

Export Documentation for Textiles and Textile Products

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To: All Registered Textile and Garment Manufacturers

Further to our Circular dated 5 Jul 91, we wish to remind you that the exports of textiles and textile products of Singapore origin to US, EU and Canada are subject to either quota or surveillance.

You should apply to the Export Certification Unit (ECU) of the TDB **for the relevant export documents first and obtain their approval before loading your products for export.**

The documents to be obtained are:

- a. Export Permit
- b. Certificate of Origin
- c. Export Licence (to the EU)
- d. Commercial Invoice /Textile Visa (to the US)

Also, you must arrange for a copy of the Export Permit to accompany the consignment to the PSA Gate or the Customs checkpoint. This will facilitate any inspection of the goods that may be conducted on the consignment.

Please bring the contents of this Circular to the attention of your staff and your exporters. If you make an application for the Export Permit **after** shipment, you will have exported the consignment without an approved Export Permit. This will be an infringement of Rule 3 (1) Regulation of Imports & Exports Regulations and you may be liable to be prosecuted or compounded for the offence.

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