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Session 1. Industry Regulatory Framework

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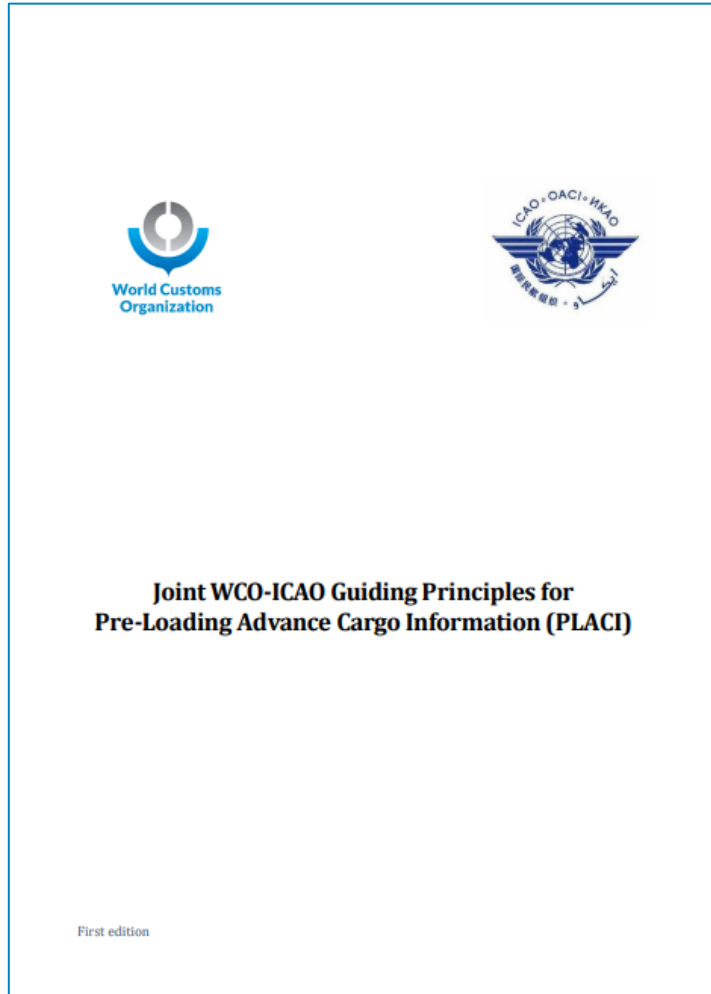
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The World Customs Organization represents **186 Members**,
responsible for processing **98% of international trade**



The World Customs Organization develops international standards, fosters cooperation and builds capacity to facilitate legitimate trade, to secure a fair revenue collection and to protect society, providing leadership, guidance and support to Customs administrations.



- CONCEPT OF PRE-LOADING ADVANCE CARGO INFORMATION (PLACI)
- PRINCIPLES OF PLACI
- GUIDANCE FOR PLACI RISK ANALYSIS PROCESS





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- The Impacts of Air Cargo Services on Economic Development



In the ICAO context, an air cargo secure supply chain is a set of interconnected security procedures that are applied to a cargo consignment to maintain the integrity of such a consignment from the moment where screening or other security controls are applied until it arrives at its last airport of arrival, including through transit and/or transfer points. As specified in ICAO Annex 17, screening and other security controls are to be applied by entities that are approved by the appropriate authority, defined as regulated agents (RA) and known consignors (KC). A secure supply chain leads to a more efficient flow of cargo and provides a solution for those consignments that are difficult to screen with traditional equipment.

The WCO's SAFE Framework of Standards (SAFE FoS) defines an Authorized Supply Chain as a concept under which all participants in an international trade transaction are approved by Customs as observing specified standards in the secure handling of goods and relevant information. Those participants are called Authorized Economic Operators (AEO). AEO has become a flagship programme for WCO Members as it offers an opportunity for Customs to share its security responsibilities with stakeholders, while at the same time rewarding them with a number of additional facilitation benefits. Partnership programmes with trade allow Customs to achieve more with existing resources and aim at ensuring sustainable and long-term compliance through several additional incentives.

Potential opportunities and benefits of aligning secure supply chain programmes



a. Regulations that complement each other are easier to implement by industry, thereby alignment can enhance the level of compliance.

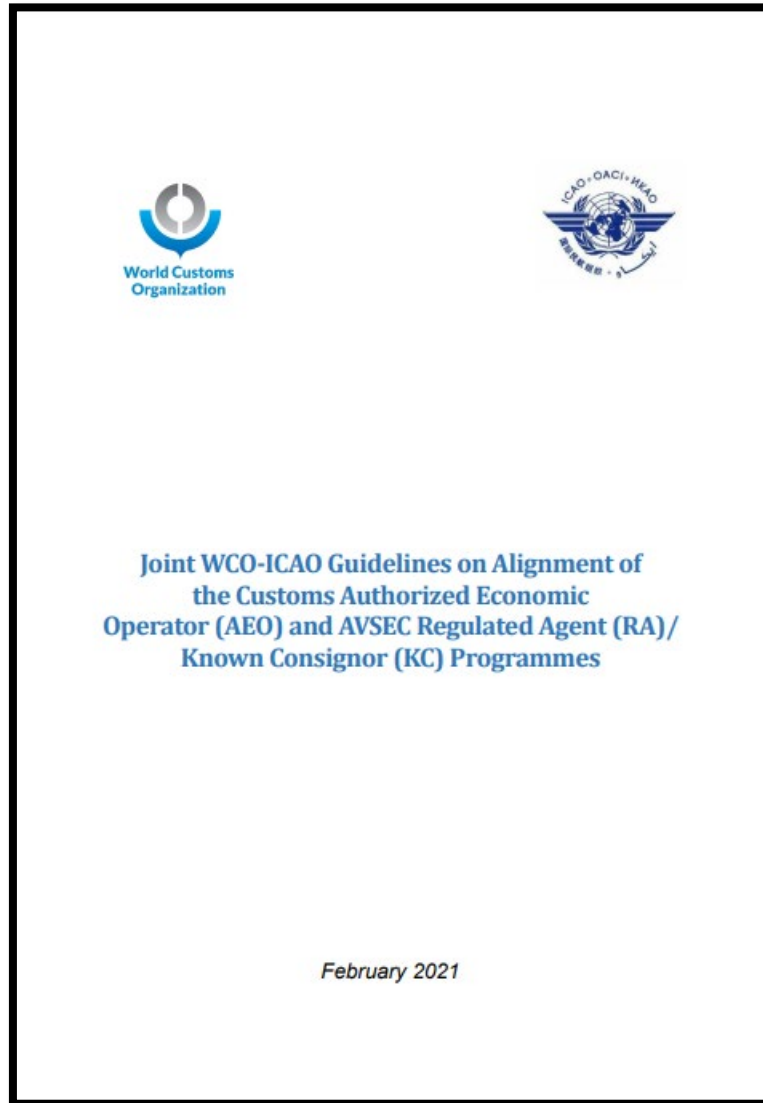
c. Alignment of the handling of applications, associated processing, validation and re-validation activities can also lead to a lesser administrative burden for authorities.

e. Better alignment of these programmes can help to maximize the security posture of participating industry stakeholders.

b. Alignment can lessen the administrative burden for industry as a joint approach or a more aligned approach may be adopted for application and oversight mechanisms.

d. As a result, alignment can optimize human and budgetary allocation, for authorities and industry.

More details:





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Thank you

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