



Customs Programs

Broker Known Importer Program (BKIP)

BKIP allows customs brokers such as Frontier to communicate to US Customs and Border Protection (CBP) that their customer is known to them and has acknowledged their customs compliance responsibilities.

BKIP is a voluntary CBP program that enables a broker to transit a flag at the time of entry indicating that an importer has met a minimum standard of entry compliance. Importers can join BKIP at no cost, it focuses on the unique relationship between customs brokers and their importer clients.

Participation in BKIP brings value to importers. It creates a framework and discipline where brokers and clients talk about their import programs in the context of import regulations. These conversations increase the importer's compliance understanding and enhance the communication between broker and client.

Quick Response Audits (QRA)

QRA are single-issue audits with a narrow focus. These audits are designed to address a specific objective within a short period of time. QRA cover a variety of audits that will have limited objectives as opposed to the complete evaluation of a company's Customs and Border Protection (CBP) activities in the focused assessment program.

If Customs has questions about your importing practices, or has notified you of an audit, Frontier can make sure you are complying every way you should, then disclosing effectively to Customs. Companies that gain much of their revenue from their trading practices can't afford the large penalties nor the loss of trade privileges.