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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO :** ALL DISTRICT COLLECTORS

**ATTN :** Deputy Collector for Assessment  
Chiefs, Formal Entry Division or Equivalent Unit

**FROM :**  **ATTY. EDWARD JAMES A. DY BUCO**  
Deputy Commissioner, AOCG

**SUBJECT :** Websites for On-line Verification of Certificates of Origin

**DATE :** 23 July 2019

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1. To assist the Preferential Rate Units (PRUs) of Customs Districts in the verification of the authenticity of the preferential Certificates of Origin (COs) presented to them for purposes of claiming reduced duty rate, annexed hereto is the list bearing the updated links and instructions on how to access the on-line verification websites available for the following FTAs:
  - a. ATIGA (authorized signatory viewing only)
  - b. AANZFTA (authorized signatory viewing only)
  - c. ASEAN China FTA
  - d. ASEAN Korea FTA
  - e. ASEAN India FTA
  - f. PJEPA, ASEAN Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership
2. When there is reasonable doubt as to the authenticity of the document (e.g. CO not found in the verification site, etc.) or as to the accuracy of the information regarding the true origin of the products or certain parts thereof, PRU may request for retroactive check or verification pursuant to Customs Memorandum Order (CMO) No. 16-2011.

3. To ensure accountability and confidentiality of information, usernames and passwords for verification sites requiring the same shall only be provided to authorized personnel of the PRU. For this purpose, authorized personnel to whom username and passwords will be provided should be duly indorsed by the District Collector concerned. The following details should be included in the indorsement:
  - a. Name of authorized personnel;
  - b. Designation;
  - c. Division/Office;
  - d. Official Email Address;
  - e. Mobile Number
  
4. For strict compliance.

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Agreement	Member State/s	Applicable CO Forms	Issuing Authority	Online Verification Site	Instructions			
ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA)	Brunei	D, E, AANZ, AK, AI, AJ	Ministry of Finance and Economy	<a href="http://specimensig.nature.asean.org">http://specimensig.nature.asean.org</a>	Only for viewing and downloading of updated list of seals and specimen signatures. Username and password shall only be provided to authorized PRU personnel.			
	Darussalam		Ministry of Commerce					
	Cambodia		Ministry of Trade					
	Indonesia		Ministry of Industry and Commerce					
	Laos PDR		Ministry of International Trade and Industry (MITI)					
	Malaysia		Director General, Department of Trade, Ministry of Commerce					
	Myanmar		Bureau of Foreign Trade Services					
	Thailand		Ministry of Industry and Trade					
	Vietnam		Director General of Customs					
	Singapore		Certified Exporters					
	Second Pilot Project for the ASEAN Self-Certification System		Indonesia, Laos PDR, Thailand, Vietnam			Invoice Declaration		<a href="http://certifiedexporters.asean.org">http://certifiedexporters.asean.org</a>



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ASEAN-China Free Trade Agreement (ACFTA)	China	E	General Administration of Customs of the People's Republic of China (GACC)	<a href="http://origin.custo.ms.gov.cn">http://origin.custo.ms.gov.cn</a>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Please provide CO Reference No., Invoice No. and key in the security code indicated in the site. Results should yield CO details such as Exporter, Consignee, HS Code, Invoice No., Date and Place of Issue.</li> <li>For authorized verification, username and password shall only be provided to authorized PRU personnel. Access involves electronic copy of the CO, request for verification and list of specimen signatures.</li> </ol>
ASEAN-Australia-New Zealand Free Trade Area (AANZFTA)	Australia	AANZ	China Council for the Promotion of International Trade (CCPIT)	<a href="http://check.ccpite.co.net">http://check.ccpite.co.net</a>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Please provide CO Certificate No., Serial No. and key in the security code indicated in the site. Results include CO details such as Exporter, Consignee, HS Code, Invoice No., Date and Place of Issue.</li> </ol>
			Australian Chamber of Commerce and Industry (ACCI)	<a href="http://aanzfta.aan.org/specimens/signatures/">http://aanzfta.aan.org/specimens/signatures/</a>	Only for viewing and downloading of updated list of seals and specimen

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	New Zealand		The Australian Industry Group Independent Verification Services Limited New Zealand Chamber of Commerce (NZCC)		signatures. Username and password shall only be provided to authorized PRU personnel.
ASEAN-India Free Trade Area (AFTA)	India	AI	Export Inspection Council of India	eicindia.gov.in	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Upon reaching the website, click the "Post Verification System" under Online Services Category.</li> <li>2. Please provide the Transaction ID or CoO Number. Transaction ID is the unique number written in pencil/pen in the white margin of the certificate. CoO Number is the reference number printed in the right hand corner columns of the certificate (i.e. AI12345...).</li> </ol>



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ASEAN-Japan Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (AJCEP)/ Philippines-Japan Economic Partnership Agreement (PJEPA)	Japan	JP, AJ	Japan Chamber of Commerce	<a href="https://cts.jcci.or.jp/cec/origin.htm">https://cts.jcci.or.jp/cec/origin.htm</a>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Username and password shall only be provided to authorized PRU personnel.</li> <li>2. After providing the user name and password, user will be directed to a page for Certificate of Origin search and download of specimen signature</li> <li>3. For CO search, please provide CO reference no. and date of issuance.</li> </ol>
ASEAN-Korea Free Trade Area (AKFTA)	Korea	AK	Korea Customs	<a href="https://english.cus.toms.go.kr/">https://english.cus.toms.go.kr/</a>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click "Certificate of Origin (C/O)" at the lower right portion of the site.</li> <li>2. Please provide for the ID (Reference No) and the PW (Reference Code) which can be found on the upper right portion of the CO Form AK then click "Search".</li> </ol>

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			Korea Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KCCI)	<a href="http://cert.korcha.m.net/search/index.htm">http://cert.korcha.m.net/search/index.htm</a>	Please provide for the Year of Issuance, Reference No. and the Reference Code found on the upper right portion of the CO Form AK then click "Check it Out".