#### Notice for Custom Clearance of Goods

## for the Youth Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014

The customs of the People's Republic of China will provide comprehensive quality services for the Second Summer Youth Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014 (Nanjing 2014) and execute inspection on its import as well as export logistics in accordance with related regulations, laws and rules.

The Notice applies to the customs formalities, collection of duties and tariffs withheld by the customs for import and export materials of Nanjing 2014 and its test events during the preparatory and Games-time periods of the Nanjing 2014.

The preparatory and Games-time periods of Nanjing 2014 start from 16 Feb. 2013 to 28 Nov. 2014.

The scope of sorts and quantities for tax reduction and exemption of the import as well as export goods of the Games shall be submitted by the Nanjing Youth Olympic Games Organising Committee (NYOGOC) to the related state departments for approval in light of the regulations of the State Council. In case of goods arriving before the approval is released, the customs, with the premise of valid guarantee, would check the *Letter of Certification for Entering Materials for the Youth Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014* (thereinafter the *Letter*, please refer to the appendix 1 for sample) and carry out customs clearance.

#### 1. Goods for Temporary Entry

#### 1.1 Goods Carried with the Entrants

The competition equipment, medical equipment and other materials carried by the participants of the Games have to be declared upon entry/exit. In terms of goods to be directly used in the Games will be allowed for temporary entry after the customs have checked the *Letter, the Letter of Guarantee* and *the List of Entering Materials for the Youth Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014* and gone through customs clearance; for those without relevant materials as mentioned above, the goods will be allowed for entry after the customs have checked the certified documents for guarantee and gone through the formalities in light of the current regulations. The goods for temporary entry shall be exported upon the end of the Games.

#### 1.2Entry as Freight

For goods that enter as freight, such as competition, medical, security and radio equipment as well as devices and materials used for broadcasting, news reports and exhibition, they shall be declared upon entry/exit and would be allowed for entry once the customs have checked the *Letters* as well as the *List* and gone through import formalities for temporary entry.

#### 1.3 Interview Equipment of Foreign Reporters

For foreign reporters with YOGACs who carry interview equipment, they shall declare upon entry/exit and the customs will then check the *Letters* and the *List* for customs clearance.

For foreign reporters without YOGACs, the import formalities shall be carried

out according to the Article 104 of 2008, Article 19 and Article 31 of 2009 released by the General Administration of Customs.

In case of the exit of the foreign reporters with their equipment, the formalities like the return of deposit in different places shall be enforced following the Article 59 of 2009 in the announcement by the General Administration of Customs.

## 1.4Duration of the Goods for Temporary Entry

It has been approved by the customs that the good for temporary entry shall be exported with six month upon its entry. As for goods that need deferring the exit, the export of the goods can be postponed as long as NYOGOC submits the application and gets the approval, though the date of exit shall be no later than 28 Feb. 2015.

## 1.5 Closure of Temporary Entry

The goods for temporary entry of the Games shall be exported within the time stipulated by the customs. In case of defer, relevant formalities shall be carried out as regulated.

In case of damage, loss and losing use value of the goods for temporary entry due to force majeure, the customs would check the certification provided by NYOGOC and other related departments and go through relevant formalities.

#### 2. Goods of Duty Exemption

As stipulated in the relevant laws, regulations and rules of the People's Republic of China, the following goods can be exempted from duties:

## 2.1 Materials for Personal Use

#### 2.1.1 Materials for Personal Use Carried with the Entrants

Participants of the Games who bring the materials for daily use shall follow the principle of 'personal use in reasonable amount' and the customs would exempt the duties of goods within the stipulated scope; for materials exceeding the principle, the customs would enforce relevant regulations.

#### 2.1.2 Materials for Personal Use that Enter as Luggage

For materials for personal use of the participants entering through luggage, the customs would clear the materials free of duty that are within the stipulated scope; for materials exceeding the principle, the customs would enforce relevant regulations.

## 2.1.3 Mailed Materials for Personal Use

The value of materials for personal use mailed from Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan shall not exceed RMB 800 per time; the value of materials mailed from other countries and regions shall not exceed RMB 1,000. Entering materials for personal use by mail will be levied on duties unless the amount of duties is no more than RMB 50.

