## Instructions of the Director General of the Customs Authority No. (9) for the year 2022

Within the framework of the efforts of the Customs Authority to execute the Presidential assignments and recommendations issued as a result of the coordination meetings for the work group formed as headed by the Major General/ Secretary General of the Cabinet Ministers to dispose of the containers and old idle abandoned items at ports and customs yards.

To tighten the procedures of receipt of cars and cargoes stored on account of cases or based upon decisions of reserve by the competent public prosecutions.

The following shall be adhered to:

- 1. Attaching the original decision of the competent public prosecution of depositing the confiscated items at the warehouses of the customs.
- 2. Ratified copy of the minutes of confiscation or an original copy of same.
- 3. The documents shall be referred to the legal affairs department to be studied and in case the documents are found sufficient, it shall be annotated by the legal affairs department to the abandoned department for storage and fulfillment of procedures and to the customs outlets and that there is no objection on their entry.
- 4. The abandoned department shall take delivery and issue an inspection form 94 k.m and issue form 17 k.m.
- 5. The signature of the person in charge of delivery shall be fulfilled on the inspection form.
- 6. If the confiscated items are cars, a technical inspection by the customs storage traffic department shall be issued or it shall suffice to conform the traffic inspection if attached to the delivery documents.
- 7. The inspection form shall be referred to the tariff department to fulfill the item, the price and the supervisory authorities.
- 8. The original inspection form and form 17 k.m. shall be referred to the cases department after giving it a confiscation number in the record prepared for that purpose.
- 9. A copy of the documents shall be retained by the abandoned cargo department for follow up.
- 10. The legal affairs department shall commit to follow up the status of the case and notify the abandoned cargo department of any updates that may occur to act accordingly provided that the latter shall direct how to handle the confiscated items accordingly so that the competent legal department shall issue the necessary decision.
- 11. The abandoned cargo department is prohibited from disposing of cargoes or cars subjects of litigation except based upon the annotation of the competent legal affairs department to be backed up by a copy of the decision of the public prosecution to dispose of the cargo, if found and in case of a late reply or rejection of the disposal, the matter shall be brought before us for deciding upon.

These instructions shall be minutely implemented to avoid being held liable.

**Director General of the Customs Authority** 

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