

SOMALILAND CUSTOMS PUBLIC AUCTION ANNOUNCEMENT

The Somaliland Customs Department would like to announce the first public auction of goods under the auction procedures approved by the Ministry of Finance Development.

A list of the goods held at the Egal International Airport (EIA) Customs warehouse, that had been stored in excess of the time limits permitted in the Customs Act Regulations No.03/2019, was completed by EIA Customs and submitted to the Customs Headquarters Auction Valuation Committee to determine the method of disposal of the goods.

The Committee divided the goods into three categories:

Goods selected for Destruction

- Goods that were considered a danger to public health and the environment, such as expired medicines and plastic bags, were sent for destruction.

Goods selected for Donation

- Educational goods and women's clothing were donated to the Ministry of Education and Hargeisa Group Hospital Mental Health Department for distribution to patients.

Goods Selected for Auction

- Goods that were considered suitable for auction were listed on the Auction List [WHM/02 /08-5/1931/2020](#), showing the Lot Number, goods and reserved price (the minimum price to be accepted by Customs), ready for the public to place their bids.

The Auction List can be viewed at EIA Customs, Customs Hargeisa Headquarters and on the Ministry of Finance Development's website (<http://slmof.org/>).

Customs will accept bids for the Lots on an 'Auction Bid' form, these forms may be obtained from EIA Customs and the Customer Care Section at Hargeisa Customs. Completed forms must be lodged at the same offices no later than 12:00am on **Thursday the 12th of November**.

The person making the winning bid will be informed the following week.

If you wish to participate in the Auction, please refer to the Auction Rules on the Ministry of Finance Development's website.