

Getting Ready for Brexit



Practical steps your business can take now to prepare for the UK's exit from the EU

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First Steps

Complete these two steps before 29th March 2019

EORI Number

Make sure you have an Economic Operator Registration and Identification number. This is required for customs clearance. It's free to apply for your number and currently only takes a few days to be issued.

Find out more;
<https://www.gov.uk/eori>

Commodity Codes

You will need commodity codes for all your goods. This allows you to apply the correct rate of duty, keeps your business compliant with HMRC and allows us to correctly declare your shipments.

Find out more;
<https://www.gov.uk/trade-tarrif>

Paperwork Checklist

The paperwork below is required with *all* shipments

We will require a packing slip and commercial invoice with every shipment. The list here outlines everything we will need to successfully complete customs clearance for your goods.

We advise getting familiar with everything required now to make your transition when the UK leaves the EU as frictionless as possible.

If you are unsure of anything on the list or how you go about completing this paperwork, our team are on hand to answer your questions. Feel free to call 01394 605200 or visit grangeshipping.co.uk to start a live chat with an expert.

- Importer**
- Exporter**
- Goods Description**
- Packaging Details**
- Weight**
- Sales Value & Currency**
- Incoterm**
- Country of origin**
- EORI number**
- Commodity codes**

While the outcome of negotiations is still uncertain, one thing we can be certain of is that getting prepared now will put your business in a stronger position whatever happens. Trading for 40 years, Grange Shipping has the expertise to get your freight to its destination and to handle customs demands now and after 29th March.

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