



WHAT IS A SAFETY AND SECURITY DECLARATION (S&S)?

Safety and Security declaration (S&S) is also known as an Entry Summary declaration (ENS). Its purpose is to inform border authorities, so they can analyse the potential risk caused to their territory by goods crossing their border.

WHEN DO WE NEED TO START COMPLETING SAFETY AND SECURITY DECLARATIONS (S&S)?

From the 31st of January 2025.

The S&S completion time before the goods arrive in the UK, varies from 1 hour to 24 hours, depending on the mode of transport. [Full breakdown of S&S completion timings](#)

WHOSE RESPONSIBILITY IS IT THAT THESE SAFETY AND SECURITY DECLARATIONS (S&S) GET COMPLETED?

It is the legal responsibility of the carrier (also defined as the operator of the active means of transport), to make sure that Safety and Security declarations get completed.

If your goods are driver accompanied, it's the haulier's responsibility.

If your goods are driver unaccompanied, it's the carrier's responsibility.

It is worth pointing out that the carrier can defer the responsibility of creating the S&S to the booking party. At which point the carrier only needs to make sure a S&S has been completed, and it's up to the booking party to complete the S&S and advise the carrier.

WHO CAN COMPLETE SAFETY AND SECURITY DECLARATIONS (S&S)?

A third party (like RJJ Freight) can act on the haulier's or carrier's behalf to complete safety and security declarations with their consent.



WHAT INFORMATION IS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE A SAFETY AND SECURITY DECLARATION (S&S)?

Information wise, its very similar to completing an import customs declaration.

Please see below complete list of everything required:

Total number of Packages	Package Type (box, cartons etc)
Goods Description	Gross Mass
<u>HS code (4 digits only)</u>	<u>UN Dangerous goods code (If applicable)</u>
Consignor	Consignee
Port of Loading	Port of Discharge
Trailer Number/Container number	Seal number
Arrival date and time	<u>Mode of Transport (air, sea, land, rail or roro)</u>
Transport document number (airwaybill, bill of lading or CMR)	List of countries routing
<u>Customs office of entry</u>	<u>Transport charges or method of payment</u>
Declarant's EORI and Carrier's EORI	Declaration date and place

More information on Safety and Security declarations (S&S)

If you have any questions on S&S, or need help completing S&S please get in touch on:

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