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## AMENDMENTS TO THE COMPENDIUM OF CLASSIFICATION OPINIONS ARISING FROM THE CLASSIFICATION OF A MIXED GREASE PRODUCT IN SUBHEADING 1517.90

(Item VII.2 on Agenda)

Reference documents :

NC0421E1 (HSC/27) NC0510E2, Annex H/1 (HSC/28 - Report)

#### I. BACKGROUND

- 1. At its 28<sup>th</sup> Session, the Harmonized System Committee examined the classification of a mixed grease product consisting of 80 to 90 % rendered pork fat (lard) and 10 to 20 % beef tallow. The Committee unanimously agreed to classify this product in heading 15.17 (subheading 1517.90), by application of GIR 1 (text of heading 15.17).
- 2. In order to reflect this decision, and at the request from the US Delegate, the Committee instructed the Secretariat to prepare a draft Classification Opinion for examination by the next presessional Working Party.

#### II. SECRETARIAT COMMENT

- 3. Acting on the Committee's instructions, the Secretariat has prepared and appended a draft Classification Opinion for the mixed grease product in question.
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### III. CONCLUSION

4. The Committee is invited to approve the appended amendments to the Compendium of Classification Opinions once they have been finalized by the presessional Working Party.

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