## 2.2 Donated Materials

For materials used in the Games that are donated by foreign governments or international organisations, the customs would examine the *Letter of Certification* for Donated Materials by Foreign Governments and International Organisations Entering PRC in Accordance with International Terms and go through formalities

of duty exemption. Materials excluded to the above mentioned conditions shall follow corresponding process.

#### 2.3 Printed and Audiovisual Products

For printed and audiovisual products such as non-trade documents and books that will be directly used in Nanjing 2014 and not be sold or circulated in the domestic market of China, the customs will manage them as regulated.

#### 2.4 Articles for Exhibition

For the following articles for exhibitions during Nanjing 2014, the customs will check the quantity and total value based on actual circumstances. Tariff, value-added tax and consumption tax for import and export will be exempted for goods of quantity and value within a proper range.

- 1. Samples to be distributed in exhibitions (excluding alcoholic beverages, tobacco and fuels), including those imported in original package and samples of food and beverages made from imported raw materials during the exhibitions. Such samples will have to meet the following requirements:
- (1) Provided by the exhibitors for free and are distributed exclusively to spectators;
  - (2) With low unit price and are used as promotional samples;
- (3) Not for commercial use; volume being distinctively smaller than the minimum volume of retail packages.
- (4) Samples of food and beverage that fail to meet Article (3) but are consumed during the exhibitions.
- 2. Goods consumed or damaged during operation demonstration of exhibiting machinery or apparatus.
- 3. Low-value goods for the setting and decoration of temporary booths.
- 4. Free promotional goods distributed to spectators during exhibitions.
- 5. Archives, forms and other documents used for exhibitions.

  The exceeding amount of materials listed in Term 1 will be levied on duties as regulated; materials listed in Term 2, Term 3, and Term 4 that are unused or not consumed shall be exported and those to be remained in China shall follow the import formalities.

Other materials of the Games beyond the duty-free scope shall be levied.

#### 3. Rented Materials

For rented materials of the Games, the customs would carry out customs clearance in light of the regulations concerning the import of rented goods.

#### 4. Entering and Exiting Materials in Need of Special Approval

For entering and exiting materials in need of special approval, relevant documents shall be submitted to the responsible state departments:

## 4.1 Plants, Animals and Their By-products

The entry/exit of plants, animals and their by-products shall abide by Chinese regulations concerning the quarantine of plants and animals. The customs will check the certificates of inspection issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

#### **4.2 Wild Plants and Animals**

The entry/exit of wild plants and animals shall follow the laws and regulations regarding the protection of wild plants and animals. The customs will check the permits issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

#### 4.3 Medicines

The entry/exit of medicines shall follow the laws and regulations regarding the management of medicines. The customs will check the certificates issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

## 4.4 Firearms and Ammunition for Competition Use

The entry/exit of firearms and ammunition for competition use shall follow the laws and regulations—regarding the management of guns and ammunition. The customs will check the certificates issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

During transportation, the firearms and ammunition must be separated and so do the firearms and personnel and the process shall follow the related regulations concerning the transportation of the firearms and ammunition. Firearms and remaining ammunition must be transported out of China after the Games.

#### 4.5 Radio Equipment

The entry of radio equipment shall follow the relevant laws and regulations. The customs will check the approval documents issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

#### 4.6 Receiving Equipment of TV Satellites

The entry of receiving equipment of TV satellites shall follow the relevant laws and regulations. The customs will check the approval documents issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

#### **4.7 Wooden Packaging Materials**

The entry of wooden packaging materials shall follow the relevant laws and regulations. The customs will check the certificates issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

## 4.8 Foreign Transportation Tools

The entry of foreign transportation means shall follow the relevant laws and regulations. The customs will check the approval documents issued by the responsible state departments and go through customs clearance.

#### **4.9 Other Materials**

Other materials in need of special approval shall abide by the relevant Chinese laws

and regulations.

#### 5 Lists of Prohibited Items

1. Opium, morphine, heroine, marijuana and other addictive narcotics and psychotropic substances.

In case of such materials for medical purpose, their import shall be approved by relevant department.

