

Goods	Documents required	Customs Prescriptions	Remarks
Removal goods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Household goods inventory in Swedish or English. Swedish Customs form (TV 740.41, issue Feb 22 2012, Swedish Version or TV 740.42, issue May 22, English Version) 	<p>Customs exemption is granted for goods other than spirits, liquors, wines, export beers and tobacco products if they</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Are presented for customs clearance by or on behalf of a person who: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> immigrates from abroad without having been domiciled in Sweden previously or Has been or is domiciled in Sweden and immigrates or returns to this country after having stayed abroad for at least one year. Are owned by the person for whom they are given customs clearance. Are found not to be in excess of the needs of the owner and his household. Constitute household necessities or have been used abroad by the owner or a member of his household. Are to be used in this country by the owner or a member of his household. Goods must arrive within one year after person has formally moved into Sweden. <p>PLEASE NOTE Returning person: Client must be in Sweden and have registered domicile in Sweden in order to get duty exemption.</p>	The Customs form must be presented to the Customs authorities with original signature.
Diplomats' removals	Permit from the Swedish Foreign Department (TV 740.22).	Duty free entry.	
Wedding trousseaux	Same as for removal goods. Copy of marriage certificate.	Duty free entry.	The gifts must be received or promised in close connection with the wedding.
Inheritance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copy of the Will of the deceased or a certified relevant extract there from. Inventory (if the copy of the Will or other document does not specifically detail the 	Duty free entry.	The consignee must prove that he has inherited the items.

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New furniture, household items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Commercial invoice. Movement certificate (if applicable). EC-certificate if applicable. Invoice for freight and insurance. 	Subject to customs duty and V.A.T.	
Works of art, antiques	No special documents for antiques in a removal. If sold and shipped as commercial goods, certificate stating value and over 100 years of age is necessary.	Duty free entry when shipped as household goods.	Antiques and works of art imported into Sweden for re-sale are subject to duties.
Precious metal objects		Duty free entry is allowed on the same basis and under the same conditions as furniture and other articles.	
Motor cars, motor cycles, caravans, trailers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bill of sale. Certificate of registration. Insurance documents. Proof of use and ownership of the car for at least 6 months before shipping the car to Sweden if immigrating, 12 months minimum if returning. 	Owner must have lived outside Sweden for at least 12 months. Returning person: must have owned and used the vehicle for more than one year. Immigrant: must have owned and used the vehicle for more than 6 months. NOTE: for ownership 6 months the vehicle must meet Swedish Standards.	Charges payable if the vehicle etc. is disposed of within a year. Customs Clearance to be made by the owner.
Plants and vegetable products	Import licence.	Import licence must be obtained from the Plant Protection Institute in Sweden. A certificate must accompany the plants from the Plant Protection authority in the country from which they come.	
Dogs, cats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Import licence. Approved ID Marking. Rabies vaccination by means of an approved vaccine, together with an antibody test. Dogs must also be vaccinated against leptospirosis as well as distemper. 	The identification marking, the customs authorities at border crossings will check import licence, and vaccination certificates. These regulations apply only to the importation of dogs and cats from EU/EFTA countries. Animals imported from non-EU/EFTA countries must go into quarantine for 4 to 6 months and import licence is required.	Your agent can give you information about the import licence and where to apply for it. The ID-Mark must be a legible tattoo, or an approved form of implanted microchip. Before they can be vaccinated against rabies, dogs must be at least 3 months old and cats at least 14 months old. No earlier than 120 days after the vaccination, a blood sample must be

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health certificate together with vaccination certificates. Certificate of deworming against echinococcus. 	Always check with your agent – requirements may vary!!	<p>taken for antibody testing.</p> <p>The vaccinations against distemper and leptospirosis must be at least one month before importation.</p> <p>Cats and dogs must be dewormed against echinococcus within the 10 days prior to importation. Always check with your agent.</p> <p>An approved vet must sign the health certificate no earlier than 10 days prior to importation.</p>
Birds		Canary birds: import licence must be obtained from the Swedish Veterinary Board.	
Spirits, wine, export beer and tobacco		Subject to customs duty and VAT.	It is not recommended to include in a removal due to high customs duties, and long time for customs clearance, and extra handling charges.
Dangerous goods	Import licence.		Flick-knives, stilettos, ammunition, fireworks and other explosive articles.
Fire-arms	Special licence must be obtained from the Police before entrance into Sweden.		It is a must that the shipper has arrived in Sweden before the customs clearance can take place.
Mobile Telephones			Telephones must comply with Swedish standards.
Narcotics, drugs		Importation prohibited.	
Certain feathers furs, skins, etc of animals coming under the protected species regulations		Importation prohibited as per the Washington Convention for endangered species.	

