SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE SUID-AFRIKAANSE INKOMSTEDIENS

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CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ACT, 1964 AMENDMENT OF RULES (DAR/111)

Under sections 15 and 120 of the Customs and Excise Act, 1964, the rules published in Government Notice R.1874 of 8 December 1995 are amended to the extent set out in the Schedule hereto.

GEORGE NGAKANE VIRGIL MAGASHULA

COMMISSIONER FOR THE SOUTH AFRICAN REVENUE SERVICE

SCHEDULE

- (a) By the substitution in rule 15.01 (a) for subparagraph (ii) of the following subparagraph:
 - "(ii) A traveller may only use form TC-01 or forms TC-01 and TRD1, for declaring goods or vehicles required to be declared on these forms at the following places and from the date specified for each place:

Place	Date from
Ramathlabama	30 May 2012
Nerston	9 June 2012
Mahamba	16 June 2012
Mananga	30 June 2012
Jeppe's Reef	7 July 2012

Nakop 21 July 2012 Vioolsdrift 21 July 2012 10 November 2012 Grobler's Bridge Kopfontein 10 November 2012 Oshoek 10 November 2012 Skilpadshek 10 November 2012 Caledonspoort 10 November 2012 Golela 10 November 2012 Qacha's Nek 10 November 2012 Van Rooyen's hek 10 November 2012 Ficksburg 15 November 2012 Maseru Bridge 15 November 2012"

- (b) By the substitution in rule 15.01 for paragraph (b) (i) of the following paragraph:
 - "(b) (i) A traveller entering the Republic -
 - (aa) where no red and green channels are provided for at the place where he or she enters the Republic for processing travellers, may without declaring any goods on a form DA 331 or TC-01 and TRD1 exit the restricted area at that place if the goods upon his or her person or in his or her possession—
 - (A) are personal effects;
 - (B) if any other goods, are goods not exceeding the quantities or values of goods that may be imported without payment of duty or value-added tax, as specified under the heading "Allowances" on form DA 331 or form TC-01; and

- (C) are not goods prohibited or restricted under any law of the Republic; or goods for commercial purposes.
- (bb) shall -
 - (A) declare on form DA 331 or forms TC-01 and TRD1 any goods on his person or in his possession or any vehicle that are required to be declared on those forms before leaving the restricted area at the place where he or she enters the Republic;
 - (B) comply with any requirement specified in such form or the notes thereto in respect of the goods or vehicle concerned and the directives referred to in paragraph (a) (iii); and
 - (C) if commercial goods, clear the goods as contemplated in rule 15.02."
- (c) By the substitution in rule 15.01 for paragraph (b) (iii) of the following paragraph:
 - "(iii) For the purposes of declaring goods in terms of section 15 (1), a traveller leaving the restricted area at the place where he or she enters or leaves the Republic without declaring any goods on form DA 331 or forms TC-01 and TRD1 must be regarded as declaring that he or she has no goods upon his or her person or in his or her accompanied baggage other than personal effects."
- (d) By the substitution in item 202.00 of the Schedule to the Rules of the following forms:

"TC-01 Traveller Card

DA 331 Traveller Declaration"

Traveller Card – Republic of South Africa TC-01 This declaration must be completed by travellers in terms of the Customs & Excise Act No. 91 of 1964. Please retain your completed declaration.	
Passport No.	
Flight No. / Ship No. / Vehicle Reg No.	
Reason for Visit:	
Resident Immigrant Study Business Transit Holida	зу
Diplomat Employment Crew Other (specify)	
Occupation:	
Civil Service Diplomat Military / Media Artist Charity Stud	lent
Education Professional Trade / Other Business (specify)	
Are you in Possession of:	
Any prohibited or restricted Y Any goods in excess of Duty Free Allowances (DFA)?	N
Any goods intended for rade? Y N Foreign or ZAR Currency exceeding limits? Y	N
Any valuable goods that you need to register for temporary importation / exportation?	N
Physical Address in South Africa:	
Unit No. Complex (if applicable)	
Street Name	
Street No. of Farm	
Street No. Suburb / District	
Suburb /	
Suburb / District City / Town Postal Code	
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Upon arrival or departure in / from South Africa ALL goods must be declared

- This declaration must be completed with a black / blue pen in English using capital letters
- · Parents or guardians should assist minors to complete the Traveller Card
- Each traveller (or legal guardian in the case of minors) must sign the Traveller Card
- Only the original Traveller Card may be submitted to the Immigration Officer
- After Immigration proceed to either the RED or GREEN channel

Import of the following goods to South Africa is strictly PROHIBITED:



Narcotics and habit-forming drugs



Cigarettes of which the mass exceeds 2kg per 1 000



Fully automatic, military and unnumbered weapons



(TM) Trade description or trademark in contravention of any Act



Explosives and fireworks



Unlawful reproductions of any work subject to copyright



Poison and toxic substances



Penitentiary or prison-made goods

RESTRICTED goods may be imported if you are in possession of the necessary authority or permit. Examples include:



Firearms



Animals, plants and their products



All gold coins or RSA banknotes or bearer instruments in excess of R25 000 or foreign currency exceeding US\$10 000 or equivalent.



