



DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
U.S. Customs and Border Protection

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DECLARATION OF UNACCOMPANIED ARTICLES

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The arriving traveler or head of a family must complete a SEPARATE CBP Form 225 for EACH unaccompanied package or container sent from American Samoa, Guam, or the U.S. Virgin Islands. PLEASE PRINT the information blocks 1-8 and SIGN block 9.			
1. FAMILY NAME		GIVEN NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
2. NUMBER OF FAMILY MEMBERS INCLUDED IN FAMILY DECLARATION			
3. PERMANENT ADDRESS		4. DATE OF ARRIVAL	5. VESSEL, OR AIRLINE & FLIGHT NO.
		6. PORT OF ARRIVAL	
7. DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLE(S) IN PACKAGE		8. PRICE	10. CBP USE ONLY (After arrival of traveler)
9. I declare that the above articles were acquired in American Samoa, Guam or the U.S. Virgin Islands by me or those members of my family included in my declaration. I further declare that the above information is valid and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I will pay any customs duties and internal revenue taxes which are found to be due upon arrival of the articles.		11. CBP OFFICE SIGNATURE	
SIGNATURE X		DATE	
WARNING FALSE CLAIMS ARE PUNISHABLE BY LAW			
IMPORTANT		CBP USE ONLY (After arrival of article)	
IMPORTER	To receive your entitled exemptions and appropriate rates of duty, you must send the yellow copy of CBP Form 255 to the vendor immediately after customs validation (Blocks 10 and 11).	12. ARRIVAL DATE	13. MAIL OR INFORMAL ENTRY NO.
VENDOR	1. Enclose this form in an envelope marked "CBP Form 255 enclosed" and securely attach it to the outside of the package or container. 2. Mark the package or container "Unaccompanied Tourist Shipment."	14. RELEASE DATE	15. CBP OFFICER
Paperwork Reduction Act Statement: An agency may not conduct or sponsor an information collection and a person is not required to respond to this information unless it displays a current valid OMB control number and an expiration date. The control number for this collection is 1651- 0030. Obligation to Respond is required to obtain benefits. The estimated average time to complete this application is 5 minutes. If you have any comments regarding the burden estimate you can write to U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Office of Trade Regulations and Rulings, 90 K Street, NE., Washington DC 20229.		16. DISCREPANCIES BETWEEN CBP FORM 255 AND SHIPMENT	