



Approved Goods List

Disclaimer

This Approved Goods List has been developed by the Business Licensing Authority (BLA), in conjunction with HM Customs, to assist applicants with business licensing applications.

Please note that the sale, importation, exportation and operation of the goods contained in this Approved Goods List may be subject to additional licensing requirements and other restrictions imposed by other enforcement bodies and/or authorities. Applicants should acquaint themselves with the legal requirements surrounding the sale, importation, exportation and operation of any of the goods they intend to trade in. For specific importation queries please contact HM Customs.

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1. All types of meat including porcine, bovine, ovine and equine meats, poultry, game and processed meats; preparations thereof.

Restrictions:

- a. Frozen meat except as a constituent of another whole product to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.
- b. Meat and Meat Products to be imported in accordance with Part III of the Imported Foods Regulations 1998.

2. Fish, shellfish and seafood; preparations thereof.

Restrictions:

- a. Fresh fish to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.

3. Edible products of animal origins; dairy products, milk, eggs, honey; preparations thereof.

Restrictions:

- a. Milk to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987 and under a licence issued pursuant to the Milk Regulations 1988 issued by the Environmental Agency.
- b. Eggs to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.

4. Fruit and vegetables; preparations thereof.

Restrictions:

- a. Potatoes, fresh fruit and fresh vegetables to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.

5. Flour baked food: Bread, patisserie, cakes, biscuits.

Restrictions:

- a. Untoasted and leavened brown or white bread, in whole loaves, sliced loaves or rolls except as a constituent of another whole product, bread and roll making dough, whether fresh or



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frozen to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.

6. Sweets and confectionery: ice creams, candy, liquorice.
7. Seeds, nuts, cereals, miscellaneous grains and spices; preparations thereof.
8. Animal/vegetable fats and oils.
9. Soft drinks & other non-alcoholic beverages: coffee, tea, water, fruit juice.

Restrictions:

- a. *Bottled water or bulk supply water to be imported under a licence issued in accordance with the Public Health Act issued by the Environmental Agency.*
10. Intoxicating liquor as defined by the Licensing and Fees Act including wines, spirits and beers.

Restrictions:

- a. *To be sold only by a holder of a valid licence issued in accordance with the Licensing and Fees Act.*
 - b. *To be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.*
11. Tobacco as defined in the Tobacco Act including cigarettes, cigars and shisha tobacco.

Restrictions:

- a. *To be sold only by a holder of a valid licence issued in accordance with the Tobacco Act.*
 - b. *To be imported under the authority of an import permit issued by the Collector of Customs issued in accordance with the Tobacco Act, 1997.*
12. Electronic cigarettes, other tobacco substitutes and other nicotine based products.
13. Smokers' requisites and paraphernalia.
14. Optical and audiology equipment and products and accessories: testing equipment, lenses, sunglasses, hearing aids, defenders; parts thereof.
15. Surgical and dental equipment and products and accessories; parts thereof.
16. Prescription only medicines and drugs covered by the Medicines (Prescription only) Regulations, 1987 and medicinal products not listed on a general sale list, as per the Medical and Health Act.

Restrictions:

- a. *To be imported only by a pharmacy registered under the Medical and Health (Registration of Pharmacies) Regulations 2008, a validly registered medical practitioners under the Medical and Health Act or with a licence granted by the Public Health Director under the Medical and Health Act; and*
 - b. *To be sold or supplied only by a pharmacy registered under the Medical and Health (Registration of Pharmacies) Regulations 2008.*
17. Any medicinal product specified on a general sale list, as per the Medical and Health Act.
18. Perfumery, toiletries, cosmetics, personal care products.
19. Health food and dietary supplements.
20. Hair products and accessories (including electrical hair products).



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21. Medical gases in gaseous or liquid form (excluding prescription only medicines and drugs covered by the Medicines (Prescription only) Regulations, 1987 and medicinal products not listed on a general sale list).
22. Detergents and cleaning materials.
23. Other non-industrial chemical products.
24. Domestic animals & animal/pet medicines.

Restrictions:

- a. *Pet shops are licensed in accordance with the Pet Animals (Sales) Act 2005.*
- b. *The sale, importation and exportation of animals referred to in Schedule 1, Part 1 of the Endangered Species Act 1990 is restricted.*

25. Pet food and pet care accessories.
26. Plants, flowers, horticultural goods, gardening accessories, fertilisers.

Restriction

- a. *The sale, importation and exportation of plants referred to in Schedule 1, Part 2 and Schedule 2 of the Endangered Species Act 1990 is restricted.*

27. Industrial building materials, equipment and plant machinery; parts thereof.

Restrictions:

- a. *The importation of asbestos materials is prohibited under the Control of Asbestos Regulations 2007.*

28. Household building materials and equipment; parts thereof.
29. Electrical materials and equipment; parts thereof.
30. Plumbing materials and equipment; parts thereof.
31. Flooring material: Carpets, tiles, ceramics, laminates and other textile floor coverings.
32. Wallpaper, paints and other decorative materials, tools and accessories; parts thereof.
33. Tools, construction accessories and general DIY items; parts thereof.
34. Renewable energy equipment and energy-conservation materials; parts thereof.
35. Security and safety equipment and clothing; parts thereof.
36. Household and electro-domestic goods and appliances; parts thereof.
37. Audio sound; equipment; parts thereof.
38. Televisions, television accessories and mounts; parts thereof.
39. Satellite and terrestrial television equipment; parts thereof.
40. Climate control appliances and accessories; parts thereof.
41. Photographic goods and accessories; parts thereof.
42. Computers, computing related items, parts; hardware & software; parts thereof.
43. Mobile telephone, telephones and communication related devices, radios; parts thereof.

