

### FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS - A.TR.s / EUR1s

### 1. WHERE DO I OBTAIN A.TR. or EUR1 MOVEMENT CERTIFICATES?

| Office address   | Counter and telephone service times   | Cut-off time for document processing   | Telephone and fax numbers  |
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| London Chamber of<br>Commerce and Industry<br>33 Queen Street<br>London EC4R 1AP       | 9.00am - 5.00pm<br>Monday to Fridays<br>Office closes at 4.30pm on<br>the last Friday of every<br>month | C/Os - 4.45pm  Carnets regular - 4.55pm  Carnet express - 3.00pm  Other - 4.45pm | C/Os:<br>T:+44 (0)20 7203 1850/ 1886/ 1853<br>edocuments@londonchamber.co.uk<br>Carnets:<br>T:+44 (0)20 7203 1843/ 1846/ 1847<br>atacarnet@londonchamber.co.uk |
| Barking Branch Office<br>12 Town Quay Wharf<br>Abbey Road<br>Barking<br>Essex IG11 7BZ | 9.00am - 12.30pm<br>1.30pm - 4.00pm   | Times vary - please<br>contact Barking Branch<br>Office                          | T:+44 (0)20 7556 2397  |
| Hounslow Branch Office Unit 20 Belville Court 183 Hanworth Road Hounslow TW3 3TQ       | 9.30am - 12.30pm<br>1.30pm - 5.00pm   | Times vary - please<br>contact Hounslow Branch<br>Office                         | T:+44 (0)20 7556 2396<br>F:+44 (0)20 8814 1563   |

### 2. HOW DO I APPLY FOR AN A.TR. OR EUR1 CERTIFICATE?

- Obtain a Blank Original A.TR. or EUR1 Certificate from the London Chamber of Commerce by emailing <a href="mailto:edocuments@londonchamber.co.uk">edocuments@londonchamber.co.uk</a> or over the counter at one of our branch offices
- Complete your application online: www.tradecert.com/london
- The system will provide you with processing instructions
  - In case of A.TR. Certificates, the system will provide you with a cover letter that will need to be printed off and sent to the branch office that is issuing your document together with a pre-signed A.TR Certificate
  - For EUR1 Certificates, the system will either give you a choice to print in your own office (DIY) or for the document to be issued at the LCCI branch office (Chamber Printed service). For certain countries, the system will provide you with a cover letter that will need to be printed off and sent to the branch office that is issuing your document together with a pre-signed EUR1 Certificate.

Handwritten documents are not allowed.



## 3. WHEN APPLYING TO THE CHAMBER FOR A.TR. OR EUR1 CERTIFICATES, CAN YOU PLEASE ADVISE WHAT DOCUMENTS I NEED TO INCLUDE AS BACK UP?

A Commercial Invoice must always be submitted with A.TR. or EUR1 Movement Certificate applications. In case of A.TR. Certificates you will also need to provide LCCI with a copy of the Export Declaration (or if this is not available at the time of applying for the document, an Exporter Statement stating the CPC Code and the Tariff Code).

If you have authorised an agent to sign the A.TR. / EUR1 on your behalf, then you also need to submit a Letter of Authorisation.

Please note that all information stated on A.TR. and EUR1 Certificates must be backed up by suitable documentation (i.e. packing list or shipping document for weight & packaging etc).

### 4. HOW MUCH WILL IT COST?

Click here for a Price List

London Chamber of Commerce and Industry (LCCI) Members receive up to 50% discount on standard prices.

#### 5. HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE?

The A.TR. and EUR1 Movement Certificates are processed while you wait when submitted over the counter (please note that documents completed by hand will not be accepted). Electronically we will usually process them within 24 hours (DIY service). Postal applications are usually processed and posted out on the same day as received.

### 6. IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON A.TR. / EUR1 CERTIFICATES

A.TR.s can only be used for Exports to Turkey

With A.TR. Certificates the goods do not have to be of EU origin to attract a zero rate of duty, only in free circulation in the EU (i.e. all duties and taxes paid into the EU).

EUR1 Certificate only applies to exports from the United Kingdom and the goods must be of preferential EU origin (if you are the manufacturer of the goods shipped, then you must ensure that the rules specified in HMRC Notice 828 and 832 are met.

