Challenges for Trusted Trade Lanes

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Integrated Supply Chains Management

Dutch vision on managing international trade from a Customs perspective

[Diagram showing flow of processes related to supply chains and customs management.]
Experience in cross-region cooperation

Twinning programs between China and the Netherlands

- Sea ports: Shanghai vs Rotterdam in 2004
- Air ports: Guangzhou vs Schipol in 2013

“TOUCHING STONES TO CROSS THE RIVER”!
Experience in cross-region cooperation

Twinning Program - No International standards for reference

- Risk management
- Customs control
- Information exchange

- Customs procedures and processes
- Information on authorized enterprises

Participating parties:
Shanghai Customs
Rotterdam Customs
Guangzhou Customs
Schiphol Cargo Customs
... ...

China-EU Smart and Secure Trade Lanes project – to test elements of WCO SAFE

- Data exchange
- Customs control
- Risk management

- WCO data model
- AEO criteria
- UCR
- Joint risk rule
- CENCOMM

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MORE STRUCTURED & STREAMLINE IN CONTROL OF SUPPLY CHAIN
Experience in cross-region cooperation

- Exporter
  - export data
  - Customs Export
    - Risk analysis/control results

- Importer
  - import data
  - Customs Import
    - Risk analysis/control results

- C-UCR

First time data exchange before stuffing

Second time data exchange before container is loaded onto the ship

Exporting Country

- Container

Importing Country

- Container

Border

Border
Lessons Learned

1. Make better use of Twinning programs and SSTL to leverage their respective strengths
2. International standards are imperative for substantive cooperation if goes further
3. Robust IT system and interoperability
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Sino – Dutch cooperation on e-Certification

- Data exchange and e-Certification in The Netherlands.
- Results Sino – Dutch cooperation
- What information is exchanged with China?
- Work 2015
- Points of departure
Principles for data exchange

• To improve administrative and logistic processes within Netherlands government and industries with regard to obligatory procedures of agricultural goods The Netherlands is

• Using and respecting integrated systems from the industry and from the authorities in The Netherlands, the European Union and other Countries
• Using digital data and messages for exchange of information between these integrated systems
• Using international standards (IPPC) and recommendations (UN-CEFACT) with regard to international data exchange

[IPPC = International Plant Protection Convention]
[UN/CEFACT = UN Centre for Trade Facilitation and E-business]
Data exchange adopted for export

- Government (Veterinary Services) and trade using their own integrated systems for their own domain

- Public administration and private sectors developing and maintaining together the information exchange between their systems

- Improved procedures around inspections enabled by availability of up to date information in all domains

Readiness for e-Certification: exchange of electronic veterinary certificates with countries outside the European Union.
Results export

• Infrastructure for Electronic Communication

• Integration of Processes for Customs and Agricultural Inspection Services

• Reduction of Administrative Burden and improved Logistics Businesses

• Better Risk management Government
Sino-Dutch cooperation: Results

• Access to China E-cert system for verification of Chinese veterinary export certificates in China E-cert database (December 2010)

• Launching of the digital exchange of Netherlands veterinary export certificates for dairy with China e-Cert by Minister Zhi Shuping and Vice Prime Minister Verhagen. (May 2011)

• Online verification of Netherlands electronic veterinary export certificates (October 2011 until October 2013)

• Trial paperless certification of dairy products Shanghai (2014)
  • Operational procedures

• Launch paperless certification for dairy (January 2015)

Explanatory note: The online verification of the electronic certificate for pork replaces for The Netherlands the obligatory prenotification for pork
Sino-Dutch cooperation: 2015

• Expansion of paperless certification

• Digital exchange of Chinese certificate information from China E-cert for import in the Netherlands

• Digital exchange of Netherlands phytosanitary certificates for seeds for sowing
Points of departure

• Benefits
  • Consolidation of (original) data
  • Process improvement

• What?
  • Consignment details/data
  • Transport details/data
  • Health certificate details/data
  • Decision on consignment

• How?
  • International standardised data elements in e-cert and WCO DM (UN/CEFACT, UNTDED)
  • International standardised exchange mechanism (UN/CEFACT)