

Customer Advisory

Sea Cargo Manifest and Transhipment Regulations (SCMTR) - IEC Code Input in Shipping Instructions

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Dear Valuable ONE Customer,

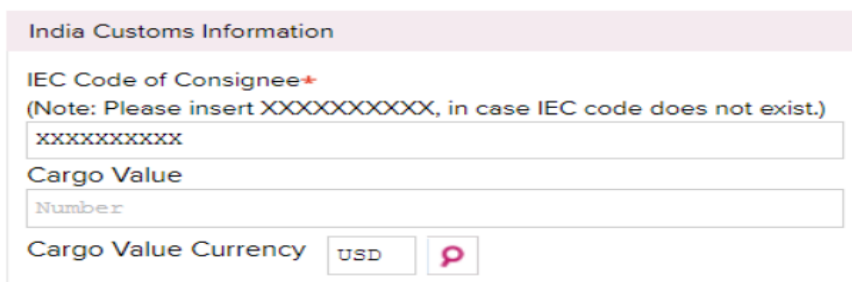
This is in continuation to our various advisories released earlier on the matter of Sea Cargo Manifest and Transhipment Regulations (SCMTR).

As informed earlier, please note the effective date of SCMTR implementation remains as 01st Aug, 2020. As testing of the system will continue for some more time, existing IGM (Import General Manifest) & EGM (Export General Manifest) process will continue even after 1st Aug, 2020 & will run parallel with SCMTR until further notice.

In this regard, we request all our customers to **mention the IEC code** while submitting the shipping instructions either through our eCommerce Portal or while submitting manual shipping instructions to our side. We are unable to encourage separate email correspondence regarding IEC Code.

For better understanding, please note, Import Export Code (IEC) is a 10 digit identification number that is issued by the DGFT (Director General of Foreign Trade), Department of Commerce, Government of India. It is also known as Importer Exporter Code. It is not possible to deal with export or import business without this code.

Please find the below sample screenshot of the **IEC field availability in our eCommerce Portal**. For IEC Code of Shipper too, the same input logic holds good.



India Customs Information

IEC Code of Consignee*

(Note: Please insert XXXXXXXXXXXX, in case IEC code does not exist.)

XXXXXXXXXX

Cargo Value

Number

Cargo Value Currency USD

*Forwarders / Personal Effects cargo will not have IEC code. Hence requesting customers to input 10 times X (example : XXXXXXXXXXXX) in IEC field **only in such cases**.

We have noticed that many of our customers are not mentioning the IEC code OR mentioning dummy code viz, 1234 etc. As IEC code is part of the manifest filed with Indian Customs, we would like to highlight that any such misdeclaration or dummy details may attract a penalty.

We hereby request your valuable support and understanding. If you have queries, please send it to in.scmt@one-line.com for immediate assistance.

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