If you bought the goods and are re-exporting them, then the supplier must provide you with a signed declaration confirming that the goods are of preferential EU origin (any statements that do not mention preferential origin are insufficient i.e. "goods were manufactured in the UK" would be inadequate for the purposes of preferential origin).

### 7. CAN I APPLY FOR A.TR. OR EUR1 CERTIFICATES RETROSPECTIVELY?

Yes. You will, however, have to provide LCCI with proof of Export (i.e. copy of Bill of Lading, Export declaration etc).

## 8. ARE THERE ANY LIMITATIONS CONCERNING PRODUCTS THAT CAN BE EXPORTED ON AN A.TR. CERTIFICATE?

Yes. A.TR.s CANNOT be used for the agricultural goods, minerals and steel as per following tariff numbers:

| 1 | 0406 | 0702 | 12         | 1703 |
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| 2 | 0407 | 0703 | ex 1302 20 | 1801 |
| 3 | 0408 | 0704 | 1501       | 1802 |



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| 0401                             | 0409    | 0705                             | 1502    | 1902 20 10 |
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| 0402                             | 0410    | 0706                             | 1503    | 1902 20 30 |
| From 0403 10 11<br>To 0403 10 39 | 0504    | 0707                             | 1504    | 2001 10 00 |
| From 0403 90 11<br>To 0403 90 69 | ex 0511 | 0708                             | 1507    | 2001 90 10 |
| 0404                             | 6       | 0709                             | 1508    | 2001 90 20 |
| ex 0405                          | 0701    | ex 0710                          | 1509    | 2001 90 50 |
| 2001 90 65                       | 2002    | 2007                             | 2206    | 2401       |
| 2001 90 70                       | 2003    | ex 2008                          | ex 2207 | 3502       |
| 2001 90 91                       | ex 2004 | 2009                             | ex 2208 | 4501       |
| 2001 90 93                       | ex 2005 | From 2106 90 30<br>To 2106 90 59 | 2209    | 5301       |
| 2001 90 99                       | 2006    | 2204                             | 23      | 5302       |

Any goods falling under above classification will require an EUR1 Movement Certificate.

### 9. CAN I HAVE AN A.TR. or EUR1 CERTIFICATE LEGALISED BY AN EMBASSY?

No, these Certificates can only be certified by the authorized Chambers of Commerce or HMRC.

# 10. MY GOODS ARE BEING EXPORTED FROM ANOTHER MEMBER STATE. CAN I APPLY FOR AN A.TR. or EUR1 IN THE UK?

No, UK Issuing Bodies are only allowed to facilitate preferential exports out of the UK. A.TR. or EUR1 will have to be issued in the relevant Member State by the exporter's Agent.

### 11. DO THE A.TR. or EUR1 CERTIFICATES HAVE TO BE SIGNED?

Yes. On the A.TR. Certificate sign the Box 13 on pages 1 and 2. On the EUR1 sign the Box 12 on pages 1 and 3 and complete relevant declarations and sign the bottom part of the page 4.

You may also authorize an agent to apply and sign the A.TR. / EUR1 Certificate on your behalf. In such cases you must authorize the agent in writing and confirm that the goods qualify for preference (please refer to Letter of Authorization on our A.TR. / EUR1 webpages).

### 12. DO I HAVE TO INCLUDE WEIGHTS ON MY A.TR. or EUR1 CERTIFICATES?

Yes it can be net or gross or both.

# 13. I WOULD LIKE TO BE ABLE TO CHECK IMPORT DUTY RATES APPLICABLE TO MY CUSTOMERS OVERSEAS. IS THERE ANYWHERE I COULD TRY?

There are two websites that you can use:

EU Market Access Database: http://mkaccdb.eu.int/mkaccdb2/indexPubli.htm



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The World Customs Organisation (WCO) website: <a href="www.wcoomd.org">www.wcoomd.org</a> (On the home page, select "About us" from the left hand side and then "National Customs Website". Select your country and it will take you into the tariff pages.

Please note that we cannot guarantee the accuracy of the data or that the relevant websites will work.