

Novedades BTOM

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DEFRA Biosecurity Border and Trade Programme – Border Target Operating Model (BTOM) Newsletter

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1. DEFRA Online Training Sessions

These sessions will tell traders all they know about changes to import processes from 30 April 2024 under the Border Target Operating Model. They will provide a step-by-step guide to importing to GB from EU/EFTA and will provide information on entering through a port of entry with a border control post and outline what happens once you get there.

Timetable

[BTOM: Prepare for import controls from 30 April '24 \(animal products\) Tickets, Tue 9 Apr 2024 at 10:30 | Eventbrite](#)

[BTOM: Prepare for the upcoming import controls from Apr'24 \(plants focused\) Tickets, Thu 11 Apr 2024 at 11:00 | Eventbrite](#)

[BTOM: Prepare for import controls from 30 April '24 \(animal products\) Tickets, Tue 23 Apr 2024 at 10:00 | Eventbrite](#)

2. Top Lines for April Changes

What changes are coming on 30 April 2024?

In addition to complying with the current controls that came into effect on January 31, from 30 April 2024 traders must:

- Ensure goods from EU /EFTA enter GB through an appropriately designated Border Control Post (BCP) or Control Point (CP) for your commodity type and present the consignment for inspection when called where risk-based documentary, identity and physical checks may take place. Existing inspections of high-risk plants and plant products from the EU, Switzerland, and Lichtenstein will move from Places of Destination (PoDs) to BCP and CP's.
- Upload IUU documents to the CHED import notification created in IPAFFS for a consignment containing fish or fishery products for human consumption before submitting the import notification.

3. Resources and Links to share with traders

Technical questions and answers about Sanitary and Phytosanitary Controls (SPS) - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
Leaflets
Border control posts - plants and plant products
Composite food products decision trees
Health certificates
Import notifications using IPAFFS
Phytosanitary certificates
Transiting goods through Great Britain to the EU, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland
Gov.uk and Plant Health Portal Guidance
Model health certificates for exports of live animals and animal products to Great Britain - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
Check import risk categories and related rules for animals and animal products imported from the EU to Great Britain, from 31 January 2024 - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
UK border control posts: animal and animal product imports - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)
TOM risk categorisations - UK Plant Health Information Portal (defra.gov.uk)
Authorised Operator Status (AOS) - UK Plant Health Information Portal (defra.gov.uk)
TOM online session recordings and Questions and Answers (Q&A) - UK Plant Health Information Portal (defra.gov.uk)
BCP and CP Maps
Live animals, animal products and food and feed of non-animal origin border control posts (BCP) in the UK - Google My Maps
BCP, CP, and IC Locations for Plants - Google My Maps
Previous Webinars
Border Target Operating Model September Online Sessions/Webinars - YouTube

Policy Update

1) Systems testing update

- DEFRA are working in conjunction with the Cabinet Office, HMRC and other government departments to test the new systems ahead of 30 April, in line with the Border Target Operating Model (BTOM). We have planned 13 tests in total to cover a broad range of possible scenarios, led by the Cabinet Office. In recent weeks we have completed approximately 45% of the tests with the remaining tests scheduled to take place prior to 30 April. From a DEFRA perspective the aim of the tests is to verify that the IPAFFS and GVMS messaging system, designed to direct the driver to the BCP is fully operational, ensure all processes are aligned as well as assuring resources and infrastructure meet the requirements for 30 April, through full end to end testing.

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