

Customer Advisory

Date: 17th June 2025 Dear Valued Customers

<u>Subject: Mandatory Inclusion of HS Code in Cargo Manifest for Shipments to Iraq – Effective 01 July 2025.</u>

Effective 01 July 2025, all inbound shipments to Iraq must have the HS Code clearly indicated in the cargo manifest.

This requirement has been introduced by Iraqi customs authorities to ensure alignment of incoming cargo data with the SCUDA system, facilitating more accurate and efficient cargo clearance.

We kindly request all Ports of Loading to ensure strict compliance with this requirement to avoid any potential delays or issues during clearance at the Port of Discharge: Umm Qasr Port, Iraq.

Attached is the official circular issued by the State Agent – Ministry of Transportation, State Company for Maritime Transport for your reference.

Thank you for your cooperation and continued support.



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Section: Agencies

To/All Maritime Service Companies

M/Adding the Harmonized System Code to the Maritime Manifest

.. Greetings.

Referring to the letter of the General Authority of Customs/National Project for Automation and Modernization of Customs No.

64/18S/3653 dated 6/11/2025

including the addition of the Harmonized System Code (HS Code) for goods within the shipping document (Cargo Manifest)

for the purpose of matching the data of incoming goods with the SCUDA system

We hope to implement the above by 7/1/2025 at the latest, noting that it will be added to the delivery

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الى / شركات الخدمات البحرية كافة

م / إضافة الرمز المنسق على المنافيست البحري

تحية طيبة ...

إشارة الى كتاب الهيئة العامة للكمارك / المشروع الوطني لأتمتة وتحديث الكمارك ي العدد ٨١/٤٢س/٥٥ ٢٦/ في ١١/٢/٥٢٠١

المتضمن إضافة الرمز المنسق للبضائع (Hs code) ضمن وثيقة الشحن (Cargo Manifest) لغرض مطابقة بيانات البضائع الواردة مع نظام الاسكيودا.

راجين العمل بما جاء في الأعلى في موعد أقصاه ٢٠٢٥/٧/١ ، علماً انه سيضاف في امر التسليم الصادر من مكاتبنا في الموعد ذاته.

شاكرين تعاونكم معنا ... مع التقدير

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