

DE MINIMIS

Date of Announcement	EO / Notice	Summary of De Minimis Change(s)	Official Link	SEKO Advisory	Notes
29-Aug-25	Effective date of EO 14324	De minimis exemption ends globally (non-postal shipments) at 12:01 a.m. EDT.	Federal Register Implementation Notice	N/A	CBP Enforcement Announcement
30-Jul-25	Executive Order 14324 – Suspending Duty-Free De Minimis Treatment for All Countries	Suspended the de minimis exemption globally (for all countries) for non-postal shipments, effective August 29, 2025.	White House EO Text	De Minimis Suspension – Effective August 29	
09-Jul-25	CBP CSMS #65581188 – FDA Filing Now Required for De Minimis Shipments	Rescinded prior exemptions for FDA-regulated products under Section 321. Effective immediately: all FDA-regulated goods, regardless of value or quantity, must be submitted for review. Prior Notice (PN) requirements remain in effect unless exempt under 21 CFR 1.277(b). Applies across all transportation modes.	CBP CSMS #65581188	Important Updates to De Minimis Policy	
01-Jul-25	New Civil Penalties for Improper Use of De Minimis	"Under the One Big Beautiful Bill Act, any person who enters or facilitates entry of goods using Section 321 in violation of other customs laws will face: - Up to \$5,000 for a first violation. - Up to \$10,000 for each subsequent violation. These penalties take effect August 3, 2025."	Congress.gov: H.R.1 – 119th Congress (2025–2026): One Big Beautiful Bill Act	Important Updates to De Minimis Policy	
02-May-25	Effective date of EO 14256	Low-value imports from China/Hong Kong no longer qualify for de minimis; formal entry and duties required.	CBP Guidance – CSMS #64792502	End of De Minimis Exemption for Imports from China and Hong Kong – Effective May 2	
02-Apr-25	Executive Order 14256 – Further Amendment to Duties Addressing the Synthetic Opioid Supply Chain in the People’s Republic of China as Applied to Low-Value Imports	Eliminated the de minimis exemption (19 U.S.C. 1321(a)(2)(C)) for imports from China/Hong Kong, including low-value international postal shipments.	White House EO Text	IEEPA Reciprocal Tariffs	
01-Feb-25	Executive Order 14195 – Imposing Duties To Address the Synthetic Opioid Supply Chain in the People's Republic of China	Suspended duty-free de minimis treatment for certain Chinese goods under 19 U.S.C. 1321(a)(2)(C), effective February 5, 2025.	Federal Register Feb 7, 2025	SEKO’s Guidance on Navigating Tariff Changes – Updated Feb. 27	
20-Jan-25	CBP NPRM – De Minimis Eligibility for Certain Trade Measures	Proposed rule: exempt goods subject to Section 301, 201, or 232 trade measures from de minimis eligibility. Requires 10-digit HTSUS classification for certain de minimis shipments. Comments due by March 24, 2025. Estimated 77% of de minimis entries could be ineligible if implemented.	Federal Register NPRM Jan 20, 2025	New Regulations Proposed with Major Implications for Ecommerce Imports	
14-Jan-25	CBP Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) – Enhanced Entry Process	Proposed amendments to over 30 regulations affecting ecommerce imports. Key change: creation of an “Enhanced Entry Process” ending the existing Entry Type 86 pilot. Requires additional data elements for de minimis shipments (country of shipment, product URL or foreign security scan, marketplace name). Comments due by March 17, 2025.	Federal Register NPRM Jan 14, 2025	New Regulations Proposed with Major Implications for Ecommerce Imports	