

ANNOUNCEMENT



MINISTRY OF
INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY

Dear Valued Customers,

DECLARATION OF HS 2022 IN THE ATIGA PROOF OF ORIGIN PURSUANT TO THE IMPLEMENTATION OF CUSTOMS DUTIES ORDER 2022

MITI refers to the declaration of HS 2022 pursuant to the implementation of Customs Duties Order 2022 by the Royal Malaysian Customs Department (RMCD) on Wednesday, 1 June 2022. In this regard, MITI wishes to clarify that the implementation **will only impact the incoming** ATIGA Proof of Origin **into Malaysia (i.e., for purposes of imports)**. In relation to the **issuance** of ATIGA Proof of Origin via the ePCO system **to the ASEAN Member States (i.e., for the purposes of exports)**, the declaration of HS Code will still utilise HS 2017 until the transposition exercise on ATIGA Product Specific Rules (PSR) to HS 2022 is completed. At this juncture, ASEAN Member States are working to complete the ATIGA PSR to HS 2022, for endorsement by the AFTA Council by the first quarter of 2023.

Please also note that the ATIGA Cost Analysis (CA) approval is not affected by this exercise. Company may continue to use the approved CA or apply for new CA via the ePCO using HS 2017 by referring to the correlation table available on RMCD's website: <http://www.customs.gov.my/en/Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx?RootFolder=%2Fen%2FDocuments%2FCORRELATION%20TABLE%202022%2D2017&FolderCTID=0x012000C387E67297F5124ABCE1C22EA265C4DC&View=%7B5FF359DD-C0A1-4BAB-B7BB-1BA563679AD0%7D>.

The interim measure announced by MITI on 7 January 2022 also remains applicable and therefore, exporters are responsible in ensuring that accurate Importing Country HS Code is declared in Box 7 of the ATIGA CO. Exporters can do so by checking the correlated HS Code and manually including HS 2022 in bracket when applying for ATIGA CO, as per example shown below:

7. Number and type of packages, description of goods
(including quantity where appropriate and HS number
of the importing country)

SURGICAL GLOVE
10 CARTON
3000 PIECE
IMPORTING COUNTRY HS CODE 4015190019
HS CODE 4015191000 (HS 2022)

Should there be any further clarification required, please email to allatiga@miti.gov.my

Thank you for your continuous support and cooperation.

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