



CUSTOMS IMPORTANT DATES

1.	Recovery and payment of duties/taxes/levies.	Within 3 working days , following receipt of notification.
2.	Any goods brought into Seychelles by vessel or aircraft shall be covered by a summary declaration.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within 24 hours before arrival, excluding weekends and public holidays. • Immediately following departure of aircraft from the country of departure.
3.	Delivery of inward report by master of vessel or aircraft commander.	Within 3 hours after landing or within 24 hours from docking before any goods are discharged.
4.	Cargo Manifest.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Within 72 hours before vessel. • Immediately following the departure of an aircraft from country of origin.
5.	Declaration of entry of goods to Seychelles.	Importer has 30 days after the arrival of goods, to submit a bill of entry, before the goods are transferred to the government warehouse.
6.	Goods deemed abandoned.	Within 21 days of notification from Customs the goods shall be deemed to be abandoned.
7.	Direct Delivery (Urgent Release).	The importer must hold a mandatory pre-payment account and must within 48 hours submit a complete bill of entry after the release of direct delivery of goods.
8.	Re-importation of goods.	Return should occur within 1 year from the time of exportation.
9.	Replacement products	Within a period of 2 months (from the date of acceptance of the declaration for the clearance of the replacement products) the defective goods should be exported.
10.	Bill of entry for export	The completed bill of export must be submitted within 10 days after the goods has been exported.
11.	Clearance of goods from the Government Warehouse.	The owner of the goods has 30 days after receiving the notification from customs to clear the goods from the warehouse.
12.	Appointment for verification of goods.	Immediately after the bill of entry has been automatically transferred to Examination Unit .
13.	Clearance of goods by returning residents/graduates.	All goods must enter the country within six months, following the return of the returning resident/graduate in the home country.



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14.	Excise manufacturers registration and approval.	Prior to becoming an excise manufacturer, an application must be submitted to the Commissioner of Customs requesting for approval as an Excise Manufacturer.
15.	Payment of excise by local manufacturers.	On or before the 21st of the following applicable month.
16.	Submission of monthly returns for excise warehouses.	On or before the 21st of the following applicable month.
17.	Renewal of excise license and administration fee payment by local manufacturers.	Annually, on the 31st December of each year.
18.	Renewal of approval and payment of administration fee for bonded warehouse	Annually, on the date of renewal.
19.	Notification to Customs for destroyed goods or lost in the bonded warehouse.	2 working days after discovery of loss or destruction.
20.	Payment of taxes on bonded warehouse goods.	Payment should be made prior before removal of bonded goods.
21.	Storage of goods in bonded warehouse.	One year from the date of the first entry of goods in the warehouse.
22.	Submission of monthly return for private bonded warehouse.	On or before 7 days of the following applicable month.
23.	Temporary admission of leisure yachts.	Not more than twelve months for goods to remain under temporary admission.
24.	Declaration of visiting yachts entering Seychelles.	One month after the issuance of the clearance certificate to submit a bill of entry.
25.	Unaccompanied baggage following arrival of the baggage holder arrived in Seychelles.	Must be cleared within six months from the date of arrival.
26.	Binding Information shall be valid for: A. Tariff information B. Origin Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 year from the date of issue. • 3 years from the date of issue
27.	Appeal against administrative decision	Within 60 days from the date the person has been served with a decision.