

To Her Majesty's Revenue and Customs 20th April 2020.

Dear Sir or Madam,

I have read a report in The Sunday Post (12/4/20) that the Chinese Government is supplying Chinese students studying in the UK with Covid 19 Personal Protection Packs.

These contain 40 Surgical Masks, a thermometer, safety goggles and "**two boxes of Chinese traditional medicine**".

I am concerned that the traditional medicine could contain prohibited animal parts such as tiger bone, bear bile and pangolin scales.

The Glasgow Chinese Students Association said they had received 2,780 packs for students at Glasgow University and that the Chinese Government would keep replenishing supplies. I assume it will be the same for all Chinese Students in the UK.

Can you investigate to determine if the medicine packs include prohibited materials?

I'd appreciate it if you would acknowledge receipt of this message.

Yours faithfully,

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