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As per the directives of Caretaker Finance Minister Dr. Ghazi Wazni, the army will undertake today, with the cooperation of Lebanese Customs, the inspection of around 700 containers abandoned in Beirut port since 2005.

On December 16, 2020, Minister Wazni and the Commander of the Lebanese Armed Forces, Joseph Aoun, had discussed in a phone call the coordination between the army and the Customs concerning the immediate inspection and handling of the abandoned containers.

A meeting was held today between Minister Wazni, the Head of the Higher Council of Customs, General Assaad Toufaily, the Acting Director General of Customs, Raymond Khoury, and the Acting Director General of Beirut Port, Bassem of al-Qaisi, to discuss full cooperation and coordinate rapid action with the army concerning the containers and their safety.

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