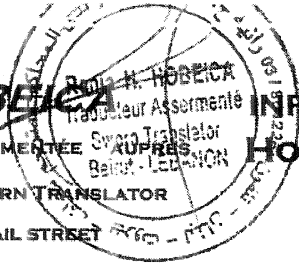


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Subject: Ratification of the commercial invoices related to the goods imported to Lebanon.

Reference: Decree 5497, published on 23.08.2019 (imposed measures to protect some national products).

The article 4 of the aforementioned decree stipulates that it is not allowed to enter imported goods from any country unless its customs file includes a ratified copy of the invoice that is submitted to the Customs Administration in the country of origin.

Therefore, all the competent customs units are required not to allow the processing of the customs formalities regulatory procedures related to the goods imported to Lebanon, unless a copy of the invoice submitted to the customs administration in the country of origin is enclosed thereto. This invoice must be duly ratified by the customs authority in the said country, and if Lebanon has a diplomatic representation in the city where the invoice is issued, it must be legalized by the diplomatic or consular mission there.

The products that have shipping documents proving that they were shipped to Lebanon before the date of the decree publication in the official gazette, i.e. on 26.09.2019, are excluded from this decision. Only the documents confirming that the goods have been loaded onboard of the transportation means are accepted.

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