- 2. Firearms, simulated weapons, ammunition and explosive substances (except those used for the Games).
- 3. Plants, animals and their by-products that bear dangerous germs, insects and other harmful creatures.
- 4. Print materials, audiovisual products, computer storage media and other substances that are detrimental to Chinese politics, economy, culture and ethics.
- 5. Acrid poisons.
- 6. Food, medicine and other objects that are harmful to the health of animals and human beings, from epidemic area or can spread epidemics.
- 7. Counterfeit currency and valued securities.
- 8. Other goods and items that are prohibited from import by Chinese laws and regulations.

#### 6. Other Issues

## **6.1 Recommended Ports of Entry/Exit**

NYOGOC recommends the following ports of entry/exit for the logistics of the Games:

- 1. Air Transportation Ports: Nanjing Lukou International Airport, Shanghai Pudong International Airport;
- 2. Sea Transportation Ports: Nanjing Longtan Harbour, Shanghai Waigaoqiao Harbour, Shanghai Yangshan Harbour.

#### **6.2** Offer the List of Entering Materials in Advance

Each NOC shall submit the list of entering materials, either carried with entrants or by freight, shall be submitted to NYOGOC or designated commissioned companies three months before the arrival of the goods.

#### **6.3 Means of Customs Clearance**

6.3.1 Customs Clearance of Passengers

IOC officials or officials of foreign governments with diplomatic or protocol visas are exempted from customs inspection; other participants of the Games shall declare what they bring with them and be examined by the customs. They, however, can enjoy convenience of customs clearance by showing the Certificate of Protocols in Entry/Exit (please refer to the appendix 3 for the sample) and they can opt for the special channel for customs clearance that is set up for the participants of the Games.

#### 6.3.2 Customs Clearance of the Separate Luggage

For those who transport their luggage separately, the owners or their agents shall submit written application to the customs upon entry and then they can go through relevant formalities at the customs of entry with valid identification documents, declarative certificates and the list of the goods. For goods that are transported separately from its owners, the owners or their agents shall submit applications to and go through relevant formalities at the customs of exit upon their exit.

### 6.3.3 Customs Clearance of Logistics

It's optional for the goods to be sealed at the ports of entry, get cleared and be examined at the destination under the supervision of the customs.

## **6.4 Guarantee of Logistics of the Games**

For entering/exiting goods of the Games that are in need of the Letter of Guarantee, NYOGOC shall submit the *Commitment Letter for Bank Guarantee* or deposits. Once the goods meet the demands of lifting the guarantees, the customs will go through relevant procedures.

According to the *Customs Law of the People's Republic of China*, *Regulations of the People's Republic of China on Import and Export Duties* and other relevant administrative regulations, the customs will execute inspection on the import and export logistics of the Games. In terms of those fail to go through the formalities as regulated, the customs will process such cases in light of the *Customs Law of the People's Republic of China* and the *Articles of Administrative Penalties of the Customs of the People's Republic of China*.

The *Notice* doesn't exert any influence on the enforcement of new laws concerning customs management.

Appendix: 1. Sample of the Letter of Certification for Entering Materials for the Youth Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014

- 2. Sample of the List of Entering Materials for Personal Use for the Youth Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014
- 3. Sample of the Certificate of Protocols in Entry/Exit

## Appendix 1



# Letter of Certification for Entering Materials for Youth

## Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014

Customs No:

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It is hereby to certify: Those goods are materials Games Organising Comm	s for Nanjing 2014 a	and will only be use	ed during the	e Games and its	preparatory periods e regulations of the c	s. Nanjin customs	ng You author	ith Olympic rity.
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Notes of Customs Author	ity of Entry:							

(Original: for customs authority of entry Copy 1: For customs authority Copy 2: For certifier

Copy 3: For customs authority of exit during transportation out of China)

## List of Entering Materials for Youth Olympic Games, Nanjing 2014

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## Declaration (Please click a " $\sqrt{}$ " in the right column):

- □ The above goods are for temporary use of Nanjing 2014, and will be re-exported after the Games, for which we would need to apply for the use of Letter of Guarantee issued by the Executive Office of the Organizing Committee for Nanjing 2014.
- ☐ The above goods are only used for Nanjing 2014 and not for resale or retail in China, but will not be returned after the Games.

Company Stamp / Name & Title of Signatory / Signature / Date

Appendix	3
	Office Copy of the Certificate of the Protocols in Entry/Exit
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	e for their customs clearance, hereby certified.
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## Name List of the NOC Delegation

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