

## PRIVACY POLICY FOR “CUSTOMS DECLARATION APP.”

Japan Customs, Ministry of Finance (hereinafter referred to as “Customs”) establishes this privacy policy (hereinafter referred to as “this policy”) with regard to the handling of information (hereinafter referred to as “user information”) including personal information of users of the Customs Declaration App. provided by Japan Customs

### 1 . PROVIDER OF APP. WHICH COLLECTS USER INFORMATION

Customs

### 2 . COLLECTION AND USE OF USER INFORMATION

This app. collects the following user information and other necessary information for customs procedure (hereinafter referred to as “user information, etc.”) for the purpose of customs procedures for your entry into Japan.

- Passport Number
- Name
- Occupation
- Telephone Number
- Address (Where you stay in Japan)
- Other necessary information for customs procedure (ex. Flight number, place of departure)

User information, etc. which this app. collects will be provided to Japan Customs via an electronic declaration terminal which is deployed at an airport.

If you disclose any Personal Information relating to other people to customs in connection with the App, you represent that you have the authority to do so and to permit us to use the information in accordance with this privacy policy.

We also process de-identified (“De-identified Information”) and/or aggregated information (“Statistical Information”). Such De-identified or Statistical Information on its own does not identify you, so it does not qualify as Personal Information, unless otherwise provided by applicable law. Customs will not re-identify, or attempt to re-identify, such De-identified or Statistical Information. Customs use or disclose De-

identified or Statistical Information for any purpose, in accordance with applicable law. This Privacy Policy does not apply to such De-identified or Statistical Information.

### 3. PROVISION OF USER INFORMATION, ETC. TO THIRD PARTIES

Customs may use user information, etc. as necessary, provided via Japan Customs electronic declaration gates, to the extent allowed by the Act on the Protection of Personal Information, the Act on the Protection of Personal Information Held by Administrative Organs, and other applicable law:

- a) to comply with applicable law, including Japanese law and possibly other laws outside your country of residence as appropriate;
- b) to respond to requests from other government authorities, including public and government authorities of Japan and those in other countries as appropriate;
- c) to protect customs operations;
- d) to protect yours and customs' rights, property or safety, and/or that of others; and
- e) to allow customs to pursue available remedies or limit the damages that we may sustain.

### 4 . DISCLOSURE, CORRECTION, ADDITION OR DELETION OF USER INFORMATION, ETC.

User information, etc. collected by this app. can be corrected by this app., or deleted by uninstalling this app.

For disclosure, correction, addition, or deletion of user information, etc. submitted to customs through Japan Customs Electronic Declaration Gate, please ask the contact points for information disclosure and personal information.

Please refer to the following URL for the contact points for information disclosure and personal information of the customs.

<https://www.customs.go.jp/koukai/koukaimadoguchi.htm>

### 5. NOTICE AND PUBLICATION OF THE PRIVACY POLICY

Customs will provide notice and publication of this policy and the Customs privacy policy by posting it on the Customs website.

### 6. Revision

Customs reserves the right to modify this policy at its discretion. However, if there is any

change in the user information to be collected, the purpose of use, or provision to third parties, Customs will post the revised policy on its website.

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## 7. PRIVACY POLICY OF CUSTOMS

The Privacy Policy of Customs shall apply to matters not specified in this policy.

Click here for the Customs Privacy Policy

<https://www.customs.go.jp/news/kojinjoho.htm>

## 8. Contact Us

If you have any comments, questions, or complaints regarding the privacy policy of the Customs Declaration App., or any other inquiries regarding the handling of user information, etc. please contact us at the following address.

Enforcement Division, Customs and Tariff Bureau, Ministry of Finance

[customs-egate@mof.go.jp](mailto:customs-egate@mof.go.jp)