Restrictions:

- a. *Subject to any licence required for importation under the Communications Act 2006.*

44. Furniture and household accessories; parts thereof.
45. Porcelain, ceramic, glass and glassware.



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46. Art and antiques.
47. Textiles and fabrics: silk, cotton, wool and woven fabric.
48. Clothes and clothing accessories.
49. Leather goods and fur-skins: artificial fur.
Restriction
 - a. *The sale, importation and exportation of items referred to in Schedule 3 of the Endangered Species Act 1990 is restricted.*
50. General footwear.
51. Headgear.
52. Bags, luggage and travelling goods; parts thereof.
53. Jewellery and watches; parts thereof.
54. Costume jewellery and fashion accessories; parts thereof.
55. Sportswear and sports equipment; parts thereof.
56. Umbrellas, sun umbrellas.
57. Motor vehicles requiring registration under the Traffic Act including cars, motor cycles and electric vehicles (excluding marine craft); parts thereof.
58. Motor vehicle accessories including protective and safety gear; parts thereof.
59. Marine craft/equipment (imported only in accordance with the provisions of the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987) and nautical equipment, parts and accessories.
60. Caravan and camping equipment and accessories ((Excluding those structures (Towed or Vehicular) as defined by Schedule 1 Chapter 5 of the Imports and Exports Control Regulations 1987)); parts thereof.
Restrictions:
 - a. *The importation of caravans or any other structure devised or adapted for human habitation is prohibited or restricted except under licence issued by the Collector of Customs in accordance with the Imports and Exports Control Regulations, 2003.*
61. Other vehicles not requiring motor vehicle registration, including mobility scooters; parts thereof.
62. Industrial and special gases in gaseous or liquid form
63. Petroleum products, oils, lubricants and fuels.
Restrictions:
 - a. *Petrol to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Petroleum Act.*
64. Charcoal, lumber, wood.
65. Books, and printed materials: newspapers, magazines, stamps.
66. Signage, printing materials.
67. Stationery and accessories.
68. Musical instruments; parts and accessories.
69. Children's toys and games; parts and accessories.



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70. Vending machines: amusement, gaming, gambling as defined in the Gambling Act, food and beverage machines; parts thereof.

Restrictions:

a. *The operation of gaming machines is regulated under the Gambling Act.*

71. Funerary products and accessories: burial caskets.

72. Arms, ammunition and explosives; parts thereof.

Restrictions:

a. *Subject to permission in writing of the Commissioner of Police under the Firearms Act.*

73. Pyrotechnical products.

Restrictions:

a. *Subject to a licence issued by the Collector of Customs issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.*

b. *Subject to a licence from the Commissioner of Police issued in accordance with the Explosives Regulations.*

74. Precious gems and metals including bullion artefacts other than jewellery.

Restrictions:

a. *Gold bullion and gold coins to be imported under an import licence issued in accordance with the Imports and Exports (Control) Regulations, 1987.*

75. Other edible animal products including snails, insects and frogs; preparations thereof.

76. Industrial cleaning equipment and machinery (not including special purpose vehicles); parts thereof.

77. Industrial chemical products and other hazardous materials.

78. Batteries and accumulators as defined in Part IV of the Environment (Waste) Regulations 2007.

79. Scrap metals and other materials for reprocessing.

Restrictions:

a. *The import or export of Waste (Hazardous or non-hazardous) is not allowed except with the consent of the Environmental Agency issued in accordance with the Public Health Act.*

80. Disposable plastic, cardboard, aluminium and paper products.

81. Baby and infant products and equipment, including push chairs; parts thereof.

82. Haberdashery, sewing materials and accessories related thereto.

83. Special purpose motor vehicles, other than those principally designed for the transport of persons or goods.

Restrictions:

a. *Any vehicle with a licensable radio transmitter or wireless control is subject to any licence required for importation under the Communications Act 2006.*

84. Clinical medical devices and equipment including resuscitation, rehabilitation, decontamination and patient monitoring equipment; parts thereof.

85. Other medical equipment including, stretchers, wheelchairs, rescue equipment, clinical waste equipment; parts thereof.



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86. Industrial grade appliances and machinery, including commercial kitchen appliances and equipment; parts thereof.
87. Special purpose appliances and machinery; parts thereof.
88. Devices and equipment primarily designed to aid the elderly and the disabled; parts thereof.

In the unlikely event that goods to be traded are not set out in the Approved Goods List please provide a full description of the goods in the relevant application form for consideration by the BLA. The BLA reserves the right to assign such goods to any category in the Approved Goods List when issuing a business licence.

Qualification

The categories and numbering in the Approved Goods List may be subject to change at the sole discretion of the BLA at any time. Such re-numbering or re-categorisation may result in changes to issued business licences.

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