## Cuba extends duty-free imports until June 30



The customs concessions for private individuals introduced in 2021 are still valid until June 30 (source: <u>D-Cuba</u>)

The measure was originally due to expire on March 31. Cuba's government has now <u>extended</u> the duty-free import of food, hygiene products, medicines and other medical supplies until June 30. A corresponding resolution was <u>published</u> in the law gazette on Wednesday.

The limits remain unchanged at 50 kilograms or a value of 500 US dollars. The <u>upper limit</u> of 500 US dollars, which was <u>increased last summer</u>, also remains in force for mail sent by air or sea. For non-commercial parcels containing food, hygiene products, medicines and medical products, the first 20 kilograms with a maximum value of 200 US dollars are duty-free. For all other shipments, the first 30 US dollars up to 3 kilograms are duty-free, after which a customs tariff of 30 percent applies.

The measure was originally introduced in summer 2021 and has since been extended for six months at a time. In December, the duty exemption was only extended until the end of March for the first time, indicating that the measure was coming to an end. The current new extension to the end of June could therefore be the last. (Cubaheute)