

## Singapore

### USEFUL INFORMATION & CUSTOMS REGULATIONS



#### Documents needed for the customs clearance of Household Goods

- Original Passport
- Original work permit aka employment pass
- Letter of sponsorship from employer
- Customs duty exemption form
- OBL and Inventory list

#### Customs Regulations

- Duty free if: Removal goods consist of used household personal effects which have been in the owner's use and possession abroad and they are for the continued use of the owner in this new residence. The owner intends to remain in the country for at least twelve months. The articles & effects must have been in the owner's possession and use for less than 3 months. The goods must be imported within 6 months of his first arrival, and they must not be disposed of within 3 months from date of importation.
- Owner should have a work permit/employment pass valid for at least one year. If this has not been attained at the time of clearance, the owner may produce his application with his Company's letter of sponsorship.

#### Restricted items:

- Weapons requiring permissions to import include swords, knives including antiques and replicas, spear guns, blow pipes, bows and arrows. Authorisation for import issued by the police authorities.
- Items of this nature must be declared. Customs will order that items be handed over to the Police Authorities for Import License. Must be part of household goods and in minimize quantity.

#### Prohibited Articles

Drugs, firearms, ammunition, obscene and indecent material, weapons, opium, poppy seeds, plants, soil, synthetic narcotics, alcohol and intoxicating liquor etc. are strictly prohibited

#### Remarks:

- All films, videodiscs, publications audio tapes, gramophone records and cd have to be examined. Videotapes must be declared.

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