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Regulatory Alert: New Zealand Customs Fees Increase

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BACKGROUND DETAILS

Effective October 1, 2023, the New Zealand Government will increase Customs fees to reflect inflation.

The New Zealand Government has advised these increases are interim, pending a longer, more comprehensive review of Customs fees with a secondary interim adjustment scheduled for July 1, 2024. Those relevant fees passed on to customers by FedEx will be increased effective on that date.

For more details on the fee changes, please visit the New Zealand Government Customs website provided in the REFERENCE section.

Q & A

Q 1 - Why are the fees being increased?

A 2 - As stated by New Zealand Customs, these interim fee adjustments will reflect the rate of inflation since the fee levels were last agreed in 2019, maintaining the real value of the fees.

Q 2 - What fees are impacted?

A 2 - Some of the fees impacted include Import Entry Transaction Fee, Export Entry Transaction fee and more.

For a full list of the fees please visit the New Zealand Customs website.

REFERENCE

New Zealand Customs Service – Changes to Customs Goods Fees in 2023 and 2024

<https://www.customs.govt.nz/about-us/news/important-notice/changes-to-customs-goods-fees-in-2023-and-2024/>