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02.05 General

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.07 Statistics

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.10 General customs rules

52004PC0466

Proposal for a Council Regulation on special conditions for trade with those areas of the Republic of Cyprus in which the Government of the Republic of Cyprus does not exercise effective control

52010PC0018

Proposal for a Council Decision XX authorising Member States to accede to the Convention relating to international exhibitions signed at Paris on 22 November 1928 and supplemented by the Protocols of 10 May 1948, 16 November 1966, 30 November 1972 and the Amendment of 24 June 1982 and the Amendment of 31 May 1988 EN .

52009PC0260

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee established by the Agreement on the European Economic Area on the adaptation of Protocols 10 and 37 on simplification of inspections and formalities in respect of carriage of goods

52011PC0706

Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing an action programme for customs and taxation in the European Union for the period 2014-2020 (FISCUS) and repealing Decisions N°1482/2007/EC and N°624/2007/EC



02.10.10 Common customs territory

52023PC0258

Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing the Union Customs Code and the European Union Customs Authority, and repealing Regulation (EU) No 952/2013



02.10.20 Procedures for presentation and clearance

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.10.30 Definition of declarant

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.10.40 Customs debt inception, exigibility and extinction

51976PC0596

Amendments to the Proposal for a Council Directive on the harmonization of provisions laid down by law regulation or administrative action relating to customs debt (submitted to the Council by the Commission in application of Article 149, second subparagraph of the EEC Treaty)



02.10.50 Carry-over of duties

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.10.60 Recovery or remission of duties

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.10.70 Post-clearance collection of duties

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.10.80 Information binding the administration

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.20 Basic customs instruments

52023PC0258

Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing the Union Customs Code and the European Union Customs Authority, and repealing Regulation (EU) No 952/2013

52004PC0466

Proposal for a Council Regulation on special conditions for trade with those areas of the Republic of Cyprus in which the Government of the Republic of Cyprus does not exercise effective control

52009PC0260

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee established by the Agreement on the European Economic Area on the adaptation of