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Labelling. Most products are subject to labelling regulations including textiles, alcoholic beverages, feed, meat, poultry, medicines and pharmaceuticals. Labelling on canned foodstuffs must show contents, composition, metric weight, origin, date of manufacture, name of manufacturer and expiration date. Food containers should include, in Greek, the name and address of the Greek agent, importer or packer, content, net weight or volume in metric and country of manufacture.

Special regulations apply to goods imported into Greece for repacking or reprocessing for retail sale. Goods imported for direct retail sale are not affected unless for personal domestic consumption or use (food, non-alcoholic beverages, soaps, etc.). After testing and approval by the Greek state laboratory, their label must show the name of the manufacturer, brand and contents in Greek, and, if possible, in two foreign languages. The name and address of the Greek agent must also be listed.

Alcoholic beverages must be approved by the Greek state laboratories. A label, indicating origin and alcoholic content (according to Greek regulations) must be issued by this organization and affixed. It is not necessary, however, for the supplier's label and any other identification marks, to be in Greek.

For pharmaceuticals and patent medicines, a circulation permit must be obtained from the National Pharmaceuticals Organization (EOF). These products may be circulated with the same markings and labels as used in the country of origin and should list contents by percentages, manufacturer's name, brand name and address of the agent in Greece. The retail price must also be listed on a perforated label which can be removed to support claims for reimbursement from social insurance funds.

Samples. Samples of goods of no commercial value are admitted duty- and tax-free. Each importer/representative is granted an exemption from duty for samples of values up to 4000 dracmae per year. Other kinds of samples are subject to import charges unless they are made unfit for sale as merchandise but not to the extent of destroying their usefulness as samples.