



Form B144
Claim for Return of Seized Goods

Approved Form Section 205B of the *Customs Act 1901*

To: (please tick) **Comptroller-General of Customs; or** **Commissioner of Police/Deputy Commissioner of Police**

1. In accordance with section 205B of the *Customs Act 1901*, I

Name:			
Date of Birth:		Phone	
Street Address only:			Mobile
Suburb	State	Postcode	Fax
E-mail Address			

2. hereby make a claim for the return of the following seized goods: Reference Number (if known)

Insert description of goods seized	
which were seized on the _____ day of _____ 20__	Insert name of place and State where seizure occurred

NOTE: The Department of Immigration and Border Protection requires the above information to identify and contact you and also to identify the goods that are the subject of this claim. If you are required to hold a permission to import these goods, this information may also be given to the relevant permit issuing agency.

3. I am making this claim for return of seized goods, on the following grounds:

I have an Import Permit (copy to be attached to this claim form);

Goods incorrectly described in Seizure Notice;

Other reason:

NOTE: Lodging this claim does not in itself mean that your goods will be returned.

4. Name of owner of goods (BLOCK LETTERS) Signature:

Date:

APPOINTING AN AGENT FOR PERSONS RESIDING OVERSEAS

This section **MUST** only be completed if this claim is being made by a person who does not reside or have a place of business in Australia

5. (Insert name and address of agent) I hereby appoint the following person as my agent in Australia with authority to accept service of documents, including process in any proceedings, arising out of this matter:

Name and Address:			
On appointing an agent, this claim MUST be accompanied by the written consent of the agent signed by that agent, agreeing to act as agent.			
I, (name):			agree to act as agent
Date of Birth:		Signature	
Street Address only:			Phone
Suburb	State	Postcode	Mobile
E-mail Address			Fax

NOTE: The Department of Immigration and Border Protection requires the above information to identify and contact you in the event of any court action which may occur as a result of this claim.