
**GOVERNMENT STORES AND TRANSIT SHEDS
REGULATIONS, 1987.**
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1987/001****Title and commencement.**

1. (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Government Stores and Transit Sheds Regulations, 1987.

(2) These Regulations shall be deemed to have come into operation on the 1st day of January, 1987.

*Government Stores.***Rent chargeable.**

2. (1) The rent chargeable for the storage of goods in a Government store shall be 35 pence per cubic foot or part of a cubic foot for every month or part of a month.

(2) Where any goods remain in a Government store for more than three months, the rent prescribed in subregulation (1) shall be increased by 10 per cent:

Provided that the Collector may, in his discretion, waive any such increase by notice in writing to the person liable to pay the rent.

Deposits, etc.

3. The Collector may, in his discretion, decline to receive into a Government store non-dutiable goods or goods proffered for deposit by any person not resident in Gibraltar, unless a deposit on account of rent or a sufficient guarantee for payment be given in a sum not exceeding three months rent therefor.

Date for computing rent.

4. Rent shall be computed from the date of storage or of re-storage or of recognition of change of ownership, whichever shall be the latest date.

Transfer of ownership of goods.

5. No transfer of ownership of goods in a Government store shall be recognised until all rent due in respect of the storage of the goods, up to and including the date of recognition, has been paid.

Restrictions on unpacking, etc.

6. Unpacking or repacking of goods in a Government store is prohibited, except with the written permission of the Collector.

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7. Except with the written permission of the Collector, tobacco shall be received into a Government store only in the receptacles in which it was imported.

*Transit Sheds.***Admission of goods to be approved.**

8. (1) No goods shall be removed to a transit shed without the approval of a customs officer.

(2) The officer in charge of a transit shed may refuse to admit goods for storage therein if he does not consider that there is sufficient space therefor at the time of the proposed storage or that there will not be sufficient space therefor at any time thereafter bearing in mind the normal use that is made of a transit shed.

Lists of goods.

9. The owner or person depositing goods in a transit shed shall, at the time of the deposit, furnish the officer in charge with a list of the goods.

Charges for storage.

10. (1) Subject to the provisions of subregulation (2), the charges for goods stored in a transit shed shall, for each week or part of a week, be as set out in the Schedule.

(2) No charges shall be payable in respect of the first five days of storage (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays) after the day of storage.

(3) The Collector may, in his discretion, where he is of the opinion that the circumstances warrant it, extend the period of five days specified in subregulation (2).

Restriction on interference with goods.

11. No person shall interfere with, alter or remove goods deposited in a transit shed without the permission of a customs officer.

Removal of goods.

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12. (1) All goods deposited in a transit shed shall be removed therefrom within three days from the date of examination and clearance by a customs officer, or such further time as may be allowed by such officer, and the storage charges shall be paid before removal of the goods.

(2) If goods are not removed within the time specified in subregulation (1), the Collector may cause the goods to be removed to a Government store and the cost of such removal, to be determined by the Collector, shall be borne by the owner.

Goods for export.

13. (1) Goods for exportation may be deposited temporarily in a transit shed with the prior permission of a customs officer.

(2) When such goods are deposited in a transit shed, they shall be clearly segregated, to the satisfaction of the officer in charge, from other goods in the shed.

General.

Goods for export or in transit.

14. (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in these Regulations, the rent chargeable for storage in a transit shed of goods for exportation or in transit shall be at the rate of £3.13 for every square metre (or part thereof) of the area occupied by such goods for every month (or part thereof).

(2) The rent referred to in subregulation (1) shall be chargeable during the first six months of the storage; after the expiry of that period rent shall be charged at the rate provided for in regulation 2 above.

(3) In this regulation the expression “goods in transit”–

- (i) has the meaning assigned to it in section 63(2) of the Ordinance; but
- (ii) does not include motor vehicles.

Motor vehicles in transit.

15. (1) Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in these Regulations, the rent chargeable for storage in a transit shed of motor vehicles in transit shall be £5.00 for up to a week and £1.50 a day for each motor vehicle.

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(1A) If motor vehicles in transit are stored any area within Gibraltar other than in a private bonded store where uncostomed cars may, with the consent of the Collector, be parked or garaged for subsequent re-exportation, other than in a transit shed, the rent chargeable for the storage shall be £2.50 for up to one week and £0.75 a day thereafter for each motor vehicle.

(2) For the purpose of this regulation a motor vehicle shall be in transit only if the conditions stated in section 63(2) of the Ordinance are complied with in relation to that motor vehicle.

Expenses to be borne by owners.

16. Receptacles of whatever size or description received into a Government store or transit shed shall be stored and removed at the expense of the owners.

Re-arrangement.

17. When any portion of the stock belonging to an owner or owners is removed from a Government store or transit shed, the remaining portion shall be stacked and arranged by or at the expense of such owner or owners, in such manner as may be directed by the officer in charge of the Government store or transit shed with a view to economy of space.

Classification of goods.

18. If any doubt arises as to the classification of any goods, the decision of the Collector shall be final.

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Charges for Goods Stored in Transit Sheds.

WINES, SPIRITS AND MALT LIQUORS:

Casks, drums and similar bulk containers	each	10p
Empty casks, drums and similar bulk containers	each	5p
Cases of not more than 1 dozen bottles	each	5p
Cases of not more than 2 dozen bottles	each	8p
Cases of not more than 3 dozen bottles	each	10p
Cases containing more than 3 dozen bottles for every dozen bottles or part thereof contained therein	each	5p

(Note –for assessment of charges 24 hour bottles or 48 ‘nips’ may be taken as the equivalent of one dozen bottles).

TOBACCO GOODS:

In cases, cartons or other containers calculated on the net weight of tobacco for every 4.54 kg. or part thereof 5p

OTHER GOODS NOT SPECIFIED ABOVE

Cases, cartons or other containers:–

not exceeding 5 cubic feet	each	15p
exceeding 5 cubic feet but not exceeding 10 cubic feet	each	25p
exceeding 10 cubic feet but not exceeding 15 cubic feet	each	40p
exceeding 15 cubic feet but not exceeding 20 cubic feet	each	50p
exceeding 20 cubic feet	each	50p

plus 3p
for each
cubic
foot or
part of a
foot in
excess
of 20.