Medicine



Unprocessed minerals



Herbal products

The following goods may be imported in terms of duty- and tax-free ALLOWANCES to a maximum of:



Wine - 2 litres



Pipe or cigarette tobacco – 250 grams



Other alcoholic beverages – 1 litre



Cigarettes - 200



Accompanied baggage — new or used goods up to R5 000 (R25 000 if arriving from Botswana, Lesotho, Namibia or Swaziland)



Cigars – 20



Up to 50ml Perfumery and 250ml eau de toilette

- A traveller is entitled to these allowances once per person during a period of 30 days after an absence of 48 hours from South Africa
- The tobacco and alcohol allowance is not applicable to persons under the age of 18 years
- Crew members are not entitled to any consumable allowances
- Personal effects and/or sporting and recreational equipment are duty- and tax-free if brought in by:
 - Visitors for own use and if goods do not remain in South Africa
 - Returning residents where such goods can be identified as the same goods that were taken abroad
- Goods in excess of allowances may attract Customs duty and/or VAT
- Failure to declare any goods, the under-declaration of value or the production of false receipts can lead to seizure of goods, criminal prosecution and imposition of severe penalties

To be completed by driver of vehicle only:

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value

Make of Vehicle

Owner

/IN / Chassis no

Carnet Number (if applicable)

Passengers

Road

Rail

Sea

Air

Mode of Transport: Frequent Traveller

Flight, voyage or vehicle

registration number

days

ID number (SA Residents)

Duration of visit

Passport number

First name(s)

Surname

Vationality

Please read the notes carefully and ensure that you complete ALL fields applicable

Use capital letters and where applicable mark with an X

Please retain this form for your return journey

your mode of transport

Outbound

Inbound

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

DA 331

TRAVELLER DECLARATION

REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA

Customs and Excise Act 91 of 1964

Unaccompanied baggage

on your flight and does not include commercial goods. The duty free concessions that apply to accompanied baggage du on the page of an apply to accompanied baggage and any duty and VAT due thereon must be paid. Please insert the air waybill number applicable to the unaccompanied baggage on the front page of the DA331. Unaccompanied baggage means personal items that you import into South Africa independently from the baggage that accompanied you



Financial

brought into or taken from the Republic. Amounts to be reported are South African currency exceeding R25 000 and foreign currency exceeding the equivalent of \$10 000 carried on your person or in your The laws of the Republic provide for the monitoring of currency



Crew members are entitled to a duty free allowance of a value not exceeding R700. The value of the items that may be assessed on a flat rate. of 20% is restricted to R2 000 per member. Crew members (including the master or pilot)



Registration of goods for re-importation

- Only goods which can be adequately described and are capable of identification beyond all doubt, - e.g. items with serial numbers
- or identifiable marks, may be registered for re-importation.
 This form must be retained by the traveller and handed to a customs officer when the articles registered are returned to South Africa, otherwise full duty and VAT will be levied thereon



Temporary importation of vehicles and other articles (for tourists and travellers resident in foreign countries)

Please ensure that you have the relevant clearance document for the vehicle i.e. Carnets, permits, etc., if applicable:

- This form must be retained by the driver and must be produced
 - on demand to any customs officer or traffic / police official.
- the driver is in possession of a Carnet. This form is only valid for the duration of the visit and in respect of It is compulsory to endorse the Carnet number on the form where
 - The form must be returned to a customs officer at the port of exit upon final departure from South Africa, where upon you will the goods mentioned thereon. receive an acquittal form
 - Only one vehicle may be declared per DA331 form.
- The vehicle must exit South Africa through a designated port of exit on or before the expiration date.
- in the application of the punitive measures of the Customs and Excise Act, including the detention or seizure of the vehicle. If you are not the holder of the licence for the vehicle a letter from Failure to comply with the abovementioned conditions will result
 - the owner authorising the removal must be produced



carefully along the perforation and hand in only the completed form to Should you require any assistance in completing this form, please contact the customs officer on duty. Once completed, please tear customs officer. As this declaration will be scanned, please exercise care not to fold or damage the declaration in any way. the



