

INFORMATION REGARDING EXPORT CUSTOMS CLEARANCE

Shipments to the member states of the European Union (EU) are considered domestic shipments from a customs point of view, so that these are not subject to customs clearance neither in Hungary nor in the country of destination. Only the consignments to non-EU countries are subject to export customs clearance. There is no customs duty during the export customs clearance.

For postal items sent outside the EU, a distinction should be made based on the value of the content placed in the shipments. Shipments with a value less than EUR 1 000 or above have a different customs procedure, as follows:

SHIPMENTS UNDER EUR 1 000

For the export customs clearance of postal items with value, it is sufficient to fill in the postal form CN23 or CN22. Form CN22 should be completed only for letter post items, while form CN23 can be completed for all postal items. When sending an International postal parcel or a Europe+ parcel, the CN23 form is already included in the postal cover letter, so in these cases a separate CN23 form does not have to be issued.

With the entry into force of the new EU Customs Code on 1 May 2016, consignments for which repayment or reimbursement of customs duties or other charges is requested, an Export Accompanying Document must be attached besides the form CN23 / CN22, regardless of whether the value of the goods exceeds 1 000 Euros or not.

Magyar Posta issues the Export Accompanying Document on the basis of a written, the Export customs clearance order, according to the fee published in the General Terms and Conditions.

Export customs clearance of consignments under EUR 1 000 is free of charge in case it is covered by a customs declaration CN23 / CN22.

SHIPMENTS WITH A VALUE OF EUR 1 000 OR MORE

In all cases, a CN23 postal form must be completed and attached to the consignment. When sending an International postal parcel or a Europe+ parcel, the CN23 form is already included in the postal cover letter, so that a separate CN23 form does not have to be issued.

To certify export, the Export Accompanying Document must be issued during the export customs clearance.

CUSTOMS CLEARANCE THROUGH POSTAL SERVICES

Magyar Posta undertakes the export customs clearance of items with a value of 1 000 euros or more within the framework of the postal customs agency service. The main advantage is that the sender does not have to take special measures for the export customs clearance before the postal dispatch. It can be initiated during the postal dispatch by filling in the Export customs clearance order. The documents, permits marked on the order must also be attached to the shipment. The fee for the service is included in the General Terms and Conditions.

In order to speed up the customs clearance on import in the country of destination, it is advisable to indicate the telephone or e-mail contact details of the consignee on the postal documents.