### Prohibited commodities

All items offensive to the Muslim culture or sensitive to the Middle East security situation are prohibited. These include milk or sub products, pork products, religious publications/figures, imitation firearms/paraphernalia, military uniforms. Standard DHL prohibitions plus:

- Alcoholic beverages
- Antiques
- Furs
- Gambling devices
- Ivory
- Jewellery
- Precious metals & stones

### Document Express

General correspondence (business or private), plus:

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1. **Maximum weight 10 kgs; Otherwise send via WPX**
2. **Maximum weight 5 kgs; Otherwise send via WPX**
3. **Maximum weight 50 kgs; Otherwise send via WPX**
4. **Maximum 5; Otherwise send via WPX**
5. **Additional delay: 3-5 days.**
Worldwide Package Express

All shipments including DOX are dutiable by EG customs. Original AWB must have value, weight & pieces matched with commercial invoice with no changes (otherwise will be subject to USD 250 penalty). Shipments below USD 100 may be informally cleared subject to duty & sales tax. Commercial shipments (for re-sale) required Certificate of Origin & original invoice stamped by Egyptian consulate & Chamber of Commerce at origin. Note following WPX restrictions: - All shpts must have actual declaration value (NDV/NCV not acceptable).

Isopropanol [1] Leather samples [5]
Medical/dental supplies & equipment [1] Oil products [8]
Personal effects [10] Phones/modems [3]

1. Origin certificate of analysis and complete specifications must be provided. Certificate is required from Egyptian Health authority. Formal clearance required. Extra delays 3-7 days.
2. Origin health certificate required. Shipment is subject to radiation and health department inspection. Extra delays 5-12 days. Formal clearance required.
3. Consignee must provide Telecom authority approval. Formal clearance required. 3 to 7 days delay.
4. Subject to censorship. Extra delay 3-5 days may occur.
5. Subject to Ministry of Agriculture inspection and certification. 5 to 7 days delay. Formal clearance required.
6. Importation permitted for personal use or temporary import, otherwise a trade penalty applies (100% of shipment C.I.F. value).
7. DHL cannot expedite clearance, this must be facilitated by a representative of the Ministry of Defense.
8. Subject to Egyptian Petroleum authority approval. 2-5 days delay. Formal clearance required.
10. Itemized packing list is required. Passport and copy of airline ticket proving return to country.
11. All textile & clothes are subject to high customs duty.
Service Impact Notes

Muslim holidays are observed, and dates subject to change.

Operation Notes

P.O. Boxes are NOT acceptable.