

PROHIBITED GOODS

Prohibited imports are goods that may not be imported at all and for which no permits or licenses can be issued.

List of Prohibited Goods

The following goods shall not be importable:

(a.) Ozone Depleting Substances (ODS)

- I. Chlorofluorocarbons (CFC):
R-11, R12, R13, R14, R15, R21;
- II. Methyl bromide

Trade in these products is prohibited under the Montreal Protocol ii.

(b.) Dangerous Drugs

- Cannabis
- Heroin
- Marijuana
- Cocaine
- Mandrax
- Hazardous Wastes



Basel Convention on the Trans-Boundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal controls movement of hazardous wastes.

- (d.) thin plastics - of a thickness of less than 60 micrometers
- (e.) Goods prohibited under the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of wild fauna and flora (CITES)



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UNDERSTANDING

RESTRICTED & PROHIBITED GOODS





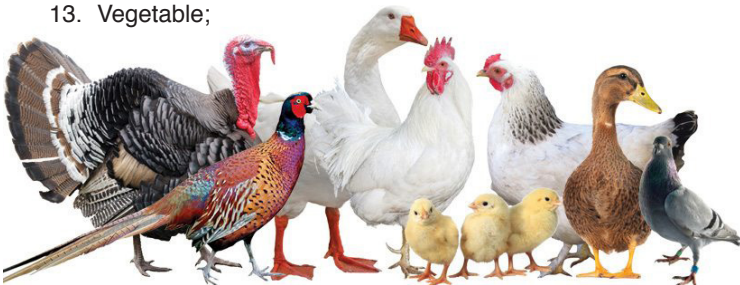
Restricted goods

Restricted imports are goods which may be imported in pursuance of a license or permit issued by or on behalf of a competent authority. If an attempt is made to import restricted goods without such permit or license, they are regarded as prohibited goods.

List of goods requiring import permit:

The following goods are restricted;

1. Soya beans, meals and all other forms
2. Cotton lint, seed seed-cake and all other forms.
3. Oil seeds, oil meals, oil cake and offals and residues from oil seeds
4. Grain of any variety, including rice, barley, beans, and groundnuts in all forms including meals, flours and residues.
5. Maize including- (a). Dried maize, on or off malt; (b). Crushed maize; or (c). Samp; but excluding green maize on the cob.
6. Maize meal, including- (a). maize grits; (b). Maize cones; (c). hominy chop; or (d). Maize offals;
7. Munga or munga meal (millets).
8. Rupoko meal and grams, excluding green grams and black grams.
9. Hides and skins in processed and non-processed form.
10. Sorghum, including meals and malt.
11. All types of potatoes in processed, non-processed and other forms.
12. Tomatoes;
13. Vegetable;



14. Citrus fruits;
15. Bananas;
16. Fruit and vegetables (including lettuce, cabbage, cauliflower, rape, turnips, fresh beans, fresh peas, green pepper, fresh chillies, onions, carrots, beetroot, radishes, tomatoes, egg plants, Irish potatoes and oranges).



17. Salt;
18. Eggs of poultry, whether in shell, pulp or dried form; eggs of wild birds;
19. Live poultry, including day-old chicks;
20. Live fish, including the eggs and spawn thereof;
21. Wild animals, wild animal trophies and wild animal product;
22. Cement;
23. Refined cooking oil;
24. Laundry soaps;
25. Liquor in sachets;
26. Fresh Milk;

Anyone found importing these products without an import license will be liable to prosecution in accordance with the provisions of the relevant Laws of Malawi

