

Arab Certificate of Origin

These certificates are normally required for shipments to evidence the origin of the goods and may also be requested by the importing company and may be used in the following Arab League Nations:

Algeria, Bahrain, Djibouti, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Mauritania, Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, UAE and Yemen.

Arab Certificates of Origin can be completed by the exporter or the agent and presented to the Lincolnshire Chamber to be forwarded to the Arab British Chambers of Commerce (A-BCC).

This will then be certified by the A-BCC and legalised by the Embassy of the importing Arab country, certifying the origin of the goods stated.

How long will it take?

If your customer is asking for an Arab Certificate, this will mean that the documents **MUST** be legalised by the relevant Embassy which will incur extra charges and take longer to process, please allow 2 – 3 weeks for the return of the legalised documents.

Why do I need a Arab Certificate of Origin?

An Arab Certificate of Origin can be requested due to the following reasons:

- To be used as a legislative requirement of the importing country
- A letter of credit requirement
- Importer preference as to origin of the goods
- Customs authorities proof of origin requirement