

Customs Guide **ESTONIA** 

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GOODS	DOCUMENTS REQUIRED	CUSTOMS PRESCRIPTIONS	REMARKS
Removal Goods for foreign citizens coming temporarily to Estonia	<ul> <li>Full valued inventory list in English.</li> <li>Photocopy of passport.</li> <li>A letter providing that the shipper/importer is employed in Estonia.</li> <li>Residence/work permit issued by Estonia Authorities.</li> <li>A letter entitling the removal agent to represent the importer with the Customs Authorities.</li> </ul>	Duty free.	<ul> <li>The duty free exemption is only applied to persons whose permanent residence has continuously been outside the EU for at least 12 months.</li> <li>The resettler can import personal belongings with tax exemption for 12 months from the date he/she took residence in the EU.</li> <li>Personal belongings, to which the exemption is applied to, have to generally have been in the resettlers use in his/her former permanent residence at least for 6 months before the date his/her permanent residence is no longer in the third country.</li> </ul>
Removal goods for Estonian citizens returning to Estonia	<ul> <li>Full valued inventory list in English.</li> <li>A letter entitling the removal agent to represent the importer with the Customs Authorities.</li> <li>A letter providing that the importer has been employed abroad more than 1 year.</li> <li>Photocopy of passport.</li> <li>Evidence documents for living in a third country (for example living permit, work permit, a lease, non-EU country's registration card, application for a passport, receipt of payment of rent, address</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Duty free if the importer has been abroad more than 1 year.</li> </ul>	

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	registration, travel tickets, employer's certificate). Customs has the right to ask explanations for the documents presented.		
Diplomats' removals	<ul> <li>Photocopy of passport.</li> <li>A letter entitling the removal agent to represent the importer with the Customs Authorities, must be completed by the Embassy.</li> <li>Inventory list in English.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Duty free.</li> <li>Import of alcohol is allowed for diplomats. It has to be justified and has to remain reasonable. Please contact your local Embassy to check the allowed quantities before shipping.</li> </ul>	
Automobiles and motorbikes	<ul> <li>Purchase docs.</li> <li>A letter entitling the removal agent to represent the importer with the Customs Authorities.</li> <li>Photocopy of passport.</li> <li>A letter providing that the importer is employed in Estonia</li> <li>Residence/work permit issued by Estonian Authorities.</li> <li>Original technical passport of the vehicle.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Duty free if the importer has been abroad more than 1 year.</li> </ul>	
Alcohol	<ul> <li>Same as for Removal goods.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Forbidden inside the HHG.</li> <li>Import of alcohol is only allowed for diplomats. It has to be justified and has to remain reasonable. Please contact your local Embassy to check the allowed quantities before shipping.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>The importation duty-free limit is (for passengers), inside the luggage:</li> <li>Max 1 litre strong alcohol (above 22 %).</li> <li>Max 1 litre light alcohol (below 22 %).</li> <li>4 litres beer.</li> </ul>
Dogs, cats, birds	<ul> <li>Same as for removal goods plus:</li> <li>Veterinary certificate of origin country which proves the animal is vaccinated and healthy.</li> </ul>	Duty free.	
Plants and vegetable products	<ul> <li>Same as for removal goods plus:</li> <li>Phytosanitary certificate from Estonian Authorities.</li> </ul>	Duty free.	

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Other goods			<ul> <li>For specific customs regulations it is recommended to contact your local agent prior to shipment.</li> </ul>

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