



**REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN
MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND ECONOMIC PLANNING
SOUTH SUDAN CUSTOMS SERVICE
JUBA HEADQUARTERS**

TO: All Chiefs Custom Officers

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SUBJECT: launching of Electronic Cargo Tracking Certification

1. Purpose. Following an Authenticated Contract dated 24th, February 2021, between The Government of South Sudan, Ministry of Trade and Industry and K-POLY-GONE SSD LTD, this circular establishes a policy shift of the Government of South Sudan from an initial Analog Customs System of Operation to a Modern Digital System known as the Electronic Cargo Tracking Certification.
2. Authority. With reference to the letter from the Vice President, acknowledging a Trade Facilitation Portal Agreement by K-POLY-GONE to ensure that all cargo (import/export) and transit of goods shipped in containers or in bulk by road, air and maritime transport to the republic of South Sudan, this Circular serve to inform and mandate all Government functions/offices at all South Sudan Border Entry Points to take all necessary actions aimed at strengthening the compulsory nature of the agreement forming part of mandate due during customs clearance, in particular the Electronic cargo Tracking Certification in accordance with the inter-ministerial circular No. (6) RSS/MT&I/J/18/12/2020, directing the adherence to compulsory subscription of the electronic cargo tracking certificate and freight commission certificate effective immediately.
3. Supersession. As quoted in the letter from the Vice president, "Pursuant to the implementation of this agreement, we duly reminded that these goods entering our country must be covered by the Electronic Cargo Tracking Note (ECTN) and Freight Commission Certificate (FCC) documents issued by K-Polygone at the loading points". This circular supersedes all forms of commercial activities currently taking place at all Government functions at the South Sudan Border Entry Points.
4. Policy. The longstanding policy of the Government of South Sudan has been to secure an efficient measure to encounter malpractices in our revenue collecting regime and to achieve that, all goods (imports/exports) and transits entering all South Sudan Border

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Entry points must be covered by the ECTN and FCC documents issued by K-POLYGONE at all loading points.

5. Clearing Agents. In accordance with this circular, all clearing and forwarding agencies are mandated and urged to work closely with K-POLYGONE to ensure that no goods shall be cleared unless they are covered by ECTN and FCC certificates or else otherwise they shall be charged with fine fee and demurrage fee.



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