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CUSTOMS NOTICE 657

Advance Rulings for Tariff Classification and National Customs Rulings Affected by Amendments to the 2007 *Customs Tariff*

1. The recently published 2007 version of the Departmental Consolidation of the *Customs Tariff* contains a number of amendments designed to bring into effect changes to the text of the internationally recognized Harmonized System (HS) that forms the basis for Canada's Tariff and those of most of the world's trading nations.

2. As a result, you may find that the classification numbers shown on Advance Rulings for Tariff Classification and National Customs Rulings (NCRs) issued to you in the past are no longer valid. To determine whether the classification numbers remain valid, you will need to review the 2007 *Customs Tariff*. If the number is no longer in effect, please contact the CBSA office, which issued the ruling, and officials there will replace your ruling with one with classification numbers valid for 2007.

3. The Tariff is currently available on the CBSA's Internet site at www.cbsa.gc.ca/general/publications/.

Concordance tables may also be found on the Web site to assist you in the conversion from 2006 to 2007.

4. For further information, please contact:

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