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GOODS	DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	CUSTOMS PRESCRIPTIONS	REMARKS
<p>Shipper of any nationality moving to Greece by sea from an EU country</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From removal agent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ T2L (original copy number 4) stamped by customs at origin unless this is done electronically (in which case your removal company just need a copy with bar code) or declared STATUS C on B/L. ▪ Packing list. ▪ OBL. ▪ From customer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Authorization / Declaration form. ▪ Photocopy of valid passport. ▪ Note: above form is provided by your removal company locally and needs to be legalized by Greek authorities (i.e., any K.E.P. center in Greece) or at any Greek Embassy/Consulate abroad. Alternative, legalization can be done on-line using https://docs.gov.gr/start/ (relevant instructions will be provided to customer). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Duty free entry. ▪ Prohibited items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength exceeding 22% vol. or under natured ethyl alcohol of 80% vol. and over: 1 litre or Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength not exceeding 22% vol.: 2 litres or a proportional combination of these different products. Additionally, a total of 4 litres of still wine and up to 16 litres of beer. ▪ Guns ▪ Drugs ▪ Explosives ▪ Live plants ▪ Stuffed animals ▪ Animal skins ▪ Ivory ▪ Tobacco ▪ Items of historical significance (i.e., older than 100 years). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ In addition, for shipments arriving to Port of Heraklion/Crete (GR) your removal company needs also copy of rental or Ownership of house contract verified by the local Greek tax office.

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<p>Shipper of any nationality moving to Greece from a non-EU country</p> <p><u>1st option:</u> Taxes/duties applicable</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From removal agent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Packing list, clearly stating all electrical appliances with brands, models and serial numbers (or a separate list with info provided). ▪ OBL / AWB / CMR. ▪ From customer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Authorization form. ▪ Declaration from. ▪ EORI application form. ▪ EORI declaration form. ▪ Photocopy of valid passport. ▪ Greek Vat number & Tax office where registered ▪ Electronic authorization (related instructions are provided). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ According to new customs procedures it is mandatory that authorization is done also online. ▪ Above form is provided by destination agent locally and needs to be legalized by Greek authorities (i.e., any K.E.P. center in Greece) or at any Greek Embassy/Consulate abroad. Alternative, legalization can be done on-line using https://docs.gov.gr/start/ (relevant instructions will be provided to customer). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Taxes/duties applicable. ▪ Prohibited items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength exceeding 22% vol. or under natured ethyl alcohol of 80% vol and over: 1 liter or Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength not exceeding 22% vol.: 2 liters or a proportional combination of these different products. Additionally, a total of 4 liters of still wine and up to 16 liters of beer. ▪ Guns. ▪ Drugs. ▪ Explosives. ▪ Live plants. ▪ Stuffed animals. ▪ Animal skins. ▪ Ivory. ▪ Tobacco. ▪ Items of historical significance (i.e., older than 100 years). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Unless customer is working for a company who services a particular duty-free status (i.e., contract with Greek Government).
<p><u>2nd option:</u> Tax- & duty-free entry</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From removal agent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Packing list, clearly stating all electrical appliances with brands, models and serial numbers (or a separate list with info 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Duty free entry with certificate of repatriation. ▪ If customer is entitled to a “certificate of 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Consignee must have lived abroad for at least the last two years (continuously). ▪ Consignee’s presence at customs is required.

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	<p>provided).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OBL / AWB / CMR. ▪ From customer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Original Certificate of repatriation. ▪ Original passports (old & valid) * of whomever is mentioned in the certificate of repatriation. ▪ Proof that customer has been living in the country of origin for the last two continuous years (e.g., last two years tax returns or any other proof of continuous residency). ▪ Customer's Greek VAT no. (A.F.M.) & name of tax office where registered in Greece (D.O.Y.). ▪ Copy of work/residence permit or house purchase/rental contract in case customer is not Greek national. ▪ Authorization form. ▪ Declaration from. ▪ EORI application form. ▪ EORI declaration form. ▪ Electronic authorization (related instructions are provided). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ It is mandatory that authorization is done also online. ▪ Above form is provided by destination agent locally and needs to be legalized by Greek authorities (i.e., any K.E.P. center in Greece) or at any Greek Embassy/Consulate abroad. ▪ Alternative, legalization can be done on-line using https://docs.gov.gr/start/ (relevant instructions will be provided to customer). 	<p>repatriation for primary residency” then he must apply for this at the Greek Embassy / Consulate at origin at least one month prior to shipment’s exportation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Prohibited items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength exceeding 22% vol. or under natured ethyl alcohol of 80% vol and over: 1 liter or Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength not exceeding 22% vol.: 2 liters or a proportional combination of these different products. Additionally, a total of 4 liters of still wine and up to 16 liters of beer. ▪ Guns. ▪ Drugs. ▪ Explosives. ▪ Live plants. ▪ Stuffed animals. ▪ Animal skins. ▪ Ivory. ▪ Tobacco. ▪ Items of historical significance (i.e., older than 100 years). 	<p>Otherwise, customer must prepare authorization & affidavit forms with legalization of signature from Greek authorities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ It is advisable to contact your Greek agent as regulations & requirements can change without prior notice. ▪ * Old passport Is required in case the valid one is issued within the last 2 years.

