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CUSTOMS NOTICE 12-028

Amendments to the Departmental Consolidation of the Customs Tariff

1. The Departmental Consolidation of the *Customs* Tariff (Tariff) has been amended effective

September 28, 2012, following legislative amendments announced by Finance Canada.

2. As of September 28, 2012 the following amendments take effect:

Deleted Classification Numbers

7302.30.00.00

8704.21.00.10

8704.21.00.20

8704.21.00.30

Newly Added Classification Numbers

1511.90.30.00

--- Palm oil flakes for use in the manufacture of food products

Unit of measure – KGM

Rates of Duty – MFN: Free; CCCT, CRT, CT, GPT, LDCT, MT, UST, IT, PT, COLT: Free

3926.90.93.00

--- Trays designed to hold discs, for use in the manufacture of CD or DVD cases or boxed set collections

Unit of measure – N/A

Rates of Duty – MFN: 4%; CCCT, CIAT, CRT, CT, LDCT, MT, MUST, UST, IT, NT, SLT, PT, COLT: Free; GPT: 3%

7302.30.10.00

--- For use with grooved or girder guard rail Unit of measure – KGM

Rates of Duty – MFN: Free; CCCT, CIAT, CRT, CT, GPT, LDCT, MT, MUST, UST, IT, NT, SLT, PT, COLT: Free

7302.30.90.00

--- Other

Unit of measure – KGM

Rates of Duty – MFN: 6.5%; CCCT, CIAT, CRT, CT, LDCT, MT, MUST, UST, IT, NT, SLT, PT, COLT: Free; GPT: 5%

8704.21.10.00

--- For conversion to ambulances

Unit of measure – NMB

Rates of Duty – MFN: Free; CCCT, CIAT, CRT, CT, GPT, LDCT, MT, MUST, UST, IT, NT, SLT, PT, COLT: Free

8704.21.90.10

---Other

----g.v.w. not exceeding 2 tonnes

Unit of measure – NMB

Rates of Duty – MFN: 6.1%; CCCT, CIAT, CRT, CT, LDCT, MT, MUST, UST, IT, NT, SLT, PT, COLT: Free; GPT: 6%

8704.21.90.20

---Other

----g.v.w. exceeding 2 tonnes but not exceeding 3 tonnes

Unit of measure – NMB

Rates of Duty – MFN: 6.1%; CCCT, CIAT, CRT, CT, LDCT, MT, MUST, UST, IT, NT, SLT, PT, COLT: Free; GPT: 6%

8704.21.90.30

---Other

----g.v.w. exceeding 3 tonnes but not exceeding 5 tonnes

Unit of measure – NMB

Rates of Duty – MFN: 6.1%; CCCT, CIAT, CRT, CT, LDCT, MT, MUST, UST, IT, NT, SLT, PT, COLT: Free; GPT: 6%

3. The following numbers remain the same but the related text has been amended.

Tariff Item 9995.00.00

Woven fabrics, whether or not embroidered, solely of single cotton varns, measuring 70 decitex or more but not exceeding 150 decitex, having a sum of yarns per 10 cm in the warp and the weft of 790 or more, with an air permeability not exceeding 5.0 cm³/cm²-s-1 as determined by CAN/CGSB-4.2 No. 36-M89, for use in the manufacture of shells for duvets, featherbeds and pillows filled solely with "commercial landfowl feather", "commercial waterfowl feather", or



"commercial down" or any combination thereof, as defined in the *Textile Labelling and Advertising Regulations*, or synthetic staple fibres of Chapter 55.

Shells, made of fabrics of Chapter 52, 54, 55, 58 or 60, for use in the manufacture of duvets, featherbeds and pillows filled solely as described above.

Tariff Item 9996.00.00

Woven fabrics, unbleached or bleached, solely of single cotton yarns, measuring 151 decitex or more but not exceeding 300 decitex, having a sum of yarns per 10 cm in the warp and the weft of 790 or more, with an air permeability not exceeding 5.0 cm³/cm²-s-1 as determined by CAN/CGSB-4.2 No. 36-M89, for use in the manufacture of shells for featherbeds and pillows filled solely with one of the following:

- (a) "commercial landfowl feather" or "commercial waterfowl feather", or any combination of the two, as defined in the *Textile Labelling and Advertising Regulations*;
- (b) 85% or more by weight of "commercial waterfowl feather" mixed solely with "commercial down", as defined in the Regulations;
- (c) 85% or more by weight of "commercial landfowl feather" mixed solely with "commercial down", as defined in the Regulations;

- (d) 85% of more by weight of a combination of "commercial waterfowl feather" and "commercial landfowl feather" mixed solely with "commercial down", as defined in the Regulations; or
- (e) synthetic staple fibres of Chapter 55.

Shells, made of fabrics of Chapter 52, 54, 55, 58 or 60, for use in the manufacture of featherbeds and pillows filled solely as described above.

- 4. All these have been posted to the Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) Web site at http://www.cbsa-asfc.gc.ca/trade-commerce/tariff-tarif/2012/menu-eng.html.
- 5. For certainty regarding the tariff classification of a product, importers may request an advance ruling on tariff classification. Details on how to make such a request are found in CBSA Memorandum D11-11-3, *Advance Rulings for Tariff Classification*, which is found on the CBSA Web site.
- 6. For more information, within Canada, call the Border Information Service at **1-800-461-9999**. From outside Canada call 204-983-3500 or 506-636-5064. Long distance charges will apply. Agents are available Monday to Friday (08:00 16:00 local time/except holidays). TTY is also available within Canada: **1-866-335-3237**.



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