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MOZAMBIQUE – Cyclone IDAI – April 2019

CUSTOMS IMMIGRATION AND QUARANTINE PROCEDURES (CIQP)

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(changes since last version highlighted in green)

**All consignments will be prioritized provided all documents is correct
and in line with Customs legislation.**

1	<u>REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE</u>	<p>Tropical Cyclone Idai made landfall during the night of 14 to 15 March 2019 near Beira City, Sofala Province, in central Mozambique. The cyclone brought torrential rains and winds to Sofala, Zambezia, Manica, Inhambane and Tete provinces. Beira and other districts of Sofala province are facing power and communication outages, according to initial reports from national authorities.</p> <p>In light of the scope and scale of Cyclone Idai's destruction, it was followed by the Council of Ministers' declaration of a National Emergency on 19 March and the President of the Republic of Mozambique's request for international assistance.</p>
2	<u>ENTRY POINTS</u>	<p>Maputo International Airport (ICAO: FQMA / MPM, S25 55.3 E032 34.4)</p> <p>Beira International Airport (ICAO: FQBR / BEW, Position: S19 47.8 E034 54.5)</p>
3	<u>CONTACT NAME AND EMAIL</u> of a focal point at Customs Facilities Division:	<p>Approval for Center region: Mozambique Revenue Authority (MRA) / Autoridade Tributaria de Moçambique.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Regional Director - Central Region: Ms. Sandra Alves - smalves@gmail.com <p>A WhatsApp group on questions related to CIQ procedures has been created: https://chat.whatsapp.com/Lj4DJRzxaiBoymPAIsorS</p> <p>It is administered by OCHA and the Mozambique Revenue Authority.</p>



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4	Establishment of a <u>ONE STOP SHOP</u>	
5	List of emergency relief consignments that will be cleared as a priority by Customs officials at entry point:	
6	List of <u>CLEARING AGENTS</u>	Beira airport and sea terminal: Eldon.khuty@bollore.com (+258 851000094) or Chakib.Benabid@bollore.com (+258 8510000010) International to Maputo (air/sea/road): julio.ferreira@bollore.com +258 851000060
7	Provisions of the Customs Code related to <u>TAX EXEMPTION:</u>	48 hours after the goods have been released, the Customs Clearing agent should submit to the Customs Authorities the processes related to duty-exemptions.
8	<u>PRE-ARRIVAL</u> clearance procedure:	Following a decision by the DG of Customs and pending that the Customs clearance platform (Janela Unica / Single Window”) is restored, any goods deriving from countries providing support to the Center of the country should be cleared through a pre-clearance request to the Regional Director of Customs. (Mozambique Revenue Authority (MRA) Regional Director - Central Region: Ms. Sandra Alves - smialves@gmail.com).
9	Customs clearance <u>DOCUMENTS</u> required to clear emergency relief consignments:	Airwaybill Packing list Letter to INGC expressing the desire to donate such goods
10	<u>TEMPORARY ADMISSION</u> procedure:	For temporary imports a letter needs to state that after the event the goods will be re- exported back to their country of origin. In this case, Certificate of Donation is not required. (If there are sufficient reasons to decide to change the regime into a definitive one then there is a need to first request authorization to do so then submit the declaration of donation.)



- **IMMIGRATION:**

http://www.salcaldeira.com/index.php/en/publications/articles/doc_download/517-getting-the-deal-through-corporate-immigration-2014-mozambique

- **OTHER INFORMATION**

Other contacts:

Representatives of Instituto Nacional de Gestao de Calamidades (INGC) / Mozambican National Disaster Management Institute (MNDMI):

- Based at the National Centre for Emergency Operations at TIAR - Beira, Terminal Internacional Aeréa, Sofala:
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- Contact representative of MNDMI: samuholove@gmail.com

Mozambique Revenue Authority (MRA) / Autoridade Tributaria de Moçambique.

- MRA Delegate in Sofala Province
Mr. Raimundo Mapanzene - rmapazene@gmail.com

Revised Kyoto Convention:

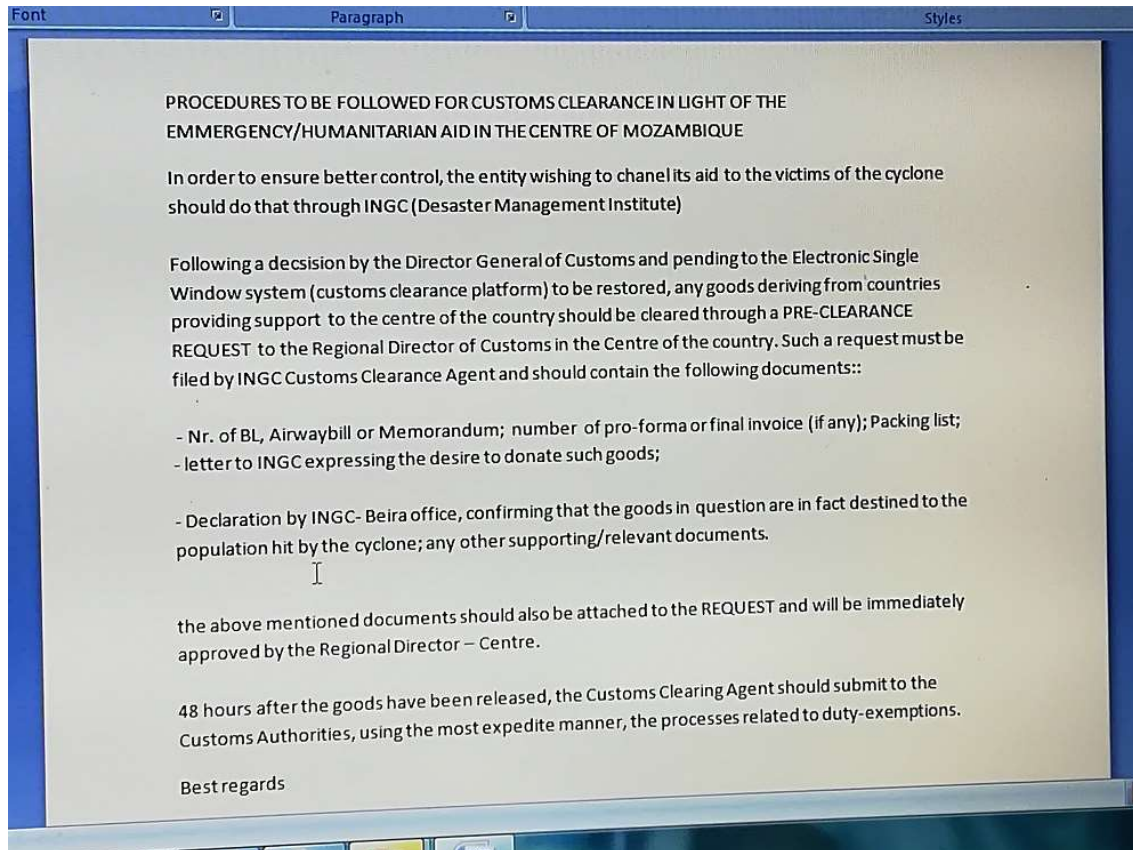
Mozambique is a contracting party to the Revised Kyoto Convention on the simplification and harmonization of procedures, but Mozambique has not accepted the annex J-5 on relief consignments.



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