Country: HONGKONG/HK

Prohibited commodities

Standard DHL prohibitions plus:

Antiques Furs Ivory Jewellery

Military equipment

Precious metals & stones

Soil samples

Document Express

General correspondence (business or private), plus:

Advertising brochures/pamphlets Airline tickets, issued/validated Annual reports

Artwork inc/drawings/proofs/layouts Blank forms Blueprints

Books: hardback/paperback non-

commercial use

Calendars Catalogues

Cheques, blank (NI) Cheques, cashier (NI) Credit card blanks (NI)

Deeds

Diplomatic mail

Drawings, technical/architect/eng.

Invoices, not blank Manuals, technical

Maps

Money orders (NI)

Newspapers

Paper patterns for wearing apparel

Personal mail

Photos as part of business reports

Price lists

Ship manifest-computer generated

Transparencies

Airline tickets, blank stock (NI)

Booklets, brochures (non-adv.)

Business cards

Cash letters (NI) Charts/graphs

Cheques, cancelled (NI) Computer printouts Credit cards (NI)

Diaries

Documents, general business

Invoices, blank

Magazines, periodicals, journals

Manuscripts

Microfiche & microfilm Music, printed or manuscript

Pamphlets

Photographs

Plans/drawings/architecture/ industrial

/engineering

Publications for public resale

Shipping schedules Visa applications

Worldwide Package Express			
Note following WPX restrictions for HKG and HKG transit material :			
Alcoholic beverages	[1]	Animal products	[2]
Animal skins	[2]	Chemicals, non-hazardous	[3]
Circuits & circuit boards	[4]	Communications equipment	[4]
Computer components & parts	[5]	Computer software	[5]
Diskettes	[5]	Drugs: non-prescription	[3]
Drugs: prescription	[3]	Electronic equipment	[4]
Fabrics & fabric samples	[6]	Foodstuffs	[7]
Grain samples	[8]	Labels	[9]
Leather goods	[2]	Medical samples	[3]
Medical/dental supplies & equipment	[3]	Parts, machine & electronic	[4]
Perishables	[7]	Plant products	[2]
Plants	[2]	Radar equiptransmitters/receivers	[4]
Radio equipment	[4]	Samples, textile	[6]
Seeds	[2]	Telecommunications equipment	[4]
Textile articles	[6]	Tobacco	[10]
Yarn	[6]		

- **1.** Dutiable item. Consignee must have import license or pay duties. Delay: 1-2 days for duty payment. Alcoholic liquor: alcohol content, age of wine, quantity and volume required for license application or calculation of duty rate. .
- **2.** Inspection by Hong kong Agriculture & Fisheries Department: if under protection of endangered species as per Washington convention, CITES Certificate. Required, invoice must state commodity type. Delay:1/2 days. Plants must be without root & soil.
- **3.** Inspection by Health Department. Consignee must be a license holder and must have import license. Delay: 4-5 days for valid permit application.
- **4.** Import license is required from consignee . Invoice must state type of technical details, exception: low energy storage capacitors, resistors, diodes, thyristors, transistors. Delay : 3-4 days.
- **5.** Import license required from consignee, exception: software & diskettes used for word processing, electronic work sheets, inventory control, accounting data entry & retrieval etc. (If details are not on Invoice). Will be held for clarification from Consignee.
- **6.** Import license required from consignee. Invoice must state dimensions, quantity, value, type, % component of textile/yarn. No additional transit time delays.
- 7. Inspection by Health Department; exception, canned or dried food. Delay: 1/2 1 day.
- **8.** Over 15kgs, consignee must be license holder and must have import license from Hong Kong Trade Department. Delay: 2-3 days for valid license application.
- **9.** Woven labels: Import license required from consignee. Invoice must state dimensions, quantity, value, type, % component of textile/yarn. No additional transit time delays.
- **10.** Dutiable item. Consignee must have import license or pay duties. Delay: 1-2 days for duty payment.

Service Impact Notes

For shipments under import license or permit control, if consignee does not have the proper license or permit, additional transit time delays.

Operation Notes

All WPX consolidated consignments must have 5 copies of the AWB manifest. Hong kong inbound Express Heavyweight Storage Charge

1. Above 50 kgs for single piece shipment;

2.above 250 kgs for multiple piece shipment. Storage Charge: HKD2.2/kg per calendar day for exceeding 2 working days, minimum: HKD45 per shipment.