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Cooperation between MSAs and Customs authority in import controls

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Enhanced Border Control

Cooperation strengthens border controls for effective identification and interception of non-compliant imported goods

Pooling Expertise and Resources

MSAs and Customs combine knowledge and resources, improving market surveillance and compliance outcomes

Risk-Based Inspection Approach

Collaboration enables prioritization of high-risk goods for inspection using risk-based methodologies

Consumer Protection and Fair Competition

Joint efforts protect consumers, ensure fair competition, and uphold regulatory standards within the EU and Latvia















Union Customs Code Framework

The UCC provides a unified legal framework ensuring consistent customs procedures across the EU

Market Surveillance Regulation

Regulation (EU) 2019/1020 mandates cooperation between MSAs and Customs to ensure product compliance

National Legislation in Latvia

Latvia's national laws complement EU directives by defining local authorities' responsibilities and procedures

Coordinated Enforcement Actions

Combined legal instruments enable effective and coordinated enforcement between authorities















How Cooperation Works

Structured Joint Planning

MSAs and Customs set shared goals and allocate resources to prioritize cooperation effectively

Information Sharing

Sharing data on product risks and compliance enables informed decisions and timely actions

Joint Controls Execution

MSAs and Customs perform inspections together at border points following agreed protocols

Clear Communication Channels

Defined procedures and communication pathways ensure seamless cooperation and compliance enforcement















Risk-Based Controls

Data-Driven Risk Analysis

Analyzing product type, origin, and past violations helps identify goods with higher non-compliance risk

Inspection of High-Risk Goods

Customs suspends release of high-risk goods for further inspection by MSAs to ensure compliance

Efficient Resource Allocation

Focusing control efforts on high-risk consignments enhances efficiency and protects consumers

Real-Time Information Exchange

Decision-making is supported by real-time data exchange and established risk profiles between authorities















Risk based approach

Market Surveillance Authority

Importers, Product groups, Time frames

Amounts

Check lists and guidance documents

Customs Authority

Customs codes

Assessment of impact on flow of goods

Risk information from other Member states Risk profiles















MSAs Technical Expertise

MSAs provide detailed assessments of product safety and ensure compliance with regulations

Customs Border Control

Customs authorities manage border inspections, clearance of goods, and enforce import regulations

Collaborative Communication

Regular communication and joint planning help MSAs and Customs align objectives and respond to risks

Mutual Support & Training

MSAs guide and train Customs, while Customs facilitates access to goods and documentation







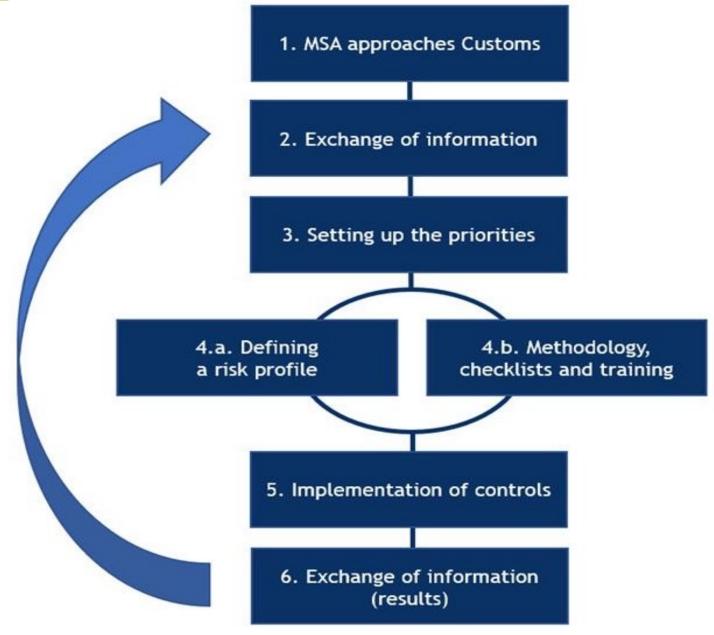








Roles and responsibilities

















Key elements for cooperation

- MSAs must clearly provide and explain/instruct all required information and checklists
- MSAs must provide support to Customs during the entire control process
- MSAs need to analyze the market, including intelligence from the import data at Customs
- It is important to formulate and define the risks and the associated profiles

Memorandum of Understanding is very important !!!















Barriers & Solutions

Challenges in Cooperation

Common barriers include lack of specialized knowledge, limited resources, and inconsistent procedures between agencies

Targeted Training Programs

Training builds capacity and expertise among Customs officers to better understand product safety regulations

Standardized Procedures

Clear, consistent procedures streamline operations and reduce confusion across agencies

Digital Tools for Coordination

Investing in digital platforms enhances information sharing and coordination between MSAs and Customs















Example of checklists

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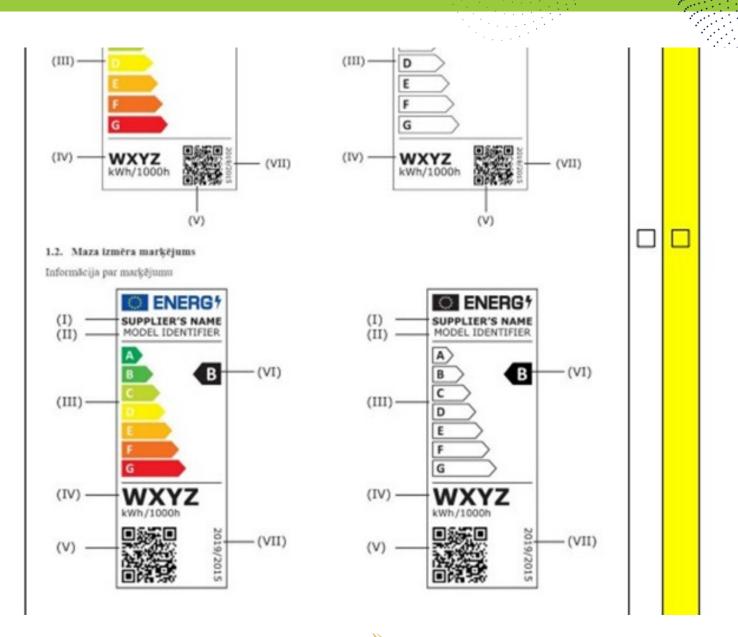
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- 1.2. Nosaukums un modelis/tips:

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Information exchange system between MSAs and Customs

