

**PROCEDURES CIRCULAR
NO. (17) FOR THE YEAR 2022**

With reference to:

- The Customs Law No. 207 for the year 2020 and its Executive Regulation promulgated by Ministerial decree No. 430 for the year 2021.
- The Import and Export Law No.118 for the year 1975 and its Executive Regulation No.770 for the year 2005.
- The endorsement of the First Undersecretary / Director General of the Customs Authority annotating “No objection” on the memorandum submitted by the Head of Central Administration of the Affairs of the Director General’s office which was concluded by recommending the issuance of Procedures Circular to include the mechanism of scrapping cargoes for sale with the inbound fee which has already been offered for sale in public auction more than twice.
- In fulfillment of the principle of transparency, unification and organization of the customs procedures, and facilitation on Customs dealers.

The following shall be considered:

First: These abandoned cargoes shall fulfill all provisions of abandoned cargoes stipulated in the Customs Law No.207 for the year 2020 and its Executive Regulation promulgated by the Ministerial Decree No. 430 for the year 2021 which consequently leads to devolvement of their ownership to the Customs Authority.

Second: In case it has been decided to perform the sale under a scrapping fee, sale shall be made to officially licensed factories by the General Authority for Industrial Development and the Waste Management Regulatory Authority at the Ministry of the Environment pursuant to the provisions of Law No.202 for the year 2020 regarding organizing waste management by carrying out the scrapping process in terms of the licenses granted to these companies and associated with specific types.

Third: The scrapping shall be carried out inside these factories under the supervision of the General Authority for Industrial Development or the Waste Management Regulatory Authority at the Ministry of the Environment. The scrapping shall be evidenced through inspection minutes evidencing the condition signed by the officials at these authorities.

Fourth: Copies of these minutes shall be sent to the Customs Authority to the General Departments of Abandoned and neglected cargoes to settle the position of these sold consignments under the scrapping fee.

Fifth: The abandoned cargoes sold under scrapping fee shall not be subject to fulfillment of the import regulations in application of the provisions of articles (68, 70) of the Customs Law No.207 for the year 2020.

Sixth: Suspended consignments from import in their current condition shall not be allowed to be sold inside the country under an abandoned fee – these consignments shall be allowed to be sold under scrapping fee following the approval of the competent authorities and submission before the Foreign Trade Sector to decide what is necessary in their regard.

The above has been sent for your kind knowledge and to be thoroughly implemented.

Kind regards,

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