## Government of Pakistan Revenue Division Federal Board of Revenue

## NOTIFICATION (Customs)

Islamabad, the 15th November, 2022.

S.R.O.2043(I)/2022.- The following draft of certain further amendments in the Baggage Rules, 2006, which the Federal Board of Revenue proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 219 of the Customs Act, 1969 (IV of 1969), is hereby published for information of all persons likely to be affected thereby and, as required under sub-section (3A) of section 219 of the Customs Act, 1969 (IV of 1969), notice is hereby given that objections or suggestions thereon, if any, may for consideration of the Board be sent within three days of publication of the draft amendments in the official Gazette. Objections or suggestions received from any person, before the expiry of the aforesaid period, shall be taken into consideration by the Federal Board of Revenue, namely:-

## **DRAFT AMENDMENTS**

In the aforesaid Rules,-

- (1) in rule 7A, for existing sub-rule (2), the following shall be substituted, namely:-
  - "(2) Any person travelling abroad (except to Afghanistan) is allowed to take out of Pakistan US Dollar or equivalent thereof in other foreign currencies as per the limits given in Table 'A' below:-

Table-A

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Age Group of Person	Maximum Limit per person Per Visit in US\$ (or equivalent in other foreign currencies)	person in US\$ (or				
18 years & above (Adults)	5,000	30,000				
Below 18 years (Minors)	2,500	15,000				

(3)

Foreign currency cash limits for passengers travelling to Afghanistan will be as per following Table 'B':-

Table-B

Maximum Limit per person Per Visit (US\$ or equivalent in other foreign currencies)					
1,000	6,000";				

- (2) after sub-rule (2), amended as aforesaid, the following new sub-rules shall be added, namely:-
  - "(3) The annual limits for outbound passengers for the respective

countries will be as per Tables 'A' and 'B' for a calendar year starting from the year 2023. However, for calendar year 2022, the existing annual limits in vogue before the issuance of this notification will continue to be effective till December 31, 2022.

- (4) Any person taking foreign currency or any other prohibited or restricted item out of Pakistan shall file a declaration in the Form as set out in **Appendix-C**, before or at the time of departure, electronically in the WeBOC or pass track or manually at the airport.
- (5) The incoming passenger when in possession of foreign currency exceeding US \$ 10,000 or equivalent, or any other prohibited or restricted item, shall also file a declaration in the Form as set out in **Appendix-C**."; and
- (3) in Appendix "C", for the DECLARATION, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

## "DECLARATION

		Yes	No	If yes, Value /
Ar	Are you carrying any of the following goods?			Amount
a	Prohibited or restricted goods such as arms &			
	ammunitions, narcotics, psychotropic			
	substances or satellite phones etc.?			
b	Gold and precious metals, jewelry, precious or			
	semi-precious stones.			
С	Foreign currency in US \$/ Bearer Negotiable			
	Instrument or equivalent:			
	1. For outbound passengers to all countries			
	taking out foreign currencies; and			
	2. Incoming passengers bringing into			
	Pakistan amount exceeding US \$ 10,000			
	or equivalent.			
d	Any other items requiring declaration before			
	Customs.			
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I declare that the information furnished by me is correct and in the event of its being incorrect, I hold myself liable for such action as deemed fit under the Foreign Exchange Regulation Act, 1947 and the Customs Act, 1969.

Signature of the Passenger...,"

[C. No.5(7)L&P/2004(Pt)]

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