

DECISION No 1/86 OF THE EEC-SWITZERLAND JOINT COMMITTEE
of 17 March 1986

supplementing and amending Lists A and B annexed to Protocol No 3 concerning the definition
of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation

THE JOINT COMMITTEE,

Article 2

Having regard to the Agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation signed in Brussels on 22 July 1972,

Having regard to Protocol No 3 concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative cooperation (hereinafter referred to as 'Protocol No 3'), and in particular Article 28 thereof,

Whereas experience has shown that the rules of origin laid down for certain products in Protocol No 3 must be adapted to take account of the evolution of techniques in the manufacture of those products and international economic conditions concerning trade therein,

List B annexed to Protocol No 3 shall be amended as follows:

- in the rule which appears in the third column at the beginning of the List, the expression 'Nos 97.07 and 98.03' shall be replaced by 'Nos 97.06, 97.07, 98.03 and 98.10',
- headings ex 22.09, ex 25.04, 29.35, ex 71.12, ex 71.16 and ex 98.10 and the corresponding entries as set out in Annex II to this Decision shall be inserted,
- the entries for ex Chapters 28 to 37 and heading ex 43.02 shall be replaced by those given in Annex II to this Decision.

Article 3

HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

This Decision shall enter into force on 1 April 1986.

Article 1

In List A annexed to Protocol No 3, the entries for headings 19.05, 37.01, 43.03, first ex 59.02, 59.03, both ex 59.17, 65.03, 65.05 and ex 96.01 shall be replaced by those set out in Annex I to this Decision.

Done at Brussels, 17 March 1986.

For the Joint Committee

The Chairman

C. JAGMETTI

ANNEX I

Products obtained		Working or processing that does not confer the status of originating products	Working or processing that confers the status of originating products when the following conditions are met
CCT heading No	Description		
19.05	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products (puffed rice, cornflakes and similar products)		Only manufacture from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — maize of the type 'Zea indurata', — durum wheat, — products falling within Chapter 17, provided their value does not exceed 30% of the value of the finished product, — the following used as additives: vitamins, mineral salts, chemicals and natural or other substances or preparations
ex 37.01	Photographic plates and film in the flat, sensitized, unexposed, of any material other than paper, paperboard or cloth, with the exception of colour instant film packs		Manufacture from products other than those falling within heading No 37.02 ⁽¹⁾
ex 37.01	Colour instant film packs		Manufacture from products of heading No 37.02, provided their value does not exceed 30% of the value of the finished product or from all other products ⁽¹⁾
43.03	Articles of furskin	Making up from furskins in plates, crosses and similar forms, of heading No 43.02 ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾	
ex 59.02 ⁽³⁾	Felt and articles of felt, with the exception of needled felt, whether or not impregnated or coated		Manufacture either from natural fibres or from casein fibres or from chemical products or textile pulp
59.03 ⁽³⁾	Bonded fibre fabrics, similar bonded yarn fabrics, and articles of such fabrics, whether or not impregnated or coated		Manufacture either from natural fibres or from chemical products or textile pulp ⁽⁴⁾
59.17	Textile fabrics and textile articles, of a kind commonly used in machinery or plant ⁽³⁾ except for those described below:		Manufacture from materials of heading Nos 50.01 to 50.03, 53.01 to 53.05, 54.01, 55.01 to 55.04, 56.01 to 56.03 or 57.01 to 57.04 or from chemical products or textile pulp

⁽¹⁾ These provisions do not apply where the products are obtained from products which have acquired the status of originating products in accordance with the conditions laid down in List B.

⁽²⁾ This rule does not apply to the use of plates, crosses and similar forms of Suzluki, grey Siberian squirrel and hamster furs until 31 March 1990.

⁽³⁾ For products composed of two or more textile materials, the conditions shown in column 4 must be met in respect of each of the textile materials of which the mixed product is composed. This rule, however, does not apply to any one or more mixed textile materials whose weight does not exceed 10% of the total weight of textile materials incorporated. This percentage shall be increased:

- to 20% where the material in question is yarn made of polyurethane segmented with flexible segments of polyether, whether or not gimped, falling within heading Nos ex 51.01 and ex 58.07,
- to 30% where the material in question is yarn of a width not exceeding 5 mm formed of a core consisting either of a thin strip of aluminium or of a film of artificial plastic material whether or not covered with aluminium powder, this core having been inserted and glued by means of a transparent or coloured glue between two films of artificial plastic material.

⁽⁴⁾ For filter masks manufacture from undrawn polyester fibres is permitted. This special provision shall apply until 31 March 1988.

