



**U.S. Customs and  
Border Protection**

September 24, 2019  
Port Case Number: 2019/

**Notice of Seizure and Information to Claimants  
Non-CAFRA Form**

Dear Sir or Madam:

This is to officially notify you that U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) seized the property described below at Seattle, Washington on September 10, 2019.

The seized property, including appraised domestic value (ADV), is described as follows:  
124,800 storage jars, ADV: \$615,264.00.

The property was seized under the provisions of 19 U.S.C. § 1595a(c)(2)(A), 21 U.S.C. § 863(a)(3), 21 U.S.C. § 863(d). This merchandise from entry EMP-02755262 was seized as an unlawful importation of drug paraphernalia.

The facts available to CBP indicate that you might have an interest in the seized property. The purpose of this letter is to advise you of the options available to you concerning this seizure. An important document – an “Election of Proceedings” form is enclosed with this letter. You must choose one of the options outlined below, indicate your choice on the “Election of Proceedings” form, and return it and any other necessary documents to CBP within the allotted time frame. Should you choose to abandon the property, you must still complete the “Election of Proceedings” form and return it to CBP.

Your options are as follows:

1. **Petition:** You may file a petition with this office within 30 days from the date of this letter in accordance with Title 19, United States Code (U.S.C.), Section 1618 (19 U.S.C. §1618) and Title 19, Code of Federal Regulations (C.F.R.), Sections 171.1 and 171.2 (19 C.F.R. §§ 171.1, 171.2), seeking remission of the forfeiture. The petition does not need to be in any specific form, but it must describe the property involved, identify the date and place of the seizure, include all the facts and circumstances which you believe warrant relief from forfeiture, and must include proof of your interest in or claim to the property. Examples of proof of interest include, but are not limited to a car title, loan agreement, or documentation of the source of funds. If you choose this option, you must check **Box 1** on the “Election of Proceedings” form.

By completing Box 1 on the “Election of Proceedings” form, you are requesting administrative