcribing data onto data media in coded form and machines for processing such data, not elsewhere specified or included. E.g. computers, printers etc. Other office machines & parts and accessories. Automatic goods-vending machines Taps, cocks, valves and similar appliances for pipes, boiler shells, tanks, vats or the like, including pressure-reducing valves and thermostatically controlled valves. Ball or roller bearings. Transmission shafts. Gaskets and similar joints.
8514	Industrial or laboratory electric furnaces or ovens.
8542	Electronic integrated circuits and micro assemblies e.g. sim cards, smart cards etc
86	Rail locomotives, railway or tramway goods, vans & wagons and parts thereof.
8701 - 8707, 8709 - 8711, 8713,	Tractors (new or used), Motor vehicles (assembled or unassembled- NEW), Motorcycles (assembled or unassembled- NEW), Carriages for disabled persons.
8708	Used parts and accessories of motor vehicle (Subject to destination inspection)
8716	Trailers, semi- trailers Excluding parts thereof
88,	Balloons & dirigibles; Air crafts e.t.c
89	Cruise ships, excursion boats, light vessels e.t.c
90, excluding 9008, 9009,	Optical fibres and bundles; Lenses, prisms, mirrors, Spectacles, goggle or the like; Photographic camera; Cinematographic cameras; Apparatus for photographic laboratories; Surveying apparatus; Microscopes e.t.c Excluding image projectors and photocopying apparatus
93	Ammunition, weapons implements of war.



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9402 & 9406	Medical, surgical, dental or veterinary furniture; Prefabricated buildings- Green houses, cold rooms and others
9504 - 9505 and 9508	Articles of fun fare; Articles of Christmas festivities; Roundabout, swings, shooting galleries and other fairground amusements.
9606 - 9607	Button moulds and other parts of buttons, button blanks; Slide fasteners and parts thereof.
9618	Tailors' dummies and other lay figures used in the shop window dressing.
97	Object of art and antiques; Stamps
OTHER	Personal effects (Excluding used Road vehicles subject to KS 1515)
OTHER	Gifts made by foreign governments or international organizations to foundations, charities and recognized humanitarian organizations (Excluding used Road vehicles subject to KS 1515).
OTHER	Gifts or supplies to diplomatic and consular missions and to agencies depending from United Nations Organization, imported for their own needs (Excluding used Road vehicles subject to KS 1515)
OTHER	Grants in kind to the Government.
OTHER	Fabrics for conversion including accessories imported by EPZ based companies.
OTHER	Goods with TBS (Tanzania Bureau of Standards) or UNBS marks (Uganda National Bureau of Standards).
OTHER	Samples (Free of charge) exempted from IDF requirements.
OTHER	Parcel post, Courier express parcel or samples not for sale
OTHER	Receipt books, diaries, calendars and other similar articles
OTHER	All goods imported in CKD form for local assembly

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IMPORTANT NOTE:

Products / Goods not covered under the Pre-export Verification Programme are still subject to Destination Inspection under the Standards Act Cap 496 Laws of Kenya.



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3601.00.00	Propellant powders.
3602.00.00	Prepared explosives, other than propellant powders.
3603.00.10	Safety fuses; detonating fuses.
3603.00.90	Other igniters and electric detonators, percussion or detonating caps.
3604.10.00	Fireworks.
3604.90.10	Very (light) flares and railway signals.
3604.90.20	Rain rockets, anti-hail rockets and cartridges; distress and life-saving rockets.
3604.90.90	Other pyrotechnic articles.
8401.10.00	Nuclear reactors.
8401.30.00	Fuel elements (cartridges), non-irradiated, for nuclear reactors.
8401.40.00	Parts of nuclear reactors.
8710.00.00	Tanks and other armoured fighting vehicles, motorised, whether or not fitted with weapons, and parts of such vehicles.
8906.10.00	Warships.
9301.00.00	Military weapons, other than revolvers, pistols & arms of heading no.: 93.07
9302.00.00	Revolvers and pistols, other than those of heading No. 93.03 or 93.04.
9303.10.00	Muzzle-loading firearms
9303.20.00	Other sporting, hunting or target-shooting shotguns, including combination shotgun-rifles.
9303.30.00	Other sporting, hunting or target-shooting rifles.
9303.90.00	Other firearms.
9304.00.00	Other arms (for example, spring, air or gas guns and pistols, truncheons), excluding those of heading No. 93.07.
9305.10.00	Parts of revolvers or pistols.
9305.21.00	Shotgun barrels.
9305.29.00	Other parts of shotguns or rifles.
9305.90.00	Other parts of firearms other than revolver, pistols, shot guns or rifles
9306.10.00	Cartridges for riveting or similar tools or for captive-bolt humane killers and parts thereof.
9306.21.00	Shotgun cartridges.
9306.29.00	Parts of shotgun cartridges or air gun pellets.
9306.30.10	For sporting , hunting, or target shooting
9306.30.90	Other cartridges & parts thereof
9306.90.10	Bombs, grenades, torpedoes, mines, missiles & similar.....of war & parts thereof
9306.90.90	For sporting , hunting, or target shooting
9307.00.00	Swords, cutlasses, bayonets, lances and similar arms and parts thereof and scabbards and sheaths thereof.
OTHER	Used Tyres (Banned, except for some importers holding valid licenses)
OTHER	Motor Vehicles aged over 8 years – Acc.to KS1515:2000 (p.2.5.)- Banned, except in some cases
OTHER	Motor Vehicles with Left Hand Drive (not accepted for registration, unless they are for special purposes)
OTHER	Cosmetics containing substances listed in KS 1474-3:2004