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<p>Shipper of any nationality returning to Greece from a non-EU country within 18 months of original exportation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From agent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Packing list. ▪ OBL / AWB / CMR. ▪ From customer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The re-importation license or customs proof of export declaration document obtained from the Exporting Moving Company (provided the same items have been exported within the last 18 months). ▪ Inventory list of exported items (normally attached to Customs declaration document). ▪ Authorization form. ▪ Declaration from. ▪ EORI application form. ▪ EORI declaration form. ▪ Electronic authorization (related instructions are provided). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ According to new customs procedures it is mandatory that authorization is done also online. ▪ Above form is provided by destination agent locally and needs to be legalized by Greek authorities (i.e., any K.E.P. centre in Greece) or at any Greek Embassy/Consulate abroad. Alternative, legalization can be done on-line using https://docs.gov.gr/start/ (relevant instructions will be provided to customer). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Duty Free entry with re-importation license. ▪ Prohibited items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength exceeding 22% vol. or under natured ethyl alcohol of 80% vol and over: 1 liter or Alcohol and alcoholic beverages, with an alcoholic strength not exceeding 22% vol.: 2 liters or a proportional combination of these different products. Additionally, a total of 4 liters of still wine and up to 16 liters of beer. ▪ Guns. ▪ Drugs. ▪ Explosives. ▪ Live plants. ▪ Stuffed animals. ▪ Animal skins. ▪ Ivory. ▪ Tobacco. ▪ Items of historical significance (i.e., older than 100 years). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ In the event that client is importing more items than what was exported, he will be liable for duties and taxes ONLY on the additional items.
<p>Diplomats moving to Greece from a Non-EU country</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From removal agent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Packing list, clearly stating all electrical appliances with brands, models, and serial numbers (or a separate list with info provided). ▪ OBL / AWB / CMR. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Temporary duty-free entry – with validity until termination of diplomat’s employment. ▪ Prohibited items: same as above. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Embassy Franchise basis.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From customer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Original Diplomatic Franchise from Embassy at destination. ▪ Copy of Diplomatic passport / ID. ▪ Letter from Embassy certifying diplomat's commencement of employment. ▪ Authorization form: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Provided by destination agent locally. ▪ Should be stamped & signed by the Embassy. 		
<p>Cars & motorbikes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ From removal agent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ OBL / CMR / AWB. ▪ Export customs documents. ▪ From customer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Original title of vehicle and / or ▪ Original registration card ▪ Conformity certificate from European dealer ▪ Copy of driving license ▪ Greek or International Insurance ▪ Authorization form ▪ Declaration from ▪ EORI application form ▪ EORI declaration form ▪ Photocopy of passport (valid) ▪ Electronic authorization: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ According to new customs procedures it is mandatory that authorization is done also online. ▪ Above form is provided by destination agent locally and needs to be legalized by Greek authorities (i.e., any K.E.P. centre in Greece) or at any Greek Embassy/Consulate abroad. Alternative, legalization can be done on-line using https://docs.gov.gr/start/ (relevant instructions will be provided 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Importation options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ As a tourist: Temporary customs clearance. Customer can drive vehicle in Greece with foreign plates for six months. After that period vehicle has to be re-exported or registered in Greece and get Greek plates ▪ Payment of taxes/duties when applicable the amount depends on vehicle's cc, model, type, and gas exhaust measurements etc. ▪ Certificate of repatriation: Tax- & duty-free status. Customer will pay for registration fees and any other local tax fee. ▪ As a diplomat: diplomatic franchise required. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Regarding motorbikes, their chassis has to have at least seventeen (17) digits. ▪ Either car or motorbike has to be under the latest European manufacturing standards (in order to get Greek plates. ▪ It is highly recommended to contact the destination agent to determine first of all if vehicle can be registered into Greece and if so, what the cost would be.

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	<p>to customer).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If customer has a “certificate of repatriation” then in addition to the above docs mentioned, the customer must also provide all related docs for a certificate of repatriation as stated in related paragraph. ▪ In this case, car must be under shipper’s ownership for at least 6 months prior to the issuance of the certificate of repatriation. 		



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