

GREEN CHANNEL or “NOTHING TO DECLARE”

This is for travellers who are returning to or visiting Spain (European Union) from the Principality of Andorra and have made purchases of goods which:

- are for personal use;
- have not been purchased for commercial purposes; and
- do not exceed allowances for the green channel.

When entering Spanish (EU) territory, you are not required to declare at customs nor pay duties or taxes. However, you must be aware of the following:

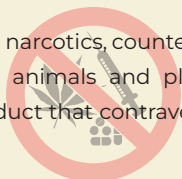
- Value is not taken into account for products listed on table 1.
- Allowances vary according to the traveller's age.
- Allowances are individual. If you go over your allowance, you must declare the goods.
- A good's value cannot be divided among several persons.
- Goods made up of several components transported in the same vehicle will be considered to constitute a single product, even if they appear on different invoices or receipts.

RED CHANNEL or “GOODS TO DECLARE”

This is for travellers carrying goods which go over the allowance or do not meet required conditions. It is also for travellers transporting products or animals which must meet certain requirements or for which certificates must be presented (CITES, health, pharmaceutical).

PROHIBITIONS

You may not bring in or export drugs, narcotics, counterfeit products, certain endangered wild animals and plants protected by CITES or any other product that contravenes regulations in force.



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FOR
TRAVELLERS
ARRIVING FROM THE
PRINCIPALITY OF
ANDORRA

AT SPANISH CUSTOMS

NOTHING TO DECLARE



Up to €900 (€450 for those under 15 years of age). Telephones, radio stations and bicycles must carry a certificate proving they meet Spanish standards.

EXCEPTIONS: the allowance for products listed in table 2 is lower.

ALLOWANCE per person aged 17 or above (table 1)

	300 150 75 400 g	cigarettes or cigarillos (cigars of a maximum weight of 3 grams each), or cigars, or of smoking tobacco
	1,5 litros 3 litros 5 litros 16 litros	of alcoholic drinks over 22% alcohol, or of alcoholic drinks under 22% alcohol of still wine of beer
	1.000 g 400 g	coffee coffee extracts and essence
	200 g 80 g	tea tea extracts and essence
	75 g 37,5 cl	Perfume Aguas de tocador

FOOD PRODUCTS (table 2)

Allowances for the items in this table are as indicated below. Their total value must not exceed €300 (€150 for those under the age of 15)

	2,5 Kg 3 Kg 6 litros 1 Kg 4 Kg	powdered milk condensed milk liquid milk butter cheese
	5 Kg	sugar and jelly
	5 Kg	meat

FUEL

The content of the normal tank of the traveller's vehicle plus the content of an additional container which may not exceed 10 litres.



GOODS TO DECLARE

As well as declaring any goods not included in the traveller's allowance, you must use this channel if, when entering or leaving Spain (EU), you are transporting animals or plants protected by CITES, cultural property, weapons, munitions or medicines beyond the amount considered for personal use (do not forget to carry with you a prescription or doctor's note). Before you travel, make sure you have obtained the necessary permits. Certain [ELLJ7.1]plant-based products may need a phytosanitary certificate. Otherwise, the goods may be confiscated until the permit is obtained.

PETS



You may travel with up to five pets. Dogs, cats and ferrets must be microchipped or tattooed and have a veterinary certificate or passport certifying valid rabies vaccination. These are EU regulations. You should also check the requirements of the Principality of Andorra.

MEDIUMS OF PAYMENT



If you are carrying 10,000 euros (or its equivalent in other currencies) or more in cash, bearer cheques, prepaid cards not linked to a bank account, certain gold items or a combination of the above, you will have to fill in a personal declaration (in person or online), which you must always present at customs. During the crossing, mediums of payment must be accompanied by a filled in declaration and transported by the person named as bearer. More information at:

Tax Agency: Mediums of payment

VAT REFUND



Do not forget that if you live in the Principality of Andorra, you can reclaim VAT paid on purchases made on the Spanish mainland or the Balearic Islands, as long as they are not for commercial purposes and leave the EU in your personal luggage within three months. When making the purchase, you will need to prove your identity and that you are living outside the EU, and request a receipt and electronic refund document (ERD). You must submit your ERD for approval by electronic means at the interactive terminal of the VAT refunds for travellers' purchases (DIVA) system located at the customs control in Farga de Moles. Take your receipts and purchased goods with you. Present your receipts and purchased goods if asked to do so at customs.

You may request a refund through the shop or collaborating entities authorized by the Tax Agency.



TEMPORARY EXPORTS



No temporary export pass will be issued for goods transported by travellers when leaving Spanish territory (EU). In case of doubt upon reimportation, an invoice issued by the commercial establishment in Spanish territory (EU) or customs clearance document will suffice as proof of origin or import, without prejudice of other methods of proof.