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PROHIBITED PRODUCTS (UNDER CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT- CAP 472)

0506.10.00	Ossein and bones treated with acid.
0506.90.00	Other bones and horn-cores, unworked, defatted, simply prepared but not cut to shape, degelatinised powder and waste thereof.
0507.10.20	Teeth, of hippopotamus, unworked or simply prepared but not cut to shape.
0507.10.10	Ivory, of elephant, unworked or simply prepared but not cut to shape.
0507.10.30	Horn, of rhinoceros, unworked or simply prepared but not cut to shape.
0507.10.40	Other ivory, unworked or simply prepared but not cut to shape.
0507.10.90	Ivory powder and waste.
0507.90.00	Tortoise shell, whalebone and whalebone hair, other horns, antlers, hooves, nails, claws and beaks, unworked or simply prepared but not cut to shape; powder and waste thereof.
0508.00.00	Coral and similar materials, unworked or simply prepared but not otherwise worked; shells of mollusks, crustaceans or echinoderms and cattle-bone, unworked or simply prepared but not cut to shape, powder and waste thereof.
0509.00.00	Natural sponges of animal origin.
2844.50.00	Spent (irradiated) fuel elements (cartridges) of nuclear reactors.
9601.10.00	Worked ivory and articles of ivory.
9601.90.00	Bone, tortoise-shell, horn, antlers, coral, mother-of-pearl and other animal carving material, and articles of these materials (including articles obtained by moulding).
9306.29.00	Parts of shotgun cartridges or air gun pellets.
9306.30.10	For sporting, hunting, or target shooting
9306.30.90	Other cartridges & parts thereof
9306.90.10	Bombs, grenades, torpedoes, mines, missiles & similar.....of war & parts thereof
9306.90.90	For sporting, hunting, or target shooting
9307.00.00	Swords, cutlasses, bayonets, lances and similar arms and parts thereof and scabbards and sheaths thereof.
OTHER	Cosmetics containing substances listed in KS 1474-2:2004 (Banned)



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Europe

Office	Zone of Responsibility
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1. Albania
2. Bulgaria
3. Czechoslovakia
4. Germany
5. Hungary
6. Netherlands
7. Poland
8. Romania
9. Countries that belonged to the EX USSR
10. Countries of EX Yugoslavia

Middle East

1. Iran
2. Kuwait
3. Oman
4. United Arab Emirates (UAE)

North Africa

1. Algeria
2. Morocco
3. Spanish Sahara
4. Tunisia

Selected Asian Countries:

1. Burma
2. North Korea
3. Philippines
4. Thailand
5. Vietnam

The Americas and the Caribbean Countries

1. Antigua
2. Argentina
3. Bahamas
4. Barbados
5. Belize
6. Bolivia
7. Brazil
8. Canada
9. Chile
10. Colombia
11. Costa Rica
12. Cuba
13. Dominica
14. Dominican Republic
15. Ecuador
16. El Salvador
17. Grenada
18. Guatemala
19. Guyana & French Guyana
20. Haiti
21. Honduras
22. Jamaica
23. Mexico
24. Nicaragua
25. Panama
26. Paraguay
27. Peru
28. Puerto Rico
29. St. Vincent Grenadines
30. St. Lucia
31. Surinam

32. Trinidad & Tobago
33. USA
34. Uruguay
35. Venezuela

Australia and Pacific Islands

1. Australia
2. Fiji
3. Kiribati
4. New Guinea
5. New Zealand
6. Solomon Island
7. Tuvalu
8. Vanuatu
9. West Samoa

Africa (Excluding part of North Africa)

