

DECLARATION FOR FREE ENTRY OF UNACCOMPANIED ARTICLES

19 CFR 148.6, 148.52, 148.53, 148.77

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PART I—TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL PERSONS SEEKING FREE ENTRY OF ARTICLES (Please consult with the Customs official for additional information or assistance. REMEMBER—All of your statements are subject to verification. False declarations or failure to declare articles could result in penalties.)

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| 1. IMPORTER'S NAME (Last, first and middle) | 2. IMPORTER'S DATE OF BIRTH | 3. IMPORTER'S DATE OF ARRIVAL |
| 4. IMPORTER'S U.S. ADDRESS | 5. IMPORTER'S PORT OF ARRIVAL | |
| | 6. NAME OF ARRIVING VESSEL/CARRIER AND FLIGHT/TRAIN | |
| 7. NAME(S) OF ACCOMPANYING HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS (wife, husband, minor children, etc.) | | |

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| 8. THE ARTICLES FOR WHICH FREE ENTRY IS CLAIMED BELONG TO ME AND/OR MY FAMILY AND WERE IMPORTED | A. DATE | B. NAME OF VESSEL/CARRIER | C. FROM (Country) | D. BL OR AWB OR I.T. NO. |
| E. NUMBER AND KINDS OF CONTAINERS | F. MARKS AND NUMBERS | | | |

PART II—TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL PERSONS EXCEPT U.S. PERSONNEL AND EVACUEES

9. RESIDENCY ("X" appropriate box)

I declare that my place of residence abroad is was

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| A. NAME OF COUNTRY | B. LENGTH OF TIME |
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C. RESIDENCY STATUS UPON MY/OUR ARRIVAL ("X" One)

(1) Returning resident of the U.S. (2) Nonresident: a. Emigrating to the U.S. b. Visiting the U.S.

10. STATEMENT(S) OF ELIGIBILITY FOR FREE ENTRY OF ARTICLES

I the undersigned further declare that ("X" all applicable items and submit packing list):

A. Applicable to RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT

- (1) All household effects acquired abroad for which free entry is sought were used abroad for at least one year by me or my family in a household of which I or my family was a resident member during such period of use, and are not intended for any other person or for sale. (9804.00.05, HTSUSA)
- (2) All instruments, implements, or tools of trade, occupation or employment, and all professional books for which free entry is sought were taken abroad by me or for my account or I am an emigrant who owned and used them abroad. (9804.00.10, 9804.00.15, HTSUSA)

B. Applicable to RESIDENT ONLY

- All personal effects for which free entry is sought were taken abroad by me or for my account. (9804.00.45, HTSUSA)

C. Applicable to NONRESIDENT ONLY

- (1) All articles of apparel, personal adornment, toiletries and similar personal effects for which free entry is sought were actually owned by me and in the possession of myself, or those members of my family who accompanied me, at the time of departure to the United States and that they are appropriate and are intended for our personal use and not for any other person nor for sale. (9804.00.20 HTSUSA)
- (2) Any vehicles, trailers, bicycles or other means of conveyance being imported are for the transport of me and my family and such incidental carriage of articles as are appropriate to my personal use of the conveyance. (9804.00.35, HTSUSA)

PART III—TO BE COMPLETED BY U.S. PERSONNEL AND EVACUEES ONLY

I, the undersigned, the owner, importer, or agent of the importer of the personal and household effects for which free entry is claimed, hereby certify that they were in direct personal possession of the importer, or of a member of the importer's family residing with the importer, while abroad, and that they were imported into the United States because of the termination of assignment to extended duty (as defined in section 148.74(d) of the Customs Regulations) at a post or station outside the United States and the Customs Territory of the United States, or because of Government orders or instructions evacuating the importer to the United States; and that they are not imported for sale or for the account of any other person and that they do not include any alcoholic beverages or cigars. Free entry for these effects is claimed under Subheading No. 9805.00.50, Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States.

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| 1. DATE OF IMPORTER'S LAST DEPARTURE FROM THE U.S. | 2. A COPY OF THE IMPORTER'S TRAVEL ORDERS IS ATTACHED AND THE ORDERS WERE ISSUED ON: |
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PART IV—TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL PERSONS SEEKING FREE ENTRY OF ARTICLES (Certain articles may be subject to duty and/or other requirements and must be specifically declared herein. Please check all applicable items and list them separately in item D on the reverse.)

