









World Humanitarian Summit Commitments World Customs Organization 2019

Individual commitments

4B) Anticipate, do not wait, for crises

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Commitment Description	Commitment Type	Core Responsibility	Commitment ID
The World Customs Organization commits to maintain smooth communication between customs and other actors in order to ensure mutual understanding and comprehension and also to ensure that aid reaches those in need in a timely manner.	Partnership	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	522001
The World Customs Organization commits to strengthen cooperation and coordination with other national government agencies involved in border management to secure the smooth flow of relief consignments.	Partnership	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	522002
The World Customs Organization commits to work with other government agencies in developing national emergency plans and to carry out simulation exercise.	Operational	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	522003
The World Customs Organization commits to increase its work with administrations that have experienced emergency situations in order to collect concrete cases on their practices and to develop best practices and standards.	Policy	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	522004
The World Customs Organization commits to launch a new initiative to support customs administrations in West Africa thanks to funding from the Government of the Netherlands. This assistance programme will enable the customs administrations of the countries most severely impacted by the Ebola virus disease, as well as other countries in West Africa, to be better prepared in the future to cope with health-related and natural disasters.	Operational	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	522005