



SOLVING THE WORLD'S MOST COMPLEX
TRADE & LOGISTICS CHALLENGES

WTO TRADE FACILITATION AGREEMENT SUPPORT

Partnering with countries for faster,
more efficient trade clearance

In February 2017, the WTO Agreement on Trade Facilitation (TFA) entered into force. Nathan is partnering with developing country governments and traders to implement TFA requirements and lower the time and cost of trade.

KEY SERVICE OFFERINGS

- TFA assessment and implementation support
- Legal/regulatory conformity assessment
- Economic impact analysis
- Business process analysis
- Development of online and IT tools
- Compliance management programs
(risk-based controls, AEO, PCA)
- Institutional strengthening
- Change management (training, communications)
- Public-private dialogue

SIMPLIFY AND HARMONIZE TRADE PROCEDURES

Nathan helps customs authorities implement risk-based controls to more efficiently allocate resources and expedite trade. We partner with national and regional institutions to implement *pre-arrival processing*, *advance rulings programs*, *time-release studies*, *national single windows* and *one-stop border posts*.

FACILITATE PARTNERSHIPS

Nathan helps develop authorized economic operator and post-clearance audit programs that reward trader compliance and build trust between customs and the private sector. We also support increased *public-private dialogue* and *customs-to-customs cooperation* through regional economic communities and other mechanisms.

EMPOWER PARTNERS WITH PRACTICAL GUIDEBOOKS AND TOOLS

Guidebooks on *risk management*, *authorized economic operators*, *post-clearance audit* and *advance rulings* provide roadmaps for program design, implementation and performance monitoring. Our border assessment tool uses a guided interview format to analyze key areas of customs clearance and border management.

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