

3. On request, and subject to specific provisions under Article 13, the requested authority shall provide information on, and maintain special surveillance over:

- (a) persons known to the requesting authority to have committed a breach of customs legislation or suspected of doing so;
- (b) goods either in transport or in storage notified by the requesting authority as giving rise to suspected illicit traffic;
- (c) means of transport suspected by the requesting authority of being used to commit breaches of customs legislation;
- (d) premises suspected by the requesting authority of being used to commit breaches of customs legislation.

ARTICLE 10

Spontaneous assistance

In serious cases that could involve substantial damage to the economy, public health, public security or any other vital interest of one Contracting Party, the customs authority of the other Contracting Party shall, to the extent possible, supply information on its own initiative.