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POSSIBLE AMENDMENT OF THE EXPLANATORY NOTE TO HEADING 25.05 AND OF THE GENERAL EXPLANATORY NOTE TO CHAPTER 69

(Item VII.4 on Agenda)

Reference documents:

NR0396E1 (RSC/27) NR0400E3, Annexes D/17, F/10 and F/11 (RSC/27 – Report) NC0671E1 (HSC/31) NC0730E2, Annexes F/1 and M/16 (HSC/31 – Report)

I. BACKGROUND

- 1. At its 31st Session, the Committee approved amendments to the Explanatory Notes with respect to the spelling of "feldspar", resulting from the 27th Session of the HS Review Sub-Committee.
- 2. In this connection, the Secretariat found that two references to derivatives of the word "feldspar" had been overlooked. It concerned references to "felspathic" and "felspathoïds" in the Explanatory Note to heading 25.05 and in the General Explanatory Note to Chapter 69, respectively.

II. SECRETARIAT COMMENTS

3. The Secretariat has prepared possible amendments to the Explanatory Notes, which would supplement those already adopted by the Committee at its 31st Session.

III. CONCLUSION

4. The Committee is invited to examine the proposed amendments to the Explanatory Note to heading 25.05 and the General Explanatory Note to Chapter 69, as set out in the Annex to this document.

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