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CORRIGENDUM TO THE THIRD EDITION (2002) OF THE HS EXPLANATORY NOTES

(Item II.11 on Agenda)

I. BACKGROUND

- 1. Since the publication of the Third Edition (2002) of the HS Explanatory Notes, the Secretariat has drafted working documents for and reports of the Scientific Sub-Committee, the Review Sub-Committee and the Harmonized System Committee by reference to that new edition (as well as the 2002 legal texts). Other HS-related publications (e.g., the Alphabetical Index) are also being reviewed on that basis.
- 2. In the course of the aforementioned work, the Secretariat has found certain typing or printing errors in the 2002 Explanatory Notes. Certain errors were carried over from the 1996 version.
- 3. Also, during the review of the Alphabetical Index in the context of HS 2002, the Secretariat has noticed that cross-references to heading 41.10 were not corrected in the HS 2002 edition of the Explanatory Notes for headings 31.01 and 35.04.

II. SECRETARIAT COMMENTS

4. As was done in the past for purposes of Amending Supplement No. 4 to the HS Explanatory Notes (February 1989), most of the editorial errors can be corrected by hand (see Annex II (French) and Annex III (English) hereto). Several errors are substantial in detail and should be corrected by replacement pages. Legally, these latter corrections do not require acceptance via the Article 8 (Corrigendum) Procedure but, for practical reasons, the Secretariat has found it appropriate to insert them in the next Amending Supplement (see Annex I).

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5. Referring to paragraph 3 above, the content of heading 41.10 (HS 1996) has been transferred to heading 41.15 as from 1 January 2002, and any references to heading 41.10 (HS 1996) in the Explanatory Notes should, therefore, have been adapted to that new situation. Unfortunately, when preparing the HS 2002 Explanatory Notes, the Secretariat overlooked the cross-references to heading 41.10 in the Explanatory Notes to headings 31.01 and 35.04. To rectify this situation, draft amendments are also set out in Annex I.

III. CONCLUSION

- 6. The Committee is invited to adopt the draft amendments to the Explanatory Notes (to be made by Corrigendum) as set out in Annex I to this document.
- 7. The Committee is also invited to note that the correction of the editorial errors found in the 2002 Explanatory Notes will be included in the next Amending Supplement to the Explanatory Notes as an Erratum (Annex II (French) and Annex III (English)).

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ERRATUM

HS Explanatory Notes - Third Edition (2002)

Corrections to be made by hand

VOLUME 1

Cover page. Second line.

Delete "system" and substitute "System".

Page 34. GENERAL. First paragraph after Item (G). Seventh line.

Delete "neccessary" and substitute "necessary".

Page 88. Heading 11.06. Item (B). Second paragraph (exclusion). Penultimate line.

Delete "betwen" and substitute "between".

Page 199. Heading 23.06. First paragraph. First line.

Delete "redidues" and substitute "residues".

VOLUME 2

Cover page. Second line.

Delete "system" and substitute "System".

Page 583. Heading 31.03. Item (B). Second line.

Delete "paragraphe" and substitute "paragraph".

<u>Page 594. Heading 32.04. Subheading Explanatory Note. Last paragraph. Penultimate line.</u>

Delete "aftertreatment" and substitute "after treatment".

Page 616. Heading 33.01. Item (C). Second line.

Delete "fractional distillation" and substitute "fractional distillation".

Page 764. Heading 40.10. Second paragraph. Second line.

Delete "e.g., warp" and substitute "e.g., warp".

Page 767. Heading 40.11. Text of subheading 4011.50.

Delete "bicyles" and substitute "bicycles".

Annex III to Doc. NC0524E1 (HSC/29/May 2002)

Page 797. Chapter 43. GENERAL. Firts paragraph. Item (4).

Delete "therof" and substitute "thereof".

Page 798. Heading 43.02. Text of subheading 4302.13. Second line.

Delete "Mongoliam" and substitute "Mongolian".

Page 876. Heading 48.03. First paragraph. Item (1). Second line.

Delete "purposes. However" and substitute "purposes. However".

Page 882. Heading 48.08. Last paragraph.

(1) Second line.

Delete "e.g., : cement" and substitute "e.g., cement".

(2) Fourth line.

Delete "(heading 48.03). Products" and substitute "(heading 48.03). Products".

Page 1061. Heading 61.09. First paragraph. Penultimate line.

Delete "process. The" and substitute "process. The".

VOLUME 3

Cover page. Second line.

Delete "system" and substitute "System".

Page 1126. Heading 68.04. Item (4) Fourth paragraph. Second line.

Delete "specialy" and substitute "specially".

Page 1171. Heading 70.19. Third paragraph. Item (I). First paragraph. Third line.

Delete "platium" and substitute "platinum".

Page 1256. Subheading Explanatory Note 7304.10, 7304.21 and 7304.29. Second line.

Delete "e.g., American" and substitute "e.g., American".

Page 1279. Heading 73.24. Third paragraph. First line.

Delete "whash" and substitute "wash".

Page 1397. Heading 84.01. Item (4). Second line.

Delete "uranium, uranium-thorium" and substitute "uranium, uranium-thorium".

Page 1471. Heading 84.30. Part (V). First line.

Delete "ection" and substitute "Section".

Page 1548. Heading 84.59.

(1) First paragraph. Fist line

Delete "mach ines" and substitute "machines".

(2) <u>Item (2). Last paragraph. Third line</u>

Delete "hand, lathes" and substitute "hand, lathes".

Page 1569. Heading 84.68. Part (B). First line.

Delete "handoperated" and substitute "hand-operated".

Page 1576. Heading 84.71. Part (A). Penultimate paragraph. Second line.

Delete "units. They" and substitute "units. They".

Page 1610. Heading 84.83. Text of subheading 8483.40. Second line.

Delete "separately;ball" and substitute "separately; ball".

VOLUME 4

Cover page. Second line.

Delete "system" and substitute "System".

Page 1889. CHAPTER 94. Note (4). Second line.

Delete "a ssembled" and substitute "assembled".

Page 1908. Heading 94.05. Last paragraph of Part (I). First line.

Delete "e.g," and substitute "e.g.,".

Page 1910. Heading 94.06. First paragraph. Last line.

Delete "cupboards, etc." and substitute "cupboards, etc.".

Annex III to Doc. NC0524E1 (HSC/29/May 2002)

Page 1916. Heading 95.04. Item (6). Third line.

Delete "e.g., machines" and substitute "e.g., machines".