**GOVERNMENT AND TRADE SERVICES** 



# USED VEHICLES – INFORMATION FOR IMPORTERS

# PRE-SHIPMENT INSPECTION PROGRAMME

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# 1. I am importing a second hand vehicle. What steps should I take?

To be able to import a second hand vehicle in your name, you should have a NUIT number (Tax Payer Number)

All second hand vehicles imported into Mozambique, are compulsorily subject to Pre-Shipment Inspection – PSI (physical inspection performed at origin, prior to the vehicle being shipped to Mozambique).

## 2. What Documents do I need to submit to Intertek?

- a copy of the Proforma Invoice
- fill in a PAF (Pre Advice Form obtained at Intertek)
   Please note that due to vehicle registration requirements a PAF can only be utilised for 1 used vehicle. The same applies to the Proforma invoice: One proforma per vehicle
- Copy of ID (Identification Document) of the buyer
- Copy of his NUIT (card or declaration)

**NOTE:** <u>If importer is a Company</u> (not an individual), a copy of the Importer's card (issued by the Ministry of Industry and Commerce) or a copy of the Alvara (company registration document) and a copy of the Company's NUIT card or declaration, must be provided.

## We also require the following documents:

For vehicles from the SADC region:

• Registration documents and Police Clearance Certificate

For vehicles from Japan or other countries (outside SADC):

Registration Cancelation Certificate

## 3. What is the MOZ number and how do I get it?

If documents submitted are in order Intertek will load the data into the system and transmit the information electronically to the Issuing Office (IO) responsible for arranging inspection in the country of supply.

The MOZ number is an unique identification number, composed of 6 digits, that the system allocates to your file, after data being entered.

Whenever you contact Intertek to find out about the status of your import, you must provide us with the MOZ number, so that we may locate your file in the system.

## 4. How is Preshipment Inspection organized?

After receiving the information, our IO (Issuing Office) in the country of supply, will fax the exporter/seller with a Request for Information (RFI) notification to enable us to arrange the inspection.

*The Exporter must respond promptly to our RFI letter*, not forgetting that 3 working days of advance warning are necessary in relation to the required date for inspection.

After arrangements have been made, the INTERTEK inspector will perform the physical inspection at the place, date and hour previously requested by the exporter. Simultaneously, at the Issuing Office, INTERTEK experts will analyse the prices and tariff codes.

We recommend that the exporter's final invoice be sent to the IO on the same day that the exporter responds to the RFI or, at the latest, two days after the physical inspection.

Assuming that the results of PSI are satisfactory we will issue a DUC (Certified Single

# Document)

# 5. What is the cost of the Preshipment Inspection of my vehicle?

The Exporter will pay US\$265 plus VAT (or equivalent) to the local Intertek office at the time of making the request for inspection. If Intertek should need to re-inspect goods following corrective action or perform a second inspection for the sole purpose of

container sealing, an additional charge will be made to the Exporter".

# 6. How and when do I get my DUC

After the DUC has been issued, it will be sent electronically to INTERTEK in Maputo, Beira or Nacala, who will then print it and make it available to you at the reception counter, or couriered to the city where clearance is to occur.

# 7. What do I do after obtaining the DUC (Certified Single Document)?

On collecting the DUC, and if you agree with it, you should fill in the outstanding information on the DUC. Having done this, and after having signed the DUC, you should deliver it to the respective Customs post to clear your goods.

# 8. What happens if my vehicle arrives in Mozambique without PSI?

You will not be able to clear your vehicle through Customs and you will have to request INTERTEK Mozambique to effect an inspection at destination. This Destination Inspection (DI) will take place at the Customs clearance point and you will be obliged to bear the full costs of the same. In addition, you will be subject to a fine equal to 10% of the CIF value determined for customs purposes, by INTERTEK.

## 9. How long will it take you to issue a DUC?

The time taken will depend largely on your cooperation and the cooperation of your Exporter (Seller). The regulations allow for the following time periods:

<ul> <li>Delivery of the PAF and proforma invoice by LO to IO days</li> </ul>	3	full	working
<ul> <li>For IO to arrange a physical inspection days</li> </ul>	3	full	working
<ul> <li>Certification of process by IO after receipt of a CORRECT final invoice and issuance of the DUC in Maputo</li> </ul>	3	full	working
days			0
<ul> <li>Delivery of the DUC by the LO to cities other than Maputo days</li> </ul>	3	full	working

# **APPENDIX A**

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