

Commerce SSI

CUSTOMS AUTHORITY

Customs Authority is a department in the Ministry of Internal Affairs charged with the responsibility of assessing and collecting customs duties on import, export and goods produced locally.

Functions of Customs Authority

1. Collection of revenue from tariffs and excise duties.
2. Supervision of bonded warehouse.
3. Compilation of statistical records on export and import trade.
4. Prevention of smuggling and seizing contraband goods.
5. Supervision of foreign trade by ensuring that only licensed goods are imported or exported.
6. Provision of quarantine facilities for the importation of livestock.
7. Ensuring that ban on prohibited goods are enforced.