1. Angola
2. Benin
3. Botswana
4. Burkina Faso
5. Burundi
6. Cameroon
7. Cape Verde Islands
8. Central African Republic
9. Chad
10. Congo People's Republic
11. Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC)
12. Djibouti
13. Equatorial Guinea
14. Eritrea
15. Ethiopia
16. Gabon
17. Gambia
18. Ghana
19. Guinea
20. Guinea - Bissau
21. Ivory Coast
22. Lesotho
23. Liberia
24. Malagasy (Madagascar)
25. Malawi
26. Mali
27. Mauritania
28. Mauritius
29. Mozambique
30. Namibia
31. Nigeria
32. Reunion
33. Rwanda
34. Sao Tome
35. Senegal
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APPENDIX II

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APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

Request for Certification

RFI No. (KCO Use):

Exporter Details:		Import Declaration Form (IDF)			
Name/Address:		No.:	Date:		
Contact Name:		Country of Origin:			
Tel: Fax:		Country of Supply:			
E-mail:					
Importer Details:		Location of Goods			
Name/Address:		Address:			
Contact Name:		Contact Name:		Fax:	
Tel: Fax:		Tel:		E-mail:	
E-mail:		Full Container Load <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Mode of Transport:		Expected Shipment Date:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Air <input type="checkbox"/> Sea <input type="checkbox"/> Rail <input type="checkbox"/> Road		Port of Loading:			
Port of Discharge:					
HS Code	Quantity	Product <i>(please include brand, model and description)</i>	ICS Code	Registration/ License No.	Standard Ref.

Please note the following

- Your Importer will need a Certificate of Conformity certificate to clear the goods from customs in Kenya. If you prefer the COC to be sent directly to the Importer, please state this clearly in a covering letter with this application. Otherwise, the original will be sent to the exporter.
- Exporters should ensure that this form is completed correctly with the applicable ICS and HS codes stated accordingly.
- This notice assumes that you have read our Terms and Conditions and are in possession of our Guidelines for Exporters and Importers. If not, copies of both are available from our website <http://www.intertek-fts.com>.
- Exporters should provide us with a copy of the final invoice when submitting this application to facilitate the certification process.
- Your shipment may be subject to testing on a selective basis

I..... the undersigned importer/exporter agree to Intertek's terms and conditions and the requirements referenced therein. I also confirm that the products listed in this RFC are genuine and not counterfeit. All legal, financial and other consequences that may arise due the inaccuracy of this statement will be the full responsibility of the applicant.

Signed.....

Position.....



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CERTIFICATE OF CONFORMITY



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Certificate of Conformity

IDF No :
 IDF Issuance Date :
 Reference No.: KBS-123456/1 of 1

CoC No.: GE008759 Page 1 of 1
 Issuance Date :

Importer: ABC (Name, Address, Telephone, fax, email)	Exporter: XYZ. (Name, Address, Telephone, fax, email)
Place and date of inspection : London, UK, 12 Sept. 2005	Port of destination : Nairobi
Shipment mode : AIR	Country of Supply: GB
FOB Value : 1'500 GBP	Invoice No.: PF 123 Date: 15 August 05

Declared HS Code	Quantity	Product	ICS	Standard / Normative REF	Registration / licence Ref.
3385.90	6001.00 UK	BF TREATMENT WAX 480G HENNA	83.040.01	KS ISO 249: 1995	R-281674
3385.90	10032.00 UK	BF TREATMENT WAX 480G ALOE VERA	83.040.01	KS ISO 249: 1995	R-281674
3385.90	9128.00 UK	BF TREATMENT WAX 480G CACTUS	83.040.01	KS ISO 249: 1995	R-281674
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*****	*****	*****	*****	*****	*****

Seal No. Quantity Delivered (Full / Partial):

Remarks :

Signed: 

PVoC Country Office: BRENTWOOD, ESSEX, U.K.

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NON-CONFORMITY REPORT



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Non-Conformity Report

IDF No :
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Issuance Date :

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Description of Non-Conformity

We hereby certify that the description of the goods listed above according to the submitted invoice and IDF have been subjected to verification of conformity and proven to be non-compliant with Kenya standards or approved standards

"NO GOODS THAT DO NOT CONFORM TO THE KENYA STANDARDS OR APPROVED SPECIFICATIONS SHALL BE PERMITTED INTO KENYA, AND SHALL BE RE-SHIPED, RETURNED OR DESTROYED AT THE EXPENSE OF THE IMPORTER"

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