CCT heading No	Products obtained		Working or processing that does not confer the status of originating products	Working or processing that confers the status of originating products when the following conditions are met
	Description			
59.17 (cont'd)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> — woven fabrics, of a kind commonly used in paper-making or other machinery, felted or not, whether or not impregnated or coated, tubular or endless with single or multiple warp and/or weft, or flat woven with multiple warp and/or weft ⁽¹⁾ — polishing discs or rings, other than of felt 		<p>Manufacture from the above or:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — yarn of polytetrafluoroethylene ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ — yarn, multiple, of polyamide, coated, impregnated or covered with a phenolic resin ⁽²⁾ — yarn of synthetic textile fibres of aromatic polyamides, obtained by polycondensation of m-phenylenediamine and isophthalic acid ⁽²⁾ — monofil of polytetrafluoroethylene ⁽²⁾ ⁽³⁾ — yarn of synthetic textile fibres of poly-p-phenylenes terephthalamide ⁽²⁾ — glass fibre yarn, coated with phenol resin and gimped with acrylic yarn ⁽²⁾ <p>Manufacture from yarn or from waste fabrics or rags of heading No 63.02</p>	
65.03	Felt hats and other felt headgear, being headgear made from the felt hoods and plateaux falling within heading No 65.01, whether or not lined or trimmed		Manufacture from textile fibres ⁽⁴⁾	
65.05	Hats and other headgear (including hair nets), knitted or crocheted, or made up from lace, felt or other textile fabric in the piece (but not from strips), whether or not lined or trimmed		Manufacture from yarn or textile fibres ⁽⁴⁾	
ex 96.01	Other brooms and brushes (including brushes of a kind used as parts of machines); paint rollers; squeegees (other than roller squeegees) and mops; excluding brushes made from marten or squirrel hair		Manufacture in which the value of the products used does not exceed 50 % of the value of the finished product	

(1) For products composed of two or more textile materials, the conditions shown in column 4 must be met in respect of each of the textile materials of which the mixed product is composed. This rule, however, does not apply to any one or more mixed textile materials whose weight does not exceed 10 % of the total weight of textile materials incorporated. This percentage shall be increased:

- to 20 % where the material in question is yarn made of polyurethane segmented with flexible segments of polyether, whether or not gimped, falling within heading Nos ex 51.01 and ex 58.07,
- to 30 % where the material in question is yarn of a width not exceeding 5 mm formed of a core consisting either of a thin strip of aluminium or of a film of artificial plastic material whether or not covered with aluminium powder, this core having been inserted and glued by means of a transparent or coloured glue between two films of artificial plastic material.

(2) This provision shall apply until 31 March 1991.

(3) The use of this material is restricted to the manufacture of woven fabrics of a kind used in paper-making machinery.

(4) Trimmings and accessories used (excluding linings and interlining) which change tariff heading do not remove the originating status of the product obtained if their weight does not exceed 10 % of the total weight of all the textile materials incorporated.

ANNEX II

Finished products		Working or processing that confers the status of originating products
CCT heading No	Description of product	
ex 22.09	Spirits, excluding rum, arrack, tafia, gin, whisky, vodka with ethyl alcohol content of 45,2° or less and plum, pear and cherry brandy, containing eggs or egg yolk and/or sugar (sucrose or invert sugar)	Manufacture from arrack provided that the products used do not exceed 5 % by volume of the finished product
ex 25.04	Natural crystalline graphite, with enriched carbon content, purified and ground	Enriching of the carbon content, purifying and grinding of crystalline crude graphite
ex Chapter 28 to 37	Products of the chemical and allied industries excluding sulphuric anhydride (ex 28.13) heterocyclic compounds, nucleic acids (29.35), tannins (ex 32.01), essential oils, resinoids and terpenic by-products (ex 33.01), prepared enzymes not elsewhere specified or included (ex 35.07)	Working or processing in which the value of the non-originating products used does not exceed 20 % of the value of the finished product
29.35	Heterocyclic compounds; nucleic acids: — lactams other than 6-hexanolactam (epsilon caprolactam), 6-aminopenicillanic acid, 7-aminocephalosporanic acid and 7-aminodesacetoxycephalosporanic acid; monoazepines; diazepines; azocines (whether or not hydrogenated); compounds containing a phenothiazine ring system (whether or not hydrogenated), not further fused; monothiamonoazepines; monothiins; monooxamonoazines; monooxamonoazoles (whether or not hydrogenated) — other	Working or processing in which the value of the non-originating products used does not exceed 30 % of the value of the finished product ⁽¹⁾
ex 43.02	Assembled furskins	Bleaching or dyeing, in addition to cutting and assembly, of non-assembled tanned or dressed furskins
ex 71.12	Wristwatch bracelets of rolled precious metal	Manufacture in which the value of the non-originating materials used does not exceed 40 % of the value of the finished product
ex 71.16	Wristwatch bracelets of base metal, whether or not gold-plated or silver-plated	Manufacture in which the value of the non-originating materials used does not exceed 40 % of the value of the finished product
ex 98.10	Lighters with piezo-igniter	Working, processing or assembly in which the value of the non-originating material and parts used do not exceed 30 % of the value of the finished product

⁽¹⁾ This provision shall apply until 31 March 1991.