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On July 1, new tougher demands are affecting those who are responsible to transport goods out of the EU. Are you ready for these changes?

The customs regulations within EU are changing and from July 1, 2009 these will initially affect all exporters that ship goods out of the European Union. The additional pre-departure information forms part of a new risk analysis that customs authorities within EU have been demanded to introduce to identify shipments from a risk and safety perspective.

Your shipments can be delayed or stopped completely

At KGH Customs Services, we are prepared for the new demands that are introduced on July 1. By having KGH delivering the pre-departure information, you take away the risk that your customers' goods is delayed or stopped at the boarder. We have the competence and the training that is demanded to manage the new legislation.

Your declarations can be rejected by the authorities

Declarations must contain the data requirements for safety and security. The admissibility of the declarations depends on lodging the declaration within a specific timeframe and at the responsible customs office.

Consolidation of information

We will be able to collect the important information that must be supplied electronically to the authorities and will ensure that your supply-chain remains intact without interruptions. We know the rules, the exceptions and the timelines that need to be met.

Lower your costs and simplify your customs handling

The customs authorities demand that if you have your own customs system, you should update and adapt the same to the new legislation. As further regulations are introduced, this is a continuous workload including staff training that should be taken into account when planning your future customs administration.

At KGH we have adapted to the new legislation and our systems and personnel are ready for the changes to come. By letting us at KGH manage the new demands, you avoid fixed costs for systems, licences and own competence. We can lower your costs and simplify your customs administration.

Long experience and high competence

KGH has over 40 years experience in customs handling and we continuously follow the development of customs legislations in EU. We are up to date on the rules and regulations that apply, meaning that you are in safe hands with KGH and can be sure that your customs administration is managed in a correct way.

We want to help you simplify your customs administration

Keep yourself updated through our web site www.kghcustoms.com where you also can register to receive continuous information via email. You are of course also welcome to call us or send questions to the following email address csd.be@kghcustoms.com. Our team is ready to answer all your related questions!

Yours sincerely,
KGH Customs Services