

"The last twelve years of economic growth have made UK companies complacent about consistent re-examination of their supply chains - but the next eighteen months are set to witness a dramatic reversal of the trend as the need to free-up capital takes on a new urgency..."



Fraser Ironside, Global Business Development Director, Barloworld Optimus (a world class supply chain planning company).

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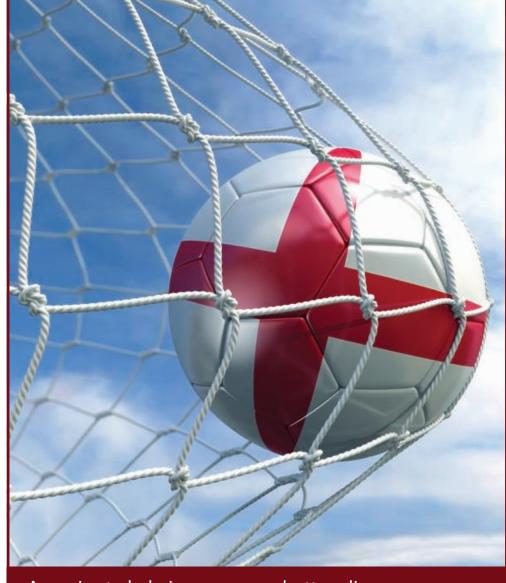


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# Improve your game



A service to help improve your bottom line

## No win, no fee

#### Would you like help in:

- Making savings?
- Improving procedures?
- Boosting efficiency?

### If the answer's YES, then we can help

Our 'NO WIN NO FEE' approach means you don't pay anything unless you decide to act on our recommendations to save your business money.

To arrange an appointment for a FREE, confidential one hour review, contact Alison Holmes on 01274 230073, or email alisonh@chamber-international.com

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#### This advice could include:

- Ways of delaying/reducing import duties and taxes
- Preparing applications for authorisations to use duty relief schemes
- Ensuring your records and systems are compliant with Customs requirements\*

### Specific advice could be:

- A review of your warehousing arrangements
- Using the correct Customs codes
- Ways we can help you reduce the amount of import duty you pay

### Learn the smart moves

#### **CUT COSTS AND IMPROVE CASH-FLOW**

- We helped an importer of fabrics save more than £90k
- We achieved a cash-flow advantage of £400k in suspended duty and VAT on behalf of an importer of retail goods
- We helped a textile company slash their warehousing costs by more than £10k per anum



<sup>\*</sup> Finance Act 1994; Customs & Excise Management Act; Customs Traders (Accounts & Records) Regulations; European Community Legislation.