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#### Overview of This Information Collection

*Title:* Documentation Requirements for Articles Entered Under Various Special Tariff Treatment Provisions.

*OMB Number:* 1651–0067.

*Current Actions:* CBP proposes to extend the expiration date of this information collection with no changes to the burden hours or to the information being collected.

*Type of Review:* Extension (without change).

*Abstract:* CBP is responsible for determining whether imported articles that are classified under Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTSUS) subheadings 9801.00.10, 9802.00.20, 9802.00.40, 9802.00.50, 9802.00.60 and 9817.00.40 are entitled to duty-free or reduced duty treatment. In order to file under these HTSUS provisions, importers, or their agents, must have the declarations that are provided for in 19 CFR 10.1(a), 10.8(a), 10.9(a) and 10.121 in their possession at the time of entry and submit them to CBP upon request. These declarations enable CBP to ascertain whether the requirements of these HTSUS provisions have been satisfied.

*Affected Public:* Businesses.

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 19,445.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 3.

*Estimated Number of Total Annual Responses:* 58,335.

*Estimated Time per Response:* 1 minute.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 933.

Dated: July 28, 2017.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### U.S. Customs and Border Protection

[1651–0001]

#### Agency Information Collection Activities: Cargo Manifest/Declaration, Stow Plan, Container Status Messages and Importer Security Filing

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** 60-Day notice and request for comments; revision of an existing collection of information.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Customs and Border Protection will be submitting the following information collection request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. The information collection is published in the **Federal Register** to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. Comments are encouraged and will be accepted (no later than October 2, 2017) to be assured of consideration.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice must include the OMB Control Number 1651–0001 in the subject line and the agency name. To avoid duplicate submissions, please use only *one* of the following methods to submit comments:

(1) Email. Submit comments to: *CBP\_PRA@cbp.dhs.gov*.

(2) Mail. Submit written comments to CBP Paperwork Reduction Act Officer, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Office of Trade, Regulations and Rulings, Economic Impact Analysis Branch, 90 K Street NE., 10th Floor, Washington, DC 20229–1177.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Requests for additional PRA information should be directed to CBP Paperwork Reduction Act Officer, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Office of Trade, Regulations and Rulings, Economic Impact Analysis Branch, 90 K Street NE., 10th Floor, Washington, DC 20229–1177, or via email *CBP\_PRA@cbp.dhs.gov*. Please note that the contact information provided here is solely for questions regarding this notice.

Individuals seeking information about other CBP programs should contact the CBP National Customer Service Center at 877–227–5511, (TTY) 1–800–877–8339, or CBP Web site at <https://www.cbp.gov/>.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** CBP invites the general public and other

Federal agencies to comment on the proposed and/or continuing information collections pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*). Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address one or more of the following four points: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) suggestions to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) suggestions to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses. The comments that are submitted will be summarized and included in the request for approval. All comments will become a matter of public record.

#### Overview of This Information Collection

*Title:* Cargo Manifest/Declaration, Stow Plan, Container Status Messages and Importer Security Filing.

*OMB Number:* 1651–0001.

*Form Numbers:* CBP Forms 1302, 1302A, 7509, 7533.

*Abstract:* This OMB approval includes the following existing information collections: CBP Form 1302 (or electronic equivalent); CBP Form 1302A (or electronic equivalent); CBP Form 7509 (or electronic equivalent); CBP Form 7533 (or electronic equivalent); Manifest Confidentiality; Vessel Stow Plan (Import); Container Status Messages; and Importer Security Filing, Electronic Ocean Export Manifest; Electronic Air Export Manifest; Electronic Rail Export Manifest; and Vessel Stow Plan (Export). CBP is proposing to add a new information collection for the Air Cargo Advance Screening (ACAS) Pilot Program.

*CBP Form 1302:* The master or commander of a vessel arriving in the United States from abroad with cargo on board must file CBP Form 1302, *Inward Cargo Declaration*, or submit the information on this form using a CBP-approved electronic equivalent. CBP Form 1302 is part of the manifest requirements for vessels entering the United States and was agreed upon by

treaty at the United Nations Inter-government Maritime Consultative Organization (IMCO). This form and/or electronic equivalent, is provided for by 19 CFR 4.5, 4.7, 4.7a, 4.8, 4.33, 4.34, 4.38, 4.84, 4.85, 4.86, 4.91, 4.93 and 4.99 and is accessible at: [http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%201302\\_0.pdf](http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%201302_0.pdf).

**CBP Form 1302A:** The master or commander of a vessel departing from the United States must file CBP Form 1302A, *Cargo Declaration Outward With Commercial Forms*, or CBP-approved electronic equivalent, with copies of bills of lading or equivalent commercial documents relating to all cargo encompassed by the manifest. This form and/or electronic equivalent, is provided for by 19 CFR 4.62, 4.63, 4.75, 4.82, and 4.87–4.89 and is accessible at: [http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%201302\\_0.pdf](http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%201302_0.pdf).

**Electronic Ocean Export Manifest:** CBP began a pilot in 2015 to electronically collect ocean export manifest information. This information is transmitted to CBP in advance via the Automated Export System (AES) within the Automated Commercial Environment (ACE).

