United Nations Export and Import Sanctions

In response to resolutions adopted by the United Nations Security Council, the Government has imposed export and/or import sanctions under the United Nations Act 1946 against a number of countries. The goods covered by the sanctions may not be exported from New Zealand to the country concerned or imported into New Zealand except with the consent of the Minister of Foreign Affairs and Trade. The countries and goods that are covered by these sanctions are as follows:

Export Sanctions

Afghanistan
Arms and related materials of all types including weapons, ammunition, military vehicles and equipment, paramilitary equipment and parts for all of these goods, for exportation to:
(a) Usama bin Laden
(b) The Taliban
(c) A Taliban entity
(d) An Al Qaida entity.

Angola
(a) Petroleum or petroleum products; or
(b) Arms and related materials of all types including weapons and ammunition, military vehicles and equipment; or
(c) Aircraft and components for aircraft
(d) Motorised vehicles
(e) Watercraft
(f) Mining equipment
(g) Spare parts for any of the goods specified in paragraphs (b), (c), (d) and (e) above.

Eritrea and Ethiopia
Weapons, ammunition, military vehicles and equipment, paramilitary police equipment and related materials of any type, including spare parts for any such goods.

Iraq
All goods.

Liberia
Weapons and military equipment.

Libya
(a) Weapons, ammunition, military vehicles and equipment, paramilitary police equipment and related materials of any type, including spare parts for any such goods
(b) Equipment and supplies used in the manufacture or maintenance of any of the goods specified in paragraph (a)
(c) Aircraft and components for aircraft
(d) A range of equipment that may be used in the refining or transport of oil or natural gas
(e) Any materials destined for the construction, improvement, or maintenance of Libyan civilian or military airfields and associated facilities and equipment.

Rwanda
(a) Arms and related materials of all types including weapons, ammunition, military vehicles and equipment, and paramilitary police equipment
(b) Spare parts for any of the goods specified in paragraph (a) above.

Sierra Leone
(a) Arms and related materials of all types, including weapons, ammunition and military vehicles, military and paramilitary equipment
(b) Spare parts for the above goods.

Somalia
Weapons and military equipment.

Yugoslavia
Weapons and military equipment to all parts of the former Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, which covers Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro).

Import Sanctions

Angola
Diamonds originating from Angola.

Iraq
Any goods being the produce or manufacture of Iraq.

Liberia
Diamonds originating from Liberia.

Sierra Leone
Diamonds originating from Sierra Leone.

Any queries on these United Nations export and import sanctions should be made to your nearest Customs office.