

### eCustoms Helpdesk Notification

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Subject:	<b>AES Post Release Amendments</b>
Who should read:	<b>All those involved in the Export Procedure</b>
Related Notification:	<b>N/A</b>
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#### Background

Following the deployment of AES in Ireland, the three steps in the export procedure were introduced as legislated for under the Union Customs Code. The three sequential steps are:

1. Submission of the export declaration
2. 'Presentation' of the goods and declaration at office of exit
3. Confirmation of the exit of the goods from the EU

UCC Article 173 (3) provides that, upon application and within three years of the date of acceptance of the customs declaration, the declarant may amend the declaration after the release of the goods. This is permitted to comply with your obligations relating to the placing of the goods under the customs procedure concerned.

Where substantive information on the declaration covering goods that have left the EU is incorrect then, that export is deemed to be non-compliant. Revenue has deployed functionality in AES to allow you to amend certain details on Exported Declarations in such circumstances.

#### Amending a released Export Declaration

Where the declarant has received the confirmation that the goods have been exported by receipt of the positive IE599 message, the declarant may now amend specific data elements using the Post Released Amendment message EX513.

***The EX513 can only be submitted when the MRN is at the Exported Status.***

The declarant should lodge a Post Released Amendment (EX513C) message in AES. This request to amend will be worked on at the relevant export office and if accepted, an Amendment Acceptance IE504 message will issue to the declarant.

Please note that the Data Elements listed below cannot be amended. If you try to amend any of these Data Elements, you will receive a rejection message IE556 with the following message "Amendment modifies restricted data elements."

- MRN
- LRN
- Declaration Type 11 01 000 000
- Additional Declaration Type 11 02 000 000
- Office of Export 17 02 000 000
- Exit Declared 17 01 001 000
- Office of Lodgement
- Office of Presentation 17 09 001 000
- Declarant ID 13 05 017 000
- Representative ID 13 06 017 000
- Security 11 07 001 000
- Country of Destination 16 03 000 000

You may only apply to amend an AES declaration that was accepted within the last 3 years. An EX513 will be rejected if it is submitted more than three years after the acceptance of the original declaration with the IE556 message "Amendment not within allowed time-limit".

Post released Amendments may be subject to control and verification by Revenue and you may receive a Control Message IE560. If after review all is found to be correct the declarant will receive a IE599 for their records and the declaration status will remain at Exported.

If the amendment request is rejected by a Revenue Officer, an IE556 is sent to the trader advising of the rejection. The original declaration remains at the status Exported, and a subsequent EX513 may be submitted.

Trader specifications are available on Revenue.ie and functionality is available in PIT4 and live.