

This example illustrates the "Q and A" method of reporting used at certain ports and airports

1. SEIZURE REPORT

Collection London
Station Waterguard Training Centre

Q.W. Seizure No. /
Waterguard Local No. /

Date and hour of Seizure 22 May 1970 4.30 p.m.

Whether as result of information—Yes/No
If case reported for Court Hearing—Yes/No
Court of Hearing (BLOCK CAPITALS)
Hearing Days

Board's Order No.

2. VESSEL, AIRCRAFT OR VEHICLE

Name/Number G-ASND
(BLOCK CAPITALS)
Nationality NRT
From/To La Bourget
(SEE OVER RE DRUGS)
If Master/Commander informed and shown goods N/A

3. OFFENDER

Name Mr Alec James SMART Date of Birth 1. 9. 34
(SURNAME IN BLOCK CAPITALS)
Full Postal Address:— 126 Charlton Road
Newtown
Sussex
Nationality British Occupation/Rank Salesman
Sea Service None Wages £30 per week
Passport or Dr. A Book No. 150567

4. DESCRIPTION OF GOODS DECLARED AND HOW DEALT WITH

200 (No.) Cigarettes }
One bottle of Spirits* } Passed
One mechanical Lighter } Free
If duty paid show amount and Receipt No. }
* = 0.75 litre

5. DISPOSAL OF GOODS

No. of packages Three bottles
To:— Q.W.
London
Seal Number 1558
Date 23 May 1970

6. FULL DESCRIPTION OF GOODS SEIZED and identification particulars (including Tariff description); for Navy Tobacco, description and whether marked "H.M. Ships Only"

Number, Quantity and/or Weight. If Spirits, Liqueur and Proof Quantity.

DUTY

PURCHASE TAX

	Value	DUTY		PURCHASE TAX		
		Rate	Amount	Value	Rate	Amount
WHISKY @ 70° proof	48/100 liq.gal. £3 0.0.	£19/1	£6 8 0			
Value based on satisfactory purchase price abroad		0 per				
Revenue based on Waterguard Ready Reckoner		P.8				
TOTALS	£ 3 0.0.		£ 6 8 0			

7. Amount of Compromise Penalty } £ 12 0 0

Treble Duty Paid Value (inc. P.T. if any) £ 28 4 0

R. & R. No. 123456

8. SEIZING OFFICERS (Detecting Officer to be starred)

9. FOR USE IN COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

SURNAME	INITIALS	RANK	Payments under C.C.1.1.93 104.			
			£	s.	d.	Date
Redman	R.H.	P.O.				
*Martindale	A	A.P.O.				

Amount of ~~Court~~ Compromise Penalty £12. 0. 0.
R.O.D. No. Date Court Fees

DEPOSITS IN RESPECT OF VESSELS OR VEHICLES
(a) Amount
(b) Deposit No. and Date
(c) By whom made
(d) R.O.D. No. and Date

Seizure confirmed.
Date stamp.

Compared with C.457

Collector

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SEIZURES OF DANGEROUS AND OR STIMULANT DRUGS

- (a) Owners of Vessel
- (b) First Port of loading abroad
- (c) Intermediate Ports of Call { Outward ...
Homeward
- (d) Next foreign Port of Call
- (See also C.C.4.8.)

CONTINUATION REPORT (giving all relevant facts including the text, verbatim if possible, of any questions put to the offender and any answers given. The name of the Officer seizing, and whether seizure was made in the presence of the offender, should be stated, with particulars of any previous offence if known.)

In the Green Channel I selected Mr Smart , a passenger from Paris, for examination and questioned him as follows:-

- Q. Is this all your baggage?
A. Yes
Q. Is any other person concerned with this baggage?
A. No, I am travelling alone.
Q. Where do you normally reside?
A. In Newtown, I have been to Paris for the Easter holidays.
Q. Have you read and do you understand the Customs Notice?
A. Yes, I have read, and I do understand the notice.
Q. Are you aware of the allowances?
A. Yes
Q. Please produce the allowances
A. Do you want to see everything?
Q. Yes, please.

He then produced the declared goods as listed in panel 4 overleaf and stated "there you are, that's the lot!"

Mr Smart was carrying a raincoat over his arm. I examined this and found one bottle of whisky in each sleeve. The bottom of each sleeve was knotted to contain the two bottles which I secured and marked. I continued my search and found one bottle of whisky surrounded by clothing in a plastic bag at the bottom of a suitcase. When I found this bottle Mr Smart said, "I just took a chance. I didn't have enough money to pay on them".

* OFFENCE CAUTION OFFERED.

I secured and marked the bottle and completed a thorough search of all the baggage but found no further irregularities.

I reported the above facts to Mr Redman, P.O. in the presence of Smart who agreed they were correct. Later, on Mr Redman's instructions, I searched the person of Smart without result.

I was present when Mr Redman questioned Mr Smart and can confirm his account of the interview.

A. Martindale

Assistant Preventive Officer

22-5-1970.

(N.B.: Any supporting documents (e.g. receipts) should be annexed in an enclosure envelope.)