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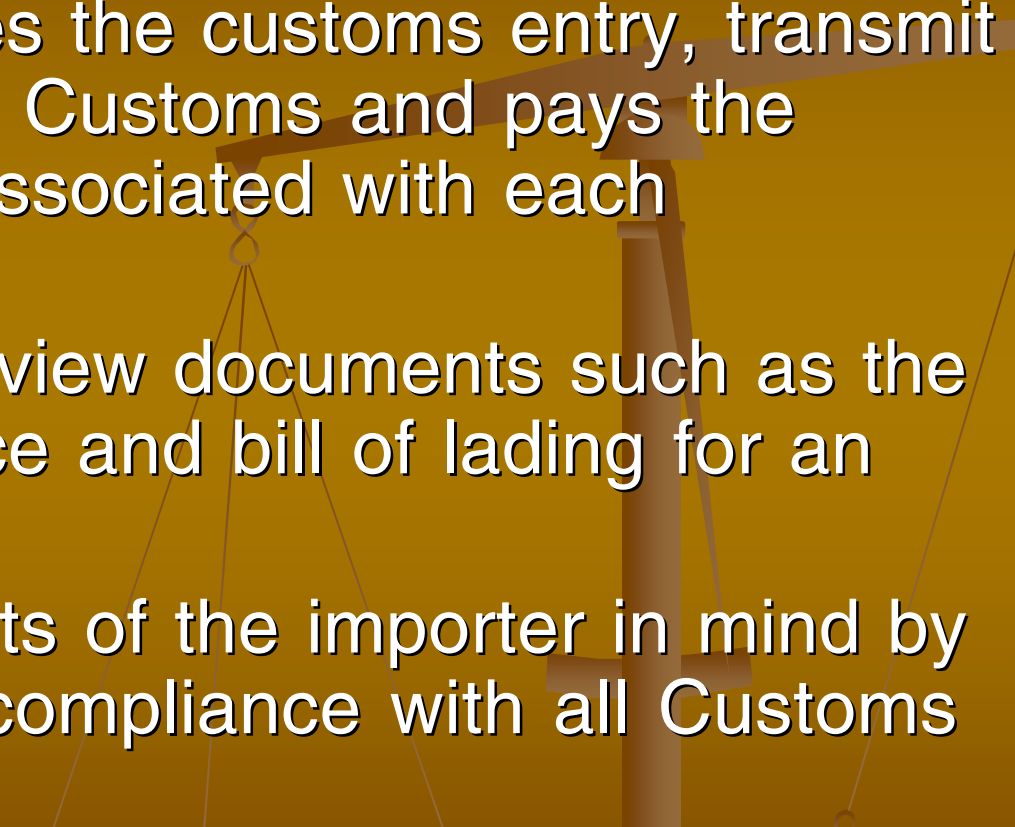
## *Customs Broker Services Provided*

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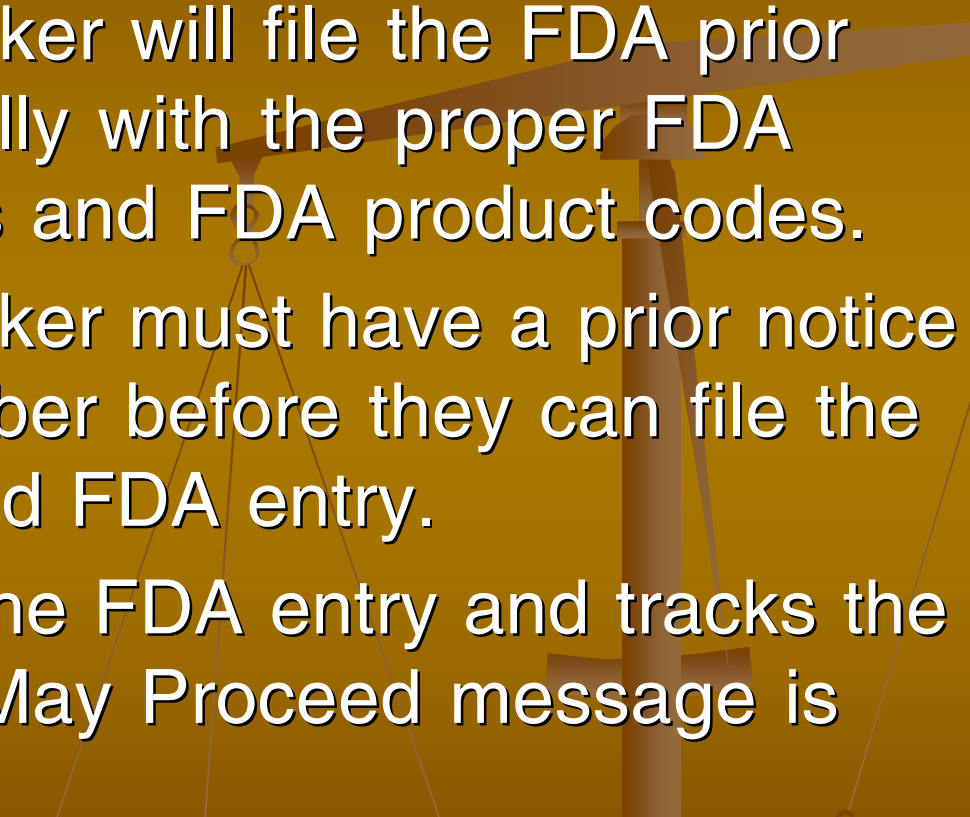
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FDA prior notice and may proceed  
Interface with truckers, marine terminals  
and receiving warehouse