**CBP Form 7509:** The aircraft commander or agent must file Form 7509, *Air Cargo Manifest*, with CBP at the departure airport, or respondents may submit the information on this form using a CBP-approved electronic equivalent. CBP Form 7509 contains information about the cargo onboard the aircraft. This form, and/or electronic equivalent, is provided for by 19 CFR 122.35, 122.48, 122.48a, 122.52, 122.54, 122.73, 122.113, and 122.118, and is accessible at: [http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%207509\\_0.pdf](http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%207509_0.pdf).

**Air Cargo Advanced Screening:** CBP began a pilot in 2012 announced via a notice published in **Federal Register** on October 24, 2012 (77 FR 65006). The ACAS pilot is a voluntary test in which participants agree to submit a subset of the required 19 CFR 122.48a data elements at the earliest point practicable prior to loading of the cargo onto the aircraft destined to or transiting through

the United States. The ACAS pilot data is transmitted to CBP via a CBP-approved electronic data interchange system. Currently, the ACAS data consists of:

- (1) Air waybill number
- (2) Total quantity based on the smallest external packing unit
- (3) Total weight
- (4) Cargo description
- (5) Shipper name and address
- (6) Consignee name and address

**Electronic Air Export Manifest:** CBP began a pilot in 2015 to electronically collect air export manifest information. This information is transmitted to CBP in advance via ACE's AES.

**CBP Form 7533:** The master or person in charge of a conveyance files CBP Form 7533, *Inward Cargo Manifest for Vessel Under Five Tons, Ferry, Train, Car, Vehicle, etc.*, which is required for a vehicle or a vessel of less than 5 net tons arriving in the United States from Canada or Mexico, otherwise than by sea, with baggage or merchandise. Respondents may also submit the information on this form using a CBP-approved electronic equivalent. CBP Form 7533, and/or electronic equivalent, is provided for by 19 CFR 123.4, 123.7, 123.61, 123.91, and 123.92, and is accessible at: [http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%207533\\_0.pdf](http://www.cbp.gov/sites/default/files/documents/CBP%20Form%207533_0.pdf).

**Electronic Rail Export Manifest:** CBP began a pilot in 2015 to electronically collect the rail export manifest information. This information is transmitted to CBP in advance via ACE's AES.

**Manifest Confidentiality:** An importer or consignee (inward) or a shipper (outward) may request confidential treatment of its name and address contained in manifests by following the procedure set forth in 19 CFR 103.31.

**Vessel Stow Plan (Import):** For all vessels transporting goods to the United States, except for any vessel exclusively carrying bulk cargo, the incoming carrier is required to electronically submit a vessel stow plan no later than 48 hours after the vessel departs from the last foreign port that includes information about the vessel and cargo. For voyages less than 48 hours in

duration, CBP must receive the vessel stow plan prior to arrival at the first port in the U.S. The vessel stow plan is provided for by 19 CFR 4.7c.

**Vessel Stow Plan (Export):** CBP began a pilot in 2015 to electronically collect a vessel stow plan for vessels transporting goods from the United States, except for any vessels exclusively carrying bulk cargo. The exporting carrier is required to electronically submit a vessel stow plan in advance.

**Container Status Messages (CSMs):** For all containers destined to arrive within the limits of a U.S. port from a foreign port by vessel, the incoming carrier must submit messages regarding the status of events if the carrier creates or collects a container status message (CSM) in its equipment tracking system reporting an event. CSMs must be transmitted to CBP via a CBP-approved electronic data interchange system. These messages transmit information regarding events such as the status of a container (full or empty); booking a container destined to arrive in the United States; loading or unloading a container from a vessel; and a container arriving or departing the United States. CSMs are provided for by 19 CFR 4.7d.

**Importer Security Filing (ISF):** For most cargo arriving in the United States by vessel, the importer, or its authorized agent, must submit the data elements listed in 19 CFR 149.3 via a CBP-approved electronic interchange system within prescribed time frames. Transmission of these data elements provide CBP with advance information about the shipment.

**Current Actions:** CBP is proposing that this information collection be extended with no change to the burden hours resulting from the proposed revision to the information collection associated with the Air Cargo Advance Screening pilot, as there is no change to the data being collected, only to the timing of the collection. There are no changes to the existing information collections under this OMB approval. The burden hours are listed in the chart below.

**Type of Review:** Revision and Extension  
**Affected Public:** Businesses.

Collection	Total burden hours	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Total responses	Time per response
Air Cargo Manifest (CBP Form 7509) .....	366,600	215	6820.46	1,466,400	15 minutes.
Air Cargo Advance Screening Pilot (ACAS) .....					
Inward Cargo Manifest for Truck, Rail, Vehicles, Vessels, etc. (CBP Form 7533).	962,940	33,000	291.8	9,629,400	6 minutes.
Inward Cargo Declaration (CBP Form 1302) .....	1,500,000	10,000	300	3,000,000	30 minutes.

