

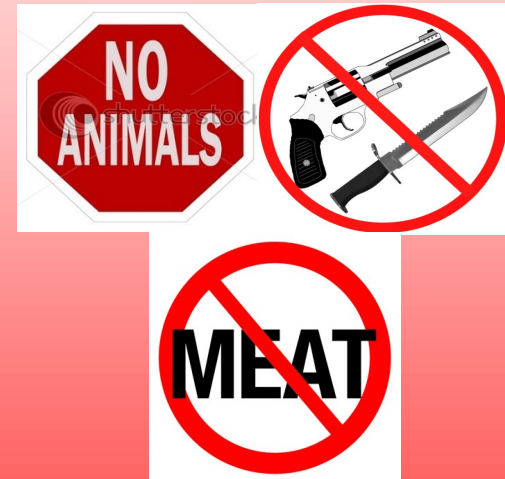
Glossary

MOA - Ministry of Agriculture
MOH - Ministry of Health
MONS - Ministry of National Security
PRAD - Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affair Division

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RESTRICTED ITEMS



Restricted Items

Importers are sometimes unaware of the various permit requirements as it relates to the importation of goods. As a result, they are found to be in contravention of the Customs Act. Ignorance is no excuse under the law, instead the Customs Department would prefer to have knowledgeable customers who are compliant with the rules and regulations rather than to penalize.

Below is a list of items for which permits are required. Please note this list is subject to change as items are added and taken off as the Government dictates.

Restricted Items	Requirement	Issuing Agency	Telephone/website
Meat/Animals	Permit/Certificate	MOA	977-0637 www.moa.gov.jm email:vsdpermits@moa.gov.jm
Red Peas	Permit/ Phyto Sanitary Certificate	MOA	977-0637 www.moa.gov.jm
Fruits, Vegetables, Plants & Plant Products	Phyto Sanitary Certificate / Permit	MOA	977-0637 www.moa.gov.jm
Ground Provision	Phyto Sanitary Certificate /Permit	MOA	977-0637 www.moa.gov.jm
Pharmaceuticals, Chemicals, Herbal Teas	PSD Certificate	PRAD/MOH	922-3851 967-1100
Firearms, and Accessories Explosives, Fireworks, Sword	Permit/License to Import	MONS/Trade Board	906-4908 967-0507

ITEMS NEEDING A PERMIT FROM THE MINISTRY OF NATIONAL SECURITY CONT'D

Camouflage clothing&material Bullet Proof Vests Crossbows

Spears

Motorcycles over 700cc

Handcuffs

Radar Detectors

Sword

Toy Guns

Metal Detectors

Riot Gears

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Gun Cleaning Kits



Armoured Truck



Gun Holsters



Bows & Arrows



Credit Card Scanner



Gun powder and cartridge



Laser Lights



Dynamite & Nitro-glycerine



Fire crackers & Flares



Pepper Spray

Restricted Items	Requirement	Issuing Agency	Telephone/ website
Sugar	Licence	Trade Board	967-0507
Coconut Derivatives, Oil producing Seeds, Edible Oils, Soaps	Permit	Coconut Industry Board	926-1770
Motor Vehicles	License	Trade Board	967-0507
Alcohol in Bulk	Spirit Pool Permit	Spirit Pool Association Ltd	968-4455
Human Remains	KSAC Permit	Kingston & St. Andrew Health Dept. MOH	967-1100-1 922-2587
Pesticides	Permit	Pesticides Control Authority	906-6939
Milk Powder Milk Based Products	Licence/Permit	MOA	977-0637 www.moa.gov.jm
Radios (Two— Way)	Licence/Approval	Spectrum Management Authority	929-8520 Fax -922-4093 922-8884 924-9907