

Export Licence

Open General Export Licence (Radioactive Sources)

dated 1 October 2006 granted by the Secretary of State.

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the power conferred by Article 3 of the Export of Radioactive Sources (Control) Order 2006 ('the Order'), hereby grants the following Open General Export Licence (Radioactive Sources):

Licence

1. Subject to the following provisions of this licence, any item listed, and not exceeding its activity threshold specified, in Schedule 1 to this licence (that is "Category 2" sources), may be exported from the United Kingdom to any country specified in Schedule 2 to this licence.

Conditions and requirements

2. The authorisation in paragraph 1 is subject to the following conditions:
 - (1) this licence will not apply to an export where the exporter knows, has grounds to suspect or has been notified by the Secretary of State, that the export will or may lead to the carrying out anywhere in the world of acts of terrorism or serious crime, or acts which facilitate acts of terrorism or serious crime, anywhere in the world.
 - (2) official and commercial export documentation accompanying the items shall include a note stating that "the items are being exported under the Open General Export Licence (Radioactive Sources)" and shall be presented to a Customs officer if so requested;
 - (3) prior registration is required for use of this licence;
 - (4) not later than 30 days after an exporter first exports goods under this Licence, he shall inform the Secretary of State, specifying his name and the address at which copies of records of his export may be inspected under condition 2(6) below;
 - (5) for the purposes of record keeping, Article 7 of the Order shall apply.

Prohibitions not affected by this licence

3. Nothing in this licence affects any prohibition or restriction on the export of any items other than under the Order, and this licence does not confer any licence or permission under, or for the purposes of, any enactment other than the Order.

Interpretation

4. For the purposes of this licence:

unless the context otherwise requires, any other expression used in this licence has the same meaning as in the Order.

Entry into Force

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5. This licence comes into force on 2 October 2006.

***An Official of the Department of
Trade and Industry authorised to act
on behalf of the Secretary of State***

Schedule 1
Items concerned

This export authorisation covers;

Radionuclide	Activity threshold below (TBq)
Co-60	3.E+01
Cs-137	1.E+02
Gd-153	1.E+03
Ir-192	8.E+01
Pm-147	4.E+04
Se-75	2.E+02
Sr-90 (Y-90)	1.E+03
Tm-170	2.E+04
Yb-169	3.E+02

And for:

Am-241	6.E-1 up to but not exceeding 1.27E+00
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Schedule 2

Destinations concerned

This export authorisation is valid for exports to the following destinations:

Argentina, Austria, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United States.

Explanatory Note

(This note is not part of the Licence)

1. This Open General Export Licence (Radioactive Sources) permits, without further authority but subject to certain conditions, the export of the items specified in Schedule 1 from the United Kingdom to any destination specified in Schedule 2 .
2. The licence will not apply however if the exporter knows or has grounds to suspect or has been notified by the Secretary of State, that the export will or may lead to the carrying out anywhere in the world of acts of terrorism or serious crime.
3. Exporters must pre-register their intention to use this licence and retain appropriate records and allow those records to be inspected and copied on request.