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COMMON QUESTIONS ON CUSTOMS DECLARATIONS/PROCEDURES: HELPLIST 8/2001

I am pleased to list below the questions and answers for List 8/2001 :

- Q1 Can I transmit a Customs Duty/GST payment declaration through the TradeNet System for liquors before the analysis results are available?
- A1 If analysis is required for your liquors, you should only transmit the Customs Duty/GST payment declaration through the TradeNet System only after you have the liquor analysis results.
- Q2 A Customs White Transshipment declaration was submitted for the movement of goods from Changi FTZ to Woodlands Checkpoint. The removal period declared was from 2 Jul 2001 to 14 Jul 2001. The departure period declared was from 2 Jul 2001 to 15 Jul 2001. Why was the declaration rejected?
- A2 The departure end date must be within the removal end date in such declarations. In this case, the departure end date of 15 Jul 2001 was well after the removal end date of 14 Jul 2001.
- Q3 I have submitted an "II" declaration to cover the temporary import of laboratory equipment for exhibition and demonstration at a local university. The declaration purpose was declared as "TE". The place of release was declared as "CZ" and the place of receipt was declared as "O". The declaration was rejected.
- A3 "II" declarations with declaration purpose as "TE" are meant for temporary import of goods into Singapore for display in exhibitions only. This purpose type is only meant for Government bodies and Statutory Boards, e.g. National Heritage Board, and no sales are allowed in such exhibitions. In your case, you have to declare the declaration purpose as "TO" instead.


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