

Article VI

(1) Scientific equipment granted temporary admission shall be re-exported within six months from the date of importation. However, the Customs authorities of the country of temporary importation may require re-exportation within a shorter period considered sufficient to achieve the object of temporary importation.

(2) For valid reasons, the Customs authorities may either grant a longer period or extend the initial period.

(3) When all or part of the scientific equipment granted temporary admission cannot be re-exported as a result of a seizure, other than a seizure made at the suit of private persons, the requirement of re-exportation shall be suspended for the duration of the seizure.

Article VII

Scientific equipment granted temporary admission may be re-exported in one or several consignments, through any Customs office open for such operations, and not necessarily through the Customs office of importation.

Article VIII

Scientific equipment granted temporary admission may be disposed of otherwise than by re-exportation and in particular may be taken into home use, subject to compliance with the conditions and formalities laid down by the laws and regulations of the country of temporary importation.

Article IX

Notwithstanding the requirement of re-exportation laid down by this Convention, the re-exportation of all or part of scientific equipment badly damaged in duly authenticated accidents shall not be required, provided that it is:

- (a) subjected to the import duties and taxes to which it is liable; or
- (b) abandoned free of all expense to the Exchequer of the country into which it was temporarily imported; or
- (c) destroyed, under official supervision, without expense to the Exchequer of the country into which it was temporarily imported;

as the Customs authorities may require.

Article X

The provisions laid down in Article IX above shall also apply to parts which have been replaced as a result of repairs or alterations undergone by the scientific equipment while in the country of temporary importation.

Article XI

The provisions of Articles VI, VII, VIII and IX shall also apply to the spare parts and tools referred to in Article II.