

**GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN
(REVENUE DIVISION)
CENTRAL BOARD OF REVENUE**

Islamabad, the 18th June, 2001

**NOTIFICATION
(CUSTOMS)**

S.R.O. 450(I)/2001.-¹[In exercise of the powers conferred by section 219 of the Customs Act, 1969 (IV of 1969), section 50 of the Sales Tax Act, 1990, section 40 of the Federal Excise Act, 2005 and section 237 of the Income Tax Ordinance, 2001 (XLIX of 2001), the Federal Board of Revenue is pleased to make the following rules, namely:-]

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²[CHAPTER-XLI

TRANSIT REGIME IN PAKISTAN

UZBEKISTAN-PAKISTAN TRANSIT TRADE RULES

Sub-Chapter-III

Procedure for Commercial Vehicles transporting transit and bilateral trade goods

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927. Incidents in transit.-(1) Loss or Destruction of the vehicle in Transit. - A temporarily admitted vehicle that has been seriously damaged as a result of an accident is exempt from the obligation of return to the home country, provided that-

- (a) it has been placed under appropriate custom regime in accordance with the national regulations of the country of temporary admission; or
- (b) it was destroyed under the customs control of the country of temporary import at the expense of the person who temporarily imported the vehicle and all the disposed parts where either re-exported or import taxes and duties were paid.

(2) Change of Itinerary.- In case, the vehicle operator is compelled to abandon the designated route due to circumstances beyond his will, he shall forthwith inform the host contracting party's customs authority, which shall inform any other competent authorities for the purpose of designating an alternative route.

- (3) Extension of Time Limits-
- (a) a vehicle shall normally stay for 20 days as the time-limit for visa of drivers per visit, but the vehicle shall be allowed to stay upto 90 days for extended validity period of stay in Pakistan;
- (b) if the vehicle is unable to leave the territory of Pakistan within the time prescribed of upto 90 days, in accordance with national regulations due to force majeure or other reasonable and unforeseen cause, a request will be filed for an extension of the stay period with the host contracting party's customs authorities before the expiry date; or

¹ Existing preamble substituted and shall be deemed always to have been so substituted vide SRO 831(I)/2018 dated 2nd July, 2018. At the time of substitution was as under:-
"In exercise of the powers conferred by section 219 of the Customs Act, 1969 (IV of 1969), the Central Board of Revenue is pleased to make the following rules, namely:--"

² Added vide SRO 1466(I)/2021 dated 11th November, 2021

- (c) the host contracting party's customs authorities will grant such extension if they are satisfied that departure from the host country within the prescribed time limits was prevented by force majeure or other reasonable and unforeseen events.