



Equipment Donations State Emergency Service of Ukraine

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The State Emergency Service of Ukraine is accepting fire, rescue, haz-mat, and medical equipment and supplies. However, the State Emergency Service of Ukraine's greatest need is for ballistic vests (with both front and back protection), ballistic helmets and chemical cartridge/gas mask respirators.

To assist our members in assuring that donated equipment and supplies reach the State Emergency Service of Ukraine, the International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC) has collaborated with the *Polish National Fire Service* and the *Association of the Volunteer Fire Brigades (VFB) of the Republic of Poland* to establish a valid process for donated equipment transfer to the State Emergency Service of Ukraine. Through this process, agencies and organizations can work directly with the Polish VFB who will receive and route the incoming equipment donations directly to the State Emergency Service of Ukraine.

Please be aware, each agency or organization who chooses to donate equipment to the State Emergency Service of Ukraine through the Polish VFB is responsible for all costs associated with donating the equipment. This is inclusive of all packaging, shipping, fees assessed by United States (US) and Polish customs, etc.

Additionally, it is the responsibility of the donating agency or organization to assure compliance with all applicable US local, state, and federal laws that may apply to donating equipment and supplies.

Public Safety Equipment Donation Process

If you choose to donate equipment through the Polish VFB, please follow the instructions provided by the Polish VFB below:

1. Complete the attached equipment list ([GENERAL LIST OF DONATED EQUIPMENT - STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE of UKRAINE.English](#)) and pro-forma (donation form) invoice ([Polish NFS VFB Pro Forma Example.English](#)). In Appendix A, you can find an example of how the [GENERAL LIST OF DONATED EQUIPMENT - STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE of UKRAINE.English](#) documentation is completed.

2. Send both completed forms via email to the Polish VFB Liaison, Colonel Jacek Borowski, at jacek.borowski@zosprp.org.pl, and please copy (cc) IAFC International Liaison Jeff Dulin at jdulin@iafc.org.

3. Colonel Borowski will review the forms and contact you directly with authorization to proceed with the shipment. All donation packages must be shipped directly to the Headquarters of VFB at the address below:

National Headquarters

The Association of Volunteer Fire Brigades of the Republic of Poland

1 Oboźna Street

PL 00-340 Warsaw

Poland

Please note that this effort is NOT for the purpose of offering firefighting assistance through consultation, advisory or direct personnel services. No request for such services has been received by the IAFC, and the IAFC is not arranging for such services.

General Humanitarian Aid Process

In addition to emergency services equipment, the people of Ukraine, which includes the families of fire and emergency services personnel who have remained in Ukraine and those who have sought refuge in other countries are in need of humanitarian aid. If your agency or organization would like to provide humanitarian supplies to Ukraine through the Polish Governmental Agency for Strategic Reserves (RARS), please see Appendix B for Instructions.

The form needed to provide Humanitarian Aid is attached and titled “[RARS UKR lista_asortymentowa_asortment_donated](#)”. Please DO NOT confuse this form with the form that is to be used for donation of public safety equipment – [GENERAL LIST OF DONATED EQUIPMENT - STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE of UKRAINE.English](#)

For agencies and organizations wishing to provide monetary support for humanitarian aid to Ukraine, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) can be accessed at <https://www.unrefugees.org/emergencies/ukraine/>

Appendix A: Form Completion Example - General List of Donated Equipment

Equipment list part 01:

	Donating Country:	Poland	Contact person details:	Lt. Col. Grzegorz Borowiec +48 885-040-015				
	Donnor identification (Name and address)	State Fire Service of Poland, Podchorznych 38 Warsaw	Expected delivery date:	05.03.2022				
	Shipped by	Land (Truck)	Transport ID (ie. Flight No.)	WW 998A				
No.	Equipment category	Detailed description of goods	Quantity [pcs]	Volume [m3]	Weight [kg]	Value [EUR]	Pallet No (corresponding with excel file No 2)	Remarks
1	firefighter boots	Lether boots, Haix Fire Eagle	100	4	80	20000		1
2	floating pumps unit	M-4/2 Niagara 1 pump	5	9	140	50000	2,3,4	
3	thermal cameras	FLIR seria TGxxx	2	0,2	5	5000		1
4								
5								
6								
7								
8								
9								
10								

Equipment list part 02:

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
1								
2	Shipment details							
3								
4								
5	Pallet No.	Equipment category	Detailed description of goods	Quantity [pcs]	Volume [m3]	Value [EUR]	Remarks	
6	1	firefighter boots	Lether boots, Haix Fire Eagle	100	4	20000		
7	1	thermal cameras	FLIR seria TGxxx	2	0,2	5000	packed together/ separate boxes	
8	2	floating pumps unit	M-4/2 Niagara 1 pump	3	3	10000		
9	3	floating pumps unit	M-4/2 Niagara 1 pump	3	3	10000		
10	4	floating pumps unit	M-4/2 Niagara 1 pump	3	3	10000		
11								
12								
13								
14								

Appendix B: Humanitarian Aid - Polish Governmental Agency for Strategic Reserves (RARS)

Thank you very much for expressing your willingness to provide humanitarian aid to Ukraine through the Polish Governmental Agency for Strategic Reserves (RARS). If, in earlier communication, you sent the completed file with all the required data in accordance with the instructions on the Agency's website, please wait for the contact from RARS. Otherwise, please follow the instructions below.

Instruction:

1. To speed up the process of donation, please complete the attached Excel file. The file contains additional instructions.
2. In the next step, please reply to this email and attach the completed Excel file. The body of the email should include:
 - Your name and surname
 - Your contact number
 - Name of the entity you represent (if the donor is an institution)
 - Country of entity origin
 - Current place of warehousing (address)

To receive effective assistance, please reply to e-mails in one thread and do not change the e-mail title.

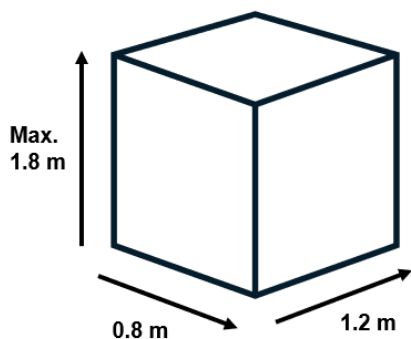
After sending the e-mail with the Excel file, a RARS employee will contact you and provide final details regarding logistics (e.g., centers address, mode of transportation, etc.).

Also, all donors are requested to deliver products directly to selected logistics centers at their own expense (a RARS employee during the interview will inform you about the selected delivery point). Additionally, in order to improve the delivery process, we kindly ask you to describe and pack goods according to the following scheme:

Towary powinny być zapakowane na europalety o poniższych wymiarach oraz oznaczone zgodnie z instrukcją

Goods should be packed on Euro-pallets (EPAL) with dimensions indicated below and labelled according to the instruction









Rozmiary
Dimensions



Oznakowanie

Labelling

Towary powinny zostać oznakowane poprzez naklejenie z boku palety trwałej naklejki o odpowiednim kolorze / *Goods to be labelled by putting a durable sticker of respective color on side of a pallet*

	Woda / <i>Water</i>
	Żywność / <i>Food (non-perishable)</i>
	Leki i medykamenty / <i>Medicines and medical supplies</i>
	Odzież i okrycie / <i>Clothes</i>
	Środki higieny i czystości / <i>Hygiene</i>
	Produkty do spania / <i>Bedding</i>
	Zasilanie & komunikacja / <i>Power & communication</i>
	Inne / <i>Other</i>

Thank you very much for helping Ukraine.

Best regards,



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