



NEW ZEALAND **CUSTOMS SERVICE** TE MANA ĀRAI O AOTEAROA

2023 Chief Executive approval of medium for applications to become a secure exports scheme under the Customs (Applications for Secure Exports Schemes and Scheme Amendments) Rules 2022 (“SES Rules”)

Pursuant to clauses 1(a) and 6(2)(a) of Schedule 6 of the Customs and Excise Act 2018 (“the Act”) and section 53(2)(c) of the Legislation Act 2019, I, Christine Stevenson, Comptroller of the New Zealand Customs Service (“Customs”), make this approval.

This approval revokes and replaces the 2022 Chief Executive Approval of medium for applications to become a secure exports scheme under the Customs (Applications for Secure Exports Schemes and Scheme Amendments) Rules 2022.

Applications to be approved as a secure exports scheme and applications to amend an approved secure exports scheme must contain all applicable information as prescribed in the SES Rules, together “the prescribed information”.

Applicants must supply the prescribed information through the following approved mediums:

- For those seeking approval as a secure exports scheme, applicants must submit the prescribed information set out in Part A to Schedule 1 of the SES Rules electronically using the Business Connect platform available at www.businessconnect.govt.nz.
- For those seeking approval as a secure exports scheme ‘Approved Transport Operator’, applicants must submit the prescribed information set out in Part B to Schedule 1 of the SES Rules electronically using the Business Connect platform available at www.businessconnect.govt.nz.
- For those seeking to amend an existing approved exports scheme, applicants must submit the prescribed information set out in Schedule 2 of the SES Rules to Customs by email at the following address: SES@customs.govt.nz.

Notes

Please note that in order to make an entry into Business Connect, an applicant business must first be registered with a RealMe® login. Information on applying for a RealMe login may be found on the www.realme.govt.nz Internet site.

This approval comes into effect on 24 May 2023.

Dated this 23rd day of May 2023.

CHRISTINE STEVENSON, Comptroller of Customs.