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# Customs Clearance

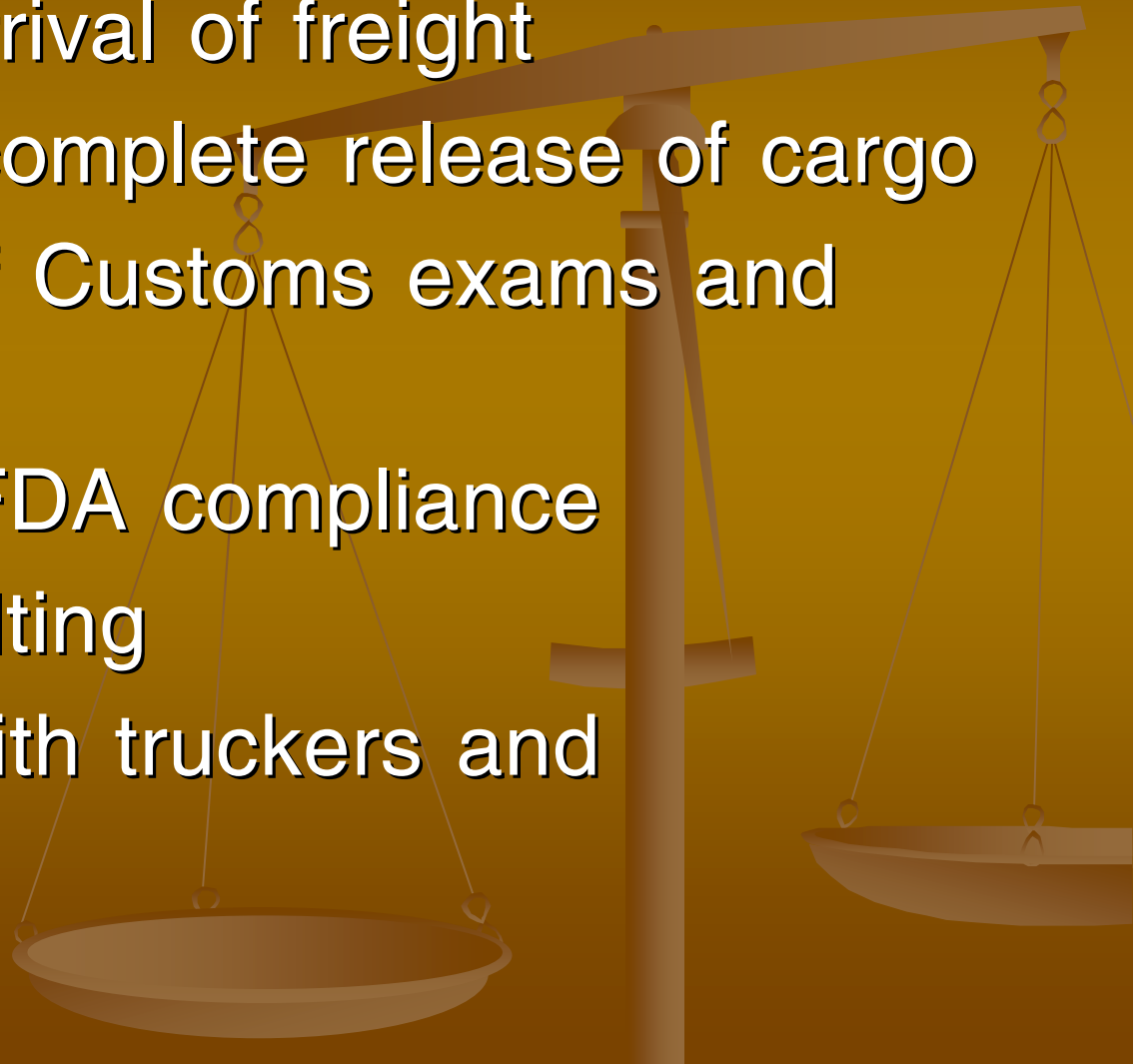
- The broker creates the customs entry, transmits the information to Customs and pays the duties and fees associated with each shipment.
  - The broker will review documents such as the commercial invoice and bill of lading for an accurate entry
  - Keeps the interests of the importer in mind by keeping them in compliance with all Customs regulations.
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# FDA prior notice and entry

- The Customs Broker will file the FDA prior notice electronically with the proper FDA registration codes and FDA product codes.
  - The Customs Broker must have a prior notice confirmation number before they can file the Customs entry and FDA entry.
  - The Broker files the FDA entry and tracks the shipment until a May Proceed message is issued.
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# Other services

- Checking on arrival of freight
- Tracking until complete release of cargo
- Coordination of Customs exams and FDA sampling
- Customs and FDA compliance
- C-TPAT consulting
- Coordination with truckers and warehouses



# Importer Security Filing

- Customs Brokers are developing programs to transmit this information to Customs for the importers.
- Once the final rule is published Brokers will work with their importers to fulfill the requirements of this rule.

