

Jamaica Customs Agency

Direct Payment Advice Form Version 1.1

Guidelines

- 1. Amount transferred must be equal to the total of Assessment submitted, Declarations Listed or the Specific Customs payment instruction instrument.
- 2. Payments that are successfully submitted during banking hours will be processed the same day.
- 3. Payments submitted **after** banking hours or Bank's cut off period may be reflected the next day and will thereafter be processed.
- 4. After successful transfer of funds from your account, complete and E-mail copy of Direct Payment Advice Form to directpayment@jca.gov.jm along with your confirmation receipt.

Payment Information

Payer Name: Name on Bank Account:			Transfer Date: Time of Transfer:	
Sender's Bank:			Branch Address:	
E-Mail Address:			Amount Transferred:	
Transaction Information				
Declaration Ref# or Document Reference #	Port of Clearance/ Customs Office	Importer Name	Importer TRN	Total Payable
			Grand Total Transferred	
		For Interna	l Use Only	
Confirmed by			Revenue Officer ID/Signature	
Authorized by			Supervisor ID/Signature:	
Cashier Signature				

Re: Direct Payment/RTGS Payment Instructions

Importer or Agent Procedures

- 1. Identify the Assessments/<u>Declaration registration #s or Document Reference #s</u> for which you intend to do a Direct Transfer payment to our account.
- 2. Complete Page 1 of Direct Payment Advice form attached with accurate details and forward it to the e-mail indicated i.e. **directpayment@jca.gov.jm**.
- 3. Initiate a RTGS/Online transfer payment from your Account to

Account Name: Jamaica Customs Agency

Co. Address: Myers Wharf Newport East, Kingston 15

Bank: Bank of Nova Scotia Account Type: Chequing

Account number: 4316

Branch Transit: 50765

Bank address: Bank of Nova Scotia, Scotia Centre Branch, Corner Duke & Port Royal Streets, Kingston.

(Use zeros as filler before the number to meet the number of digits required)

Include the Customs Document Ref # in the RTGS Detail/description or notes field on the form provided by your bank (e.g. **JMKCT 2023 C 1243**....) and <u>ask your bank to ensure that the information is transferred with the payment</u>.

- 4. E-mail the completed Direct Payment Advice form to <u>directpayment@jca.gov.jm.</u> along with payment confirmation received from your bank.
- 6. Await Customs e-mail confirmation that the sums transferred have been updated to our bank account. The transaction will then be submitted to a Cashier and updated as paid within ASYCUDA World, in an average 10-15 minutes window.
- 7. Advice your Broker/Authorized Agent to proceed to the next step in clearance, once the document payment status has been updated.
- 8. Please ensure that transfers are made for the **exact amount due, the Customs reference numbers included are correct** and payments are finalized before the Bank's cut-off period.

- 9. Your Official receipts may be picked up at the Customs House Head Office-Collections Unit where it was paid, either in Kingston or Montego Bay respectively.
- 10. Payment will only be updated for amounts credited to our Bank Account. Therefore if the sum is not posted we will not be able to provide a confirmation.

You may call our offices at 876-922-5140-8 ext 2012, 2068, 2003, or 2001 for queries about your payment.