# **Uzbekistan Country Guide - IAM**



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#### **Used Household Goods and Personal Effects**

#### **Documents Required**

- Copy of passport
- Copy of visa
- Original bill of lading (OBL) / air waybill (AWB)
- Packing list
- Copy of diplomatic card (Diplomats)
- Letter to customs committee (Diplomats)
- Copy of accreditation card (foreigners)
- Ticket from the origin country (returning citizens)
- Customs declaration (returning citizens)

### Specific Information

- All non-diplomatic shipments are subject to Customs duties and taxes, which vary from 60% to 110% of the costs, insurance and freight value (CIF); this totals approximately USD 5/kg.
- Copy of AWB and packing list with Uzbek Customs stamps must be shown as proof that shipment is being re-imported (returning citizens).
- Insurance or other documents showing the true value of the goods should not be sent with the shipment in order to avoid the payment of heavy import duties.

#### **Motor Vehicles**

### **Documents Required**

- Copy of passport
- Copy of visa
- OBL / AWB
- Original pro-forma invoice
- Original technical passport
- Copy of diplomatic card (Diplomats)
- Letter to customs committee (Diplomats)

- Copy of accreditation card (foreigners)
- Ticket from the origin country (returning citizens)

### **Specific Information**

Copy of AWB with Uzbek Customs stamps must be shown as proof that shipment is being re-imported (returning citizens); otherwise, ship

#### Pets

#### **Documents Required**

- · Certificate of vaccination
- Veterinary health certificate

#### **Specific Information**

Permission is required from the State Veterinary Service for the import of live animals.

#### Restricted/Dutiable Items

- Wine and spirits for personal consumption (1 L per person)
- Precious jewelry (maximum 30 grams per person), stones and currency can be imported only as accompanied baggage and must be declared with Customs at the airport.

#### **Prohibited Items**

- Weapons of all kinds
- Pornography
- Narcotics
- Toxic and radioactive materials

## **Consignment Instructions**

**Recommended:** Contact the destination agent to ensure all requirements have been met prior to import, especially for differences regarding air / sea shipments.

## **Cultural and Other Information**

<u>CIA World Factbook</u> <u>Wikipedia Entry for Uzbekistan</u>

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