

| Papua New Guinea | | Customs Regulations 2011 |
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| Household Goods and Personal Effects | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Expatriates must be working for a registered company and hold a valid work/residence permit. ▪ One air and one sea shipment only can be imported duty free but duty will be levied on new items or items deemed in excessive quantities for personal needs. ▪ Shipments ought to arrive within three months of work/residence permit being issued. Shipper is required to in person sign a Statutory Declaration in front of a Commissioner of Oaths in Papua New Guinea. ▪ Any new items must be declared and will be dutiable. ▪ All shipments are inspected by both Customs and Quarantine Department. ▪ All shipments take time to clear and demurrage is inevitable. ▪ Depending of the shipment it might need to be offloaded into bonded warehouse in the port area. High bonded warehouse/handling charges apply and are EXCLUDED in our rates. ▪ Quarantine charges are EXCLUDED from our rates and are billed separately at cost plus 10%. Shipments can only be released after both Customs and Quarantine have approved release. ▪ Shipments will be inspected separately by both departments at a time of their choosing. ▪ For any shipper that does not fulfill these criteria the entire shipment will be subject to import duty at varying rates. ▪ Diplomats require duty free certificate issued by Ministry of Foreign Affairs whilst UN/NGO/AID employees require duty free certificate issued by their sponsor government department. Again, demurrage is very likely. ▪ All shipments must be ISPM15 compliant. ▪ Additional quarantine charges might apply if shipments aren't compliant. | |
| Prohibited and Restricted Goods | <p>Never mix personal effects with commercial goods.</p> <p>Generally pornography, guns, fireworks, narcotics, gambling instruments and subversive or offensive literature are banned as are agricultural products.</p> | |
| Motor Vehicles (Autos and Motorbikes) | <p>Cars are complicated to import. Generally only diplomats can import duty free but under certain circumstances individuals can import but the procedure is lengthy and complicated. Check with JVK before shipping.</p> | |
| Animals and Pets | <p>➤ Pets are very difficult to import. Contact JVK for more details.</p> | |
| Consignment Instructions | <p>Consign both sea and air shipments to: Shipper (name spelt exactly as in passport) c/o JVK Magellan International Movers Ltd. PO Box 3340, Boroko, Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea. Tel : 675-3425356/7386 1785 e-mail: papuanewguinea@jvkpacific.com</p> <p>Notify Party: As consignee</p> <p>Please ensure a copy of pre-advice and shipping documents are forward to JVK Australia before shipment arrival. JVK Magellan International Movers Pty Ltd Tel: 61 -7-5309 6890 Fax: 61-7-5335 1663 e-mail: australia@jvkpacific.com</p> | |