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New EAEU Decisions Adopted in Connection with the Distribution of COVID-19

On 27 March 2020 the Eurasian Economic College and Council adopted the following decisions:

- ▶ Until 30 September 2020, exempt goods imported into the EAEU from the import duty in order to implement measures aimed at preventing the spread of coronavirus infection, including such goods as medical masks, equipment, bandages, stretchers, reagents and other goods, according to the approved to the list [1].
- ▶ Until 30 September 2020, it is prohibited to export from the EAEU customs territory personal protective equipment, protective and disinfectants, medical supplies and materials included in Section 10.1 of the list [2].

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[1] Decision of the Council of the Eurasian Economic Commission dated 16.03.2020 No. 21 "On Amending Certain Decisions of the Commission of the Customs Union and on Approving the List of Goods Imported into the Customs Territory of the Eurasian Economic Union with a view to the Implementation of Measures by the Member States of the Eurasian Economic Union to Prevent and Prevent spread of coronavirus infection 2019-nCoV "

[2] Appendix No. 1 to the Decision of the Board of the Eurasian Economic Commission dated 21 April 2015 No. 30 "On measures of non-tariff regulation"

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