

ZAPP Circular no. 31

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The ZAPP Circular no. 31 provides information about changes concerning the ZAPP application, compiled and agreed by the ZAPP working group respectively resulting from current customs requirements.

The changes mentioned in this circular, which will be implemented until 2nd April 2013, do not effect the existing interfaces. The implementation guides for the modifications of the remaining items, described in the following will be updated on 29.03.2013 and can be found on our homepage www.dakosy.de or at www.zapp-hamburg.de.

Addition of country of origin for declaration type EUB

The collection of reference data of declaration type EUB will be expanded by the country of origin, to be filled in as mandatory field as of 01.07.2013. Until now only the country of destination has been required.

Mandatory specification of the ATB no. for declaration types MIT and EUB

The temporarily suspended mandatory field check of the ATB no. for declaration type MIT will be activated as of 01.07.2013.

This regulation is based on the introduction of the future § 9 section 5 customs regulation, according to which, inter alia, the specification of the registry no. of the summary declaration for goods, located in temporary storage and to be re-exported, becomes mandatory. This declaration of intent is already documented in "Merkblatt zu Zollanmeldungen, summarischen Anmeldungen und Wiederausfuhrmitteilungen" (information sheet about customs declarations, summary declarations and re-export declarations), chapter re-export notice, page 109.

The ATB no. in ZAPP is a mandatory field

- in case of declaration type MIT
- in case of declaration type EUB, if the country of origin is not located in the EU.

The ATB no. in ZAPP is an optional field

• in case of declaration type EUB if the country of origin is located in the EU.

However, the ATB no. has to be specified in case of goods, which are located in temporary storage. This concerns e.g. goods, that have been delivered seaward from another EU member state and for which the community status could not be determined.



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Besides, it is recommended to also specify the ATB no. in case of declaration type DUX, considering that the availability of this information can prevent further time-consuming customs demands and accelerates the loading process.

The preliminary / premature ATB no. can already be transmitted.

Transshipment declarations from the import platform (IMP) will automatically meet this requirement, provided that the summary declaration has been initiated via IMP or the import carrier supplied the ATB no. within the manifest.

Release of S-no. from now on after 24 hours

In case of declaration type DUX the MRN of an exit summary declaration is used, to be sent 24 hours before loading to ATLAS. Since this declaration is made outside ZAPP and the declaration time is not known within the system, so far the time limit had to be monitored manually. Afterwards the S-no. received the status RLS. Exceptions so far are granted to declarations from IMP, with known creation time.

Experience has shown that the summary export declaration and the ZAPP declaration with declaration type DUX are created simultaneously without meeting the 24 hours deadline. As of 02.04.2013 each S-number is automatically released 24 hours after creation (provided no customs measures have been ordered), in order to fulfil customs requirements and to accomplish greater security to the declaration process in ZAPP.

Omission of declaration type DOK

As explained in the mail from 05.02.2013 we would like to point out, that the declaration type DOK does not apply anymore since the beginning of this year, because accompanying documents are no longer provided since the complete implementation of EMCS. If corresponding documents are available in exceptional cases, please use declaration type SBF.

ZAPP declarations with declaration type DOK are not accepted anymore. In this context please also note that the ZAPP input rules on www.zapp-hamburg.de have been changed accordingly.



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Warehouse code SAMM replaces ADZB

The warehouse code ADZB is normally used for single consignments, packed outside the scope of the main customs office Hamburg Hafen. The term ADZB for a presentation "Außerhalb des Zollbezirks" (ADZB) (outside the customs area) is misleading and does not describe the circumstances properly.

Therefore the warehouse code ADZB shall be replaced by the new code SAMM as of 02.04.2013. During a transitional phase code ADZB will still be accepted, declarations with this code are no longer possible as of 01.07.2013.

Dates

In summary, please note the following dates fort he implementation of the above described changes in the test and productive system:

	Test	Production
Mandatory field check of ATB no.	02.04.2013	01.07.2013
Country of origin as mandatory field at EUB	02.04.2013	01.07.2013
Release of S-no. after 24 h	01.03.2013	02.04.2013
Omission of declaration type DOK	-	in operation
Introduction of warehouse code SAMM	01.03.2013	02.04.2013
Omission of warehouse code ADZB	01.07.2013	01.07.2013