Collection	Total burden hours	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Total responses	Time per response
Cargo Declaration Outward With Commercial Forms (CBP Form 1302A)	10,000	500	400	200,000	3 minutes.
Importer Security Filing .....	17,739,000	240,000	33.75	8,100,000	2.19 hours.
Vessel Stow Plan (Import) .....	31,803	163	109	17,767	1.79 hours.
Vessel Stow Plan (Export) .....	31,803	163	109	17,767	1.79 hours.
Container Status Messages .....	23,996	60	4,285,000	257,100,000	0.0056 minutes.
Request for Manifest Confidentiality .....	1,260	5,040	1	5,040	15 minutes.
Electronic Air Export Manifest .....	121,711	260	5,640	1,466,400	5 minutes.
Electronic Ocean Export Manifest .....	5,000	500	400	200,000	1.5 minutes.
Electronic Rail Export Manifest .....	2,490	50	300	15,000	10 minutes.
Total .....	20,796,603	289,996	.....	281,217,774	

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Office of the Secretary

#### Determination Pursuant to Section 102 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, as Amended

**AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of determination.

**SUMMARY:** The Secretary of Homeland Security has determined, pursuant to law, that it is necessary to waive certain laws, regulations and other legal requirements in order to ensure the expeditious construction of barriers and roads in the vicinity of the international land border of the United States near the city of San Diego in the state of California.

**DATES:** This determination takes effect on August 2, 2017.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The principal mission requirements of the Department of Homeland Security (“DHS”) include border security and the detection and prevention of illegal entry into the United States. Border security is critical to the nation’s national security. Recognizing the critical importance of border security, Congress has ordered DHS to achieve and maintain operational control of the international land border. Secure Fence Act of 2006, Public Law 109–367, 2, 120 Stat. 2638 (Oct. 26, 2006) (8 U.S.C. 1701 note). Congress defined “operational control” as the prevention of all unlawful entries into the United States, including entries by terrorists, other

unlawful aliens, instruments of terrorism, narcotics, and other contraband. Secure Fence Act of 2006, Public Law 109–367, 2, 120 Stat. 2638 (Oct. 26, 2006) (8 U.S.C. 1701 note). Consistent with that mandate from Congress, the President’s Executive Order on Border Security and Immigration Enforcement Improvements directed executive departments and agencies to deploy all lawful means to secure the southern border. Executive Order 13767, § 1. To achieve this end, the President directed, among other things, that I take immediate steps to prevent all unlawful entries into the United States, to include the immediate construction of physical infrastructure to prevent illegal entry. Executive Order 13767, § 4(a).

Congress has provided the Secretary of Homeland Security with a number of authorities necessary to carry out DHS’s border security mission, including the border security provisions described above. One of these authorities is found at section 102 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 (“IIRIRA”). Public Law 104–208, Div. C, 110 Stat. 3009–546, 3009–554 (Sept. 30, 1996) (8 U.S.C 1103 note), as amended by the REAL ID Act of 2005, Public Law 109–13, Div. B, 119 Stat. 231, 302, 306 (May 11, 2005) (8 U.S.C. 1103 note), as amended by the Secure Fence Act of 2006, Public Law 109–367, § 3, 120 Stat. 2638 (Oct. 26, 2006) (8 U.S.C. 1103 note), as amended by the Department of Homeland Security Appropriations Act, 2008, Public Law 110–161, Div. E, Title V, § 564, 121 Stat. 2090 (Dec. 26, 2007). In section 102(a) of IIRIRA, Congress provided that the Secretary of Homeland Security shall take such actions as may be necessary to install additional physical barriers and roads (including the removal of obstacles to detection of illegal entrants) in the vicinity of the United States border to deter illegal crossings in areas of high illegal entry into the United States. In section 102(b) of IIRIRA,

Congress has called for the installation of additional fencing, barriers, roads, lighting, cameras, and sensors on the southwest border. Finally, in section 102(c) of IIRIRA, Congress granted to the Secretary of Homeland Security the authority to waive all legal requirements that I, in my sole discretion, determine necessary to ensure the expeditious construction of barriers and roads authorized by section 102 of IIRIRA.

### Determination and Waiver

#### Section 1

The United States Border Patrol’s San Diego Sector is one of the busiest Sectors in the Nation. For example, in fiscal year 2016 alone, the United States Border Patrol apprehended over 31,000 illegal aliens and seized approximately 9,167 pounds of marijuana and approximately 1,317 pounds of cocaine in the San Diego Sector. To be sure, the construction of border infrastructure and other operational improvements have improved border security in the San Diego Sector; however, more work needs to be done. The San Diego Sector remains an area of high illegal entry for which there is an immediate need to construct additional border barriers and roads.

To begin to meet the need for additional border infrastructure within the San Diego Sector, DHS will immediately implement various border infrastructure projects. These projects will focus on an approximately fifteen mile segment of the border within the San Diego Sector that starts at the Pacific Ocean and extends eastward. This approximately fifteen mile segment of the border is referred to herein as the “Project Area” and is more specifically described in Section 2 below.

All of the projects that DHS will undertake within the Project Area will further Border Patrol’s ability to deter and prevent illegal crossings. For example, DHS will replace existing primary fencing in the Project Area. The