



客戶通訊

Customer Notice

CUSTOMER NOTICE

Dear Customer,

**Importation of Khat Leaves from Ethiopia, Kenya and Cambodia to Hong Kong**

As a general alert from the Hong Kong Customs, they would like to draw your attention to a prevailing trend of drug trafficking in Hong Kong.

Khat is a flowering plant native to East Africa and contains traces of cathine and cathinone, which are both classified as dangerous drugs and controlled under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance, Chapter 134, Laws of Hong Kong. Importation of Khat Leaves is thus prohibited in Hong Kong.

Recently, Hong Kong Customs has detected illegal importation of Khat Leaves at various entry points. The Khat Leaves, which are commonly exported from Ethiopia, Kenya and Cambodia, was shipped to Hong Kong by sea cargoes or speedpost packets. As the senders of these drug-laden cargoes/parcels commonly exploited freight forwarders and carriers to ship the drug leaves to Hong Kong, they would like to draw your attention towards this prevailing drug trend.

Should you encounter any importation of Khat Leaves to Hong Kong, you may report the issue to Customs Hotline at 2545 6182.

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