

# TransitNet: Customs transit made easy for the fish industry

UK COMPANIES WISHING TO TRANSPORT FISH AND SHELLFISH TO MAINLAND EUROPE WILL NEED A TRANSIT CUSTOMS DECLARATION.

To help ease the pressures of customs compliance within the fish industry, SGS can offer a one-stop shop of international trade solutions, supported with in-house software that can help make your customs declarations and the all-important T1 declaration. SGS can input your consignment details into Traces prior to the departure of your shipment. The diligence checking process means we cross reference all your paper work, health certificate, catch certificate, veterinary checks to make sure all is correct before the consignments departs from the UK. This simple approach means you have visibility and control at your fingertips.







### SGS ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT KEEPING THE FISH INDUSTRY MOVING BY PROVIDING:

- Understand the movement of composite products
- Export paperwork
- Export declaration
- T1 documentation
- Import declaration
- Clearance process and inspection in France
- SGS agent is on site and offers help and support 7 days a week

The cost of exporting fish products to Europe is increasing and in order for a company to submit a Transit Declaration, they need a comprehensive custom guarantee along with customs adapted software, both can be difficult and expensive to obtain. SGS United Kingdom Ltd introduces TransitNet - a unique package that offers UK companies a multinational e-customs transit service that negates the need to have your own guarantee or software.

TransitNet is a multinational, multimodal e-customs service for transit where SGS acts as the Holder of the Procedure (HoP) for customs liabilities and extend the use of their guarantee and software to their clients (shippers, brokers, freight forwarders, etc.). SGS TransitNet is a user-friendly web based application which allows users to submit Transit Declarations to 24 National Computerized Transit System (NCTS) countries, Moldova and Belarus. Users also have the ability to control and monitor their Transit Declarations with real-time updates from local customs and NCTS systems all through one single window.

This new obligation can create challenges within the fish sector. When fish is the product being transported, time is of the essence. SGS is supporting many companies within the fish sector helping them with customs formalities, when moving their products into the EU from the UK. By working with SGS we can saved on average 24 hours of transit time on each movement, which in turn lessens the impact on the products shelf life.

# WHAT MAKES SGS SO EFFICIENT:

- We operate 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year
- We adopt a fast turnaround on a T1's and T2's
- Full traceability of the discharge of T1's and T2's
- Cost effective
- Our people are highly skilled
- We are inviting new customers
- No software to install
- Global company you can trust

SGS understand what is required and the complexity of moving fish across borders post Brexit. With our dedicated TransitNet, customs brokerage and customs software teams we provide tight lines of communication to our customers and we demonstrate this as we are already helping thousands of companies streamline their processes, save time and reduce costs. Learn how we can help you.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

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