

**Directorate General of Customs – Mali**  
**28 April 2020**

**Measures adopted to manage the COVID-19 pandemic**

<b>1. Measures to facilitate the cross-border movement of relief consignments and essential supplies</b>
<p>1.1. Establishment of a special procedure relating to relief consignments intended for the campaign against the Covid-19 pandemic (Circular No. 0010/MEF-DGD of 31 March 2020);</p> <p>1.2. Supplying officers with the HS Classification Reference for COVID-19 Medical Supplies in order to accelerate the Customs clearance procedure (imports by companies operating in the medical field). Circular No. 0010/MEF-DGD.</p>
<b>2. Measures to support the economy and ensure supply chain continuity</b>
<b>2.1.</b>
<b>3. Measures to ensure protection for Customs Administration personnel</b>
<p>3.1. Strict compliance with the prescribed protective practices and the equipping of all Customs services with hand-washing kits.</p> <p>3.2. Compulsory wearing of protective masks in the Directorate General of Customs.</p> <p>3.3. Periodic disinfection of Customs service premises.</p> <p>3.4. Use of teleworking for the various meetings held with other public administrations.</p>
<b>4. Measures to ensure protection for the public</b>
<p>4.1. Increased checking of imports of medical supplies to detect counterfeiting.</p>
<b>5. Other measures</b>
<p>5.1. Use of teleworking for the various meetings held with other public administrations.</p> <p>5.2. Introduction of hygiene measures for users (Notice to Users No. 0006/MEF-DGD of 17 March 2020).</p>

