

Barriers to Export?

Are you facing a **barrier to your exports** such as red tape, regulations, unfair rules or decisions? The New Zealand Government may be able to find a solution, whether the issue is about the New Zealand Government or a Foreign government.

If you would like assistance from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade please complete the following form.

Please identify any information that you consider commercial-in-confidence or sensitive to ensure that it is treated accordingly.

Company Details

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| Company name | |
| Contact name | |
| Telephone | |
| Mobile | |
| Email | |
| Website | |
| NZ Business Number(13 digits) | |
| Nature of Business | |

Details of Barrier Encountered

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| Description of the problem encountered | |
| Markets involved | |
| Description of the affected product or service | |
| Tariff number | |
| Estimate of impact on business | |
| How long has it been an issue? | |

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| Do you know if it also affects other NZ companies? | |
| Do you know if the same issue affects local suppliers? | |

Previous Action

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| <p>Have you (or others) previously raised this matter with any government agency?</p> <p>If so, please provide details.</p> | |
| What advice did you receive at that time? | |

Business New Zealand will send this form to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (MFAT). They will acknowledge receipt. Within 6 weeks they or the responsible government agency will come back to you with an assessment of how they propose to deal with the matter. Please note that, depending on the nature and circumstances of the barrier, resolution times will vary. In many cases it may be possible to address the issue quickly, while in some cases resolution may take significantly longer or not be able to be resolved at all.

Return this form to:

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