Lehae La SARS, 299 Bronkhorst Street, Nieuw Muckleneuk, 0161.
Private Bag X923, Pretoria, 0001, South Africa
Web: www.sars.gov.za
Call Centre Number 0860 12 12 18



Please turn over

Other (specify)

Employment

Immigration Business

Crew

Study Diplomatic

(State how many)

Purpose of travel:

Holiday

Africa Allowances	declaration All goods must be declared and the following may be imported without the payment or customs duty and VAT.	Description Exclusions Conditions	n terms of the Personal effects, sporting and recreational equipment	lete the traveller Returning residents Shall only be permitted provided the goods can be identified as being the goods can be identified as being the goods can be identified as being the goods that were taken abroad.	Accompanied or unaccompanied passengers' baggage.	Visitors The goods may not include gifts, samples remain in South Africa.	Consumables			in either the Red (250ml) eau-de-tolet per person be subjected to	Other Goods	strictly prohibited: New or used goods up to R5 000 per person (R25 000 if arriving from Botswara, Lesotho, Namibia or Swaziland) Consumables listed Donly applicable to accompanied above.	and Additional goods (new or used) of above. Is) 000 per person. Goods will attract a 20% rate of characteristic and a total value of the companied at the co		cases lion of the duty at the applicable rate a well as the standard rate of VAT.	s in question are rsonal effects	dairy products, month for own filed prescription	
Welcome to the Republic of South Africa No Notes to assist you in completing your traveller declaration		Who must complete a traveller declaration This declaration must be completed by travellers in terms of the Customas & Excise Activo. 91 of 1964 Foreign traveller (Asilvo weekly), and only complete the traveller		Frequent travellers (daily or weekly) need only complete the traveller declaration on a yearly basis if registered with the applicable office. Parents or guardians should assist minors to complete the declaration.		How to complete the declaration Complete the form in English. Print in capital letters with a black / blue pen. Mark boxes with an X. Ged traveller (or legal guardian in the case of minors) must sign the declaration.		declaration.	Channels - Red or Green at airports and some border crossings After collecting your baggage you must proceed to the Red (Goods to Declare) or Green (Nothing to Declare) channel. Becare) or Green (Nothing to Declare) channel. I you have in your possession any prohibited / restricted goods and / or goods which fall outside your duty free allowance, or if you are unsure whether any goods in your possession fall within these categories, please proceed to the Red Channel. If the goods in your possession fall within your duty free allowance and you not have any prohibited and restricted goods in your possession, please proceed to the Green Channel.	Note You may be stopped and questioned by a customs officer in either the Red or Green channel. Your baggage and / or person may also be subjected to further scrutiny or search.		Troinited Goods The importation of the following goods into South Africa is strictly prohibited: Narcotic and habit-forming drugs in any form Fully automatic, military and unnumbered weapons Explosives and fireworks)		Restricted Goods Certain Goods Certain Goods Certain Control of the Control of th	пойьтотва впа	Animals, plants and their products (e.g. animal skins, dairy products, products, products, products, animal skins, dairy products, products, products, animals, plants and products (e.g. animal skins, dairy products,	
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REPUBLIC OF SOUTH AFRICA (Traveller declaration continued)	wing?		alent of \$10 000?	e allowances?	Statistical Unit		Other goods, not mentioned above, obtained outside the Republic	shops?	Velue	Goods for which you are applying to be registered for temporary importation (excluding goods for which a carnet has been issued)?	Serial / Registration No.	mportation?	on No.	ds. Afalse declaration	Declaration by traveller or legal guardian thereby declare that the particulars herein are true	uting to my curren ontrol of the Minist epublic relating to iblic.	particulars listed.	
SOUTH AFRICA	Are you in possession of the following? If 'yes please complete the relevant section.	The street of th	Foreign currency exceeding the equivalent of \$10 000?	cess of the duty fre ods?	Quantity		nentioned above, o	including goods obtained at tax free shops?		ou are applying to I		Goods you intend registering for re-importation?	Serial	ve declared all good rosecution.	y traveller or l	SARS may make information relating institutions under the direction or contradministration of the laws of the Republication or taken from the Republic	Signature Customs officer the correctness of the p	
REPUBLIC OF §	Are you in possession of the folloff 'Yes' please complete the relevant section South African currency exceeding R29		Foreign currency ex	Consumables in excess of the duty free allowances? Any commercial goods?	Description		Other goods, not m	including goods ob	Description	Goods for which yo	Description	Goods you intend r	Description	Ensure that you have forfeiture and / or pr	Declaration by	SARS may make institutions under administration of brought into or tal	Signature Approval by Customs officer I have verified the correctness of the particulars listed	