**Prohibited commodities**

Standard DHL prohibitions plus:
- Antiques
- Furs
- Isopropanol
- Ivory
- Jewellery
- Postal envelopes
- Precious metals & stones

**DOCUMENTS**

All printed matter over 10 kgs must travel as WPX. General correspondence (business or private), plus:
- Advertising brochures/pamphlets
- Airline tickets, issued/validated
- Artwork inc.drawings/proofs/layouts
- Blueprints
- Books: hardbound/paperbound non-commercial. use
- Calendars
- Catalogues
- Cheques, blank (NI)
- Cheques, cashier (NI)
- Credit card blanks (NI)
- Deeds
- Diplomatic mail
- Drawings, technical/architectural/engineering.
- Invoices, blank
- Magazines, periodicals, journals
- Manuscripts
- Money orders (NI)
- Negatives, including x-rays, films
- Pamphlets
- Photographs
- Plans/drawings-architectural/industrial/engineering. purpose
- Price lists
- Publication not for public resale
- Ship manifest-computer generated
- Slides
- Transparencies

**1. Subject to General Security Screening. Expect delays: 48-72 hrs.**

**2. Textile samples only. Must be mutilated stamped or measure no greater than 20cm x 20cm; Otherwise ship via WPX**

**WORLDWIDE PACKAGE EXPRESS**

Customs require all WPX regardless of value to be accompanied by an original commercial invoice (not proforma) which must include the following info: itemised list contents, unit price,
total value, currency, gross weight, net weight, country of manufacture, reason for export

Note the following WPX restrictions:

Alcoholic beverages
Animal skins
Chemicals, non-hazardous
Coffee
Communications equipment
Computer software
Diskettes
Drugs: prescription
Films: entertainment
Foodstuffs
Liquids, non-hazardous
Medical/dental supplies & equipment
Oil products
Phones/modems
Plants
Substance containing sodium/calcium cyclamate
Tapes: computer
Telecommunications equipment

1. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Finance, delays: 48-72 hrs. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
2. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Agriculture, delays: 48-72 hrs. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
3. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Oil & Industries. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
4. Consignee must have approval from Lebanese chemical expert, delays: 48-72 hrs. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
5. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Communication/MOD/Airport Security, delays: 5-7 days. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
7. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Health, delay: 48-72 hrs. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
8. Consignee must have doctor’s prescription and approval from Ministry of Health, delay: 48-72 hrs. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance and customs duty in full.
9. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Economic. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
10. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Defence & Airport Security before shipping. Original commercial invoice & packing list required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
11. Original commercial invoice, packing list required. Consignee must have approval from Ministry of Agriculture, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.
12. Consignee must have approval from Lebanese Tobacco Syndicate, delays: 24-48 hrs. Original commercial invoice required, consignee to pay customs clearance & customs duty in full.