# GEN 1.4 Entry, transit and departure of cargo

## 1 Customs requirements concerning cargo and other articles

1.1 The following documents are required for the clearance of goods through customs: Air cargo manifest, invoice, agreements, certificates, licences.
1.1.1 No documents are required in respect of shipments not exceeding the values more than 50kg and/or 150 000 AMD (Armenian drams) (luggage), 2 liters or 1 bottle (if capacity of the bottle is more than 2 liters) of alcoholic or non-ancoholic drinks, 1kg tea, coffee or mate, 400 cigarettes, 10 cigars, 5kg meat, fish, 0.5kg caviar, 1kg different food with the exception of yeast.

1.1.2 The documents must accompany the shipment. No advance notification required. All air cargo shipments are free of consular formalities and charges, except ancient articles and articles of culture. If it is required certificates must be presented. The import of things of pornographic content and goods of expired date is not permitted.

1.2 As regards air cargo simply being transhipped from one flight to another flight at the same airport, under customs supervision up to the other airports. In the case of cargo and other articles being transferred to another international airport in Armenia no procedures must be adhered to.

1.3 No clearance documents are required with respect to goods retained on board an aircraft for on-carriage to a destination outside Armenia.

1.4 Upon exportation the following documents are required for the clearance of shipments to be exported by air: invoice, agreements, for articles of arts and arms clearances are required.

## 2 Agricultural quarantine requirements

The following agricultural materials being imported and exported and carried in transit through the Republic of Armenia and subjected to a compulsory phytosanitary and quarantine examination:

- the seeds of crop plants and wild plants,

- living plants and their parts (seedings, cuttings, tubers, etc.),

- bread and forage grains, fresh and dried up fruits, vegetable, cotton fibre and other fibre crops, raw materials as well as raw tobacco and fresh candies,

- all live cultures of fungi, bacteria and viruses as well as every kind of live entomological objects,

- all kind of collections of insects and plants and seed diseases as well as herbaria,

- wood materials (barked and unbarked),

- Bedding and forage,

- Baggage’s and parcels containing plant ingredients.
The importation and exportation of the plant ingredients in/from the Republic of Armenia is permitted, if a certificate is available issued by the State Plants Quarantine inspection of the Republic of Armenia.

In case of discovering materials subjected to quarantine, they must be presented to:

- disinfection (in the owner’s judgement),

- abolition or returning to the country exported from,

The airplane, by which the infected baggage has been carried, is subjected to disinfection in a prescribed order.

The inspectors of the Border Veterinary Control Inspection Point are liable to take samples for phytosanitary examination due to the functioning order.

## 3 Order of dangerous goods transport by air

3.1 The transport of dangerous goods by air from the Republic of Armenia by Armenian or foreign air operators is carried out on the basis of the permission granted by the Civil Aviation Committee.

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3.2 To receive the permission for the transport of dangerous goods by air from the Republic of Armenia, aircraft operators registered in the Republic of Armenia and foreign aircraft operators or their shippers shall submit an application to the Civil Aviation Committee five working days prior to the intended transport, based on the dangerous goods documents received from the consignors, indicating the nature of the dangerous goods being transported, the four-digit code assigned to the dangerous goods by the United Nations, the quantity of the cargo by unit of measurement (liter, m3, kg, etc.), the total number of areas, type of packaging, aircraft operator, direction of transport, day, flight number. A copy of the certificate for the air transport of dangerous goods shall also be attached to the application.

3.3 The applicant shall submit the application to the Civil Aviation Committee in Armenian, Russian or English by e-mail, fax or SITA and AFTN aviation communication (telegram).

3.4 Based on the positive conclusions of the relevant departments of the Civil Aviation Committee, the authorized officer issue permission for the air transport of dangerous goods to the applicant with a corresponding notification within four days after the receiving the application, but no later than at least twelve hours before the transportation dates indicated in the application.

3.5 The application is rejected, when:

1. the requirements of “The procedure for conditions and requirements for air transport of dangerous goods, authorization of organizations for dangerous goods service activities and authorization of organizations for air transport services activities, and surveillance over the transport of dangerous goods” Government decree N 834-N dated 06.06.2024 have not been met.
2. The requirements of the ICAO Doc 9284 have not been complied with.
3. The documents and information submitted by the application are obviously false or distorted.

3.6 In case the application is rejected, the applicant shall be informed about this by notification, which shall state the reasons for the rejection. The application may not be rejected because of inexpediency, and it is also prohibited to leave the application without answer.


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