



# Importing Personal Property Into *Jordan*

## IMPORTING HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND PERSONAL EFFECTS

### DUTY-FREE ENTRY IS PERMITTED IF THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS ARE MET:

- You are a Jordanian or a foreign citizen coming to the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan with the intent to obtain residency.
- The household goods/ personal effects are being imported for personal use.
- The goods must have been used by the owner prior to importation.

**Note:** Customs Authority approval is required. Duty must be paid on musical instruments, radio sets, refrigerators, carpets, washing machines, furniture and microwave ovens.

### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

- ✓ Duty Exemption Certificate from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
- ✓ Packing List.
- ✓ The shipper's passport.
- ✓ Lease contract for new home (certified).

### RESTRICTED/PROHIBITED ITEMS

- Alcohol and intoxicating liquors are prohibited.
- Firearms, ammunition and explosive are prohibited.
- Narcotics and drugs are prohibited.
- Pornography is prohibited.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS:

- MSAS Global Logistics, October 1999.
- Household Goods Forwarders Association of American, In. "Commercial Shipper's Guide," 1998.
- Excess Baggage Company, "Customs Guide – Jordan," 1997.

**The information presented herein is based on customs data available at the time of printing and is frequently subject to change without notice. It is the responsibility of the owner or importer of the household goods to comply with the current customs restrictions, regulations, and duties of the country to which the goods are imported. We strongly advise customers to contact the consulate or embassy of the destination country for the most current information on customs regulations, restrictions and duties for importing household goods, personal effects and vehicles.**