A. For U.S. Personnel, Evacuees, Residents and Non-Residents

- (1) Articles for the account of other persons. (2) Articles for sale or commercial use.
- (3) Firearms and/or ammunition. (4) Alcoholic articles of all types or tobacco products.
- (5) Fruits, plants, seeds, meats, or birds. (6) Fish, wildlife, animal products thereof.

B. For Residents and Non-Residents ONLY

- (7) Foreign household effects acquired abroad and used less than one year. (8) Foreign household effects acquired abroad and used more than one year.

C. For Resident ONLY

- (9) Personal effects acquired abroad.
- (10) Foreign made articles acquired in the United States and taken abroad on this trip or acquired abroad on another trip that was previously declared to U.S. Customs.
- (11) Articles taken abroad for which alterations or repairs were performed abroad.

D. LIST OF ARTICLES

| (1) ITEM NUMBER CHECKED IN PART IV, A., B., C. | (2) DESCRIPTION OF MERCHANDISE | (3) VALUE OR COST OF REPAIRS | (4) FOREIGN MERCHANDISE TAKEN ABROAD THIS TRIP: <i>State where in the U.S. the foreign merchandise was acquired or when and where it was previously declared to U.S. Customs.</i> |
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PART V—CARRIER'S CERTIFICATE AND RELEASE ORDER

The undersigned carrier, to whom or upon whose order the articles described in PART I, 8., must be released, hereby certifies that the person named in Part I, 1., is the owner or consignee of such articles within the purview of section 484(h), Tariff Act of 1930.

In accordance with the provisions of section 484(h), Tariff Act of 1930, authority is hereby given to release the articles to such consignee.

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| 1. NAME OF CARRIER | 2. SIGNATURE OF AGENT (Print and sign) Date |
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PART VI—CERTIFICATION TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL PERSONS SEEKING FREE ENTRY

I, the undersigned, certify that this declaration is correct and complete.

1. "X" One

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| <input type="checkbox"/> A. Authorized Agent* (From facts obtained from the importer) | <input type="checkbox"/> B. Importer |
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| 2. SIGNATURE | 3. DATE |
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*An Authorized Agent is defined as a person who has actual knowledge of the facts and who is specifically empowered under a power of attorney to execute this declaration (see 19 CFR 141.19, 141.32, 141.33).

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| PART VII—CUSTOMS USE ONLY (Inspected and Released) | 1. SIGNATURE OF CUSTOMS OFFICIAL | 2. DATE |
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**DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
U.S. CUSTOMS SERVICE**

SEALAND BUILDING
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ELIZABETH, NJ 07201
201-443-0110

**SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION FOR UNACCOMPANIED ARTICLES, PERSONAL
EFFECTS AND HOUSEHOLD GOOD SHIPMENTS.**

1. OWNER OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS:

(LAST NAME, FIRST & MIDDLE) _____

2. DATE OF BIRTH _____ **3. CITIZENSHIP** _____

4. PASSPORT (COUNTRY & NUMBER) _____ ****VISA STATUS**** _____

(IE: B-2, W/B, G-5)

5. SOCIAL SECURITY # _____

6. RESIDENT ALIEN # _____

7. U.S. ADDRESS _____

8. FOREIGN ADDRESS _____

9. REASON FOR MOVING _____

10. EMPLOYER _____

11. POSITION W/ COMPANY _____

12. LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT _____

13. NATURE OF BUSINESS _____

**14. NAME & TELEPHONE # OF COMPANY AND OFFICIAL WHO CAN VERIFY ABOVE
INFORMATION:** _____

15. NAME & ADDRESS OF FREIGHT FORWARDS/PACKERS/SHIPPING AGENT:

16. SHIPPING ITINERARY (PORT OF LOADING AND LANDING): _____

17. CERTIFICATION (CHECK ONE) A. AGENT _____ **B. IMPORTER** _____

18. SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

PLEASE NOTE: WE CAN BEGIN THE IMPORT OR EXPORT PROCESS BASED ON A FAXED COPY OF THE SIGNED POWER OF ATTORNEY, HOWEVER, WE CAN NOT RELEASE ANY MERCHANDISE FOR DELIVERY UNTIL WE RECEIVE YOUR POWER OR ATTORNEY WITH AN ORIGINAL SIGNATURE.

CUSTOMS POWER OF ATTORNEY / DESIGNATION AS EXPORT FORWARDING AGENT
And Acknowledgement of Terms and Conditions and Credit Terms

Check appropriate box:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Individual |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Partnership |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Corporation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Sole Proprietorship |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Limited Liability Company |

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That, _____, doing business as a _____, under the laws of the State of _____, residing or having a principal place of business at _____, hereby constitutes and appoints _____, its officers, employees, and/or specifically authorized agents, to act for and on its behalf as a true and lawful agent and attorney of the grantor for and in the name, place and stead of said grantor, from this date, in the United States (the "territory") either in writing, electronically, or by other authorized means, to:

- Make, endorse, sign, declare, or swear to any customs entry, withdrawal, declaration, certificate, bill of lading, carnet or any other documents required by law or regulation in connection with the importation, exportation, transportation, of any merchandise in or through the customs territory, shipped or consigned by or to said grantor;
- Perform any act or condition which may be required by law or regulation in connection with such merchandise deliverable to said grantor, to receive any merchandise;
- Make endorsements on bills of lading conferring authority to transfer title; make entry or collect drawback; and to make, sign, declare or swear to any statement or certificate required by law or regulation for drawback purposes, regardless of whether such document is intended for filing with Customs;
- Sign, seal, and deliver for and as the act of said grantor any bond required by law or regulation in connection with the entry or withdrawal of imported merchandise or merchandise exported with or without benefit of drawback, or in connection with the entry, clearance, lading, unloading or navigation of any vessel or other means of conveyance owned or operated by said grantor, which may voluntarily given and accepted under applicable laws and regulations, consignee's and owner's declarations provided for in section 485, Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, or affidavits statements in connection with the entry of merchandise;
- Sign and swear to any document and to perform any act that may be necessary or required by law or regulation in connection with the entering, clearing, lading, unloading, or operation of any vessel or other means of conveyance owned or operated by said grantor;
- Authorize other Customs Brokers duly licensed within the territory to act as grantor's agent; to receive, endorse and collect checks issued for Customs duty refunds in grantor's name drawn on the Treasurer of the United States; if the grantor is a nonresident of the United States, to accept service of process on behalf of the grantor;
- And generally to transact Customs business, including filing of claims or protests under section 514 of the Tariff Act of 1930, or pursuant to other laws of the territories, in which said grantor is or may be concerned or interested and which may be concerned or interested and which may properly be transacted or performed by an agent or attorney;
- Giving to said agent and attorney full power and authority to do anything whatever requisite and necessary to be done in the premises as fully as said grantor could do if present and acting, hereby ratifying and confirming all that the said agent and attorney shall lawfully do by virtue of presents;
- This power of attorney to remain full force and effect until revocation in writing is duly given to and received by grantee (if the donor of this power of attorney is a partnership, the said power shall in no case have any force or effect in the United States after the expiration 2 years from the dates of its execution);
- Appointment as Forwarding Agent; Grantor authorizes the above Grantee to act within the territory as lawful agent and sign or endorse export documents (i.e., commercial invoices, bill of lading, insurance certificates, drafts and any other document) necessary for the completion of an export on grantor's behalf as may be required under law and regulation in the territory and to appoint forwarding agents on grantor's behalf;

Grantor acknowledges receipt of _____'s Terms and Conditions of Service and Credit Terms governing all transactions between the Parties. If the Grantor is a Limited Liability Company, the signatory certifies that he/she has full authority to execute this power on behalf of the Grantor.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said _____

Caused these presents to be sealed and signed: (Signature) _____ PRINT NAME _____

(Capacity) _____ Date: _____

Witness: (if required) _____

If you are the importer of record, payment to the broker will not relieve you of liability for U.S. Customs charges (duties, taxes, or other debts owed Customs) in the even the charges are not paid by the broker. Therefore, if you pay by check, Customs charges may be paid with a separate check payment to the "U.S. Customs Service" which shall be delivered to Customs by the broker. Imports who wish to utilize this procedure must contact our office in advance to arrange timely receipt of duty checks.