

Household Inventory Certificate

Temporary importation:

A person holding a temporary resident and temporary student Card may bring, temporarily, his or her household goods to Mexico duty free.

Permanent importation:

Holders of permanent resident card may bring permanently his or her household goods to Mexico duty free. In these instances, you can obtain a certificate from the nearest Consulate.

Process:

- 1) To obtain a household import certificate, the following documents must be submitted to a Mexican Consulate:

HOUSEHOLD INVENTORY CERTIFICATE		
No.	Requirements	Checklist
1	PLEASE NOTE : This is a 24 hour process	Mandatory
2	Original and four copies of the Passport.	Mandatory
3	Original and four copies of the Permanent/ Temporary Resident card .	Mandatory
4	A letter (four copies) requesting the service to the Consulate, written and signed by the applicant (this letter must include the current address in the U.S. and the address where you will be living in Mexico).	Mandatory
5	Four prints of the complete list of your belongings all pages must be signed by the applicant. (THE LIST MUST BE IN SPANISH)	Mandatory
6	Fee \$127.00	Mandatory

Sample:

ITEM	BRAND	MODEL	SERIES
TV 52"	Panasonic	VT-200	8727368
Microondas	Sony	WMH53520AH	154786
6 Cajas de libros			

Note: The list must be in Spanish.

- 2) This household certificate allows you to bring into Mexico your household goods only when these items are imported no later than six months after your first entry.
- 3) Mexican customs will require a copy of your Immigration Form (FMM stamped by the Mexican immigration authorities at the port of entry) or your Temporary or Permanent Mexican Resident Card.
- 4) It is required to hire a custom broker at the port of entry or use an international moving company (the companies also need a broker).

Important to keep in mind

- Household goods include: furniture, books, clothes, electronic devices, art work (as long as these are not collections for exhibitions or galleries), etc.
- A vehicle is not considered a household good.
- The import of household goods of Temporary Resident and Temporary Student is **temporary** and only for the period that your immigration card remains valid. You must notify the customs authorities in case of change of address while in Mexico.
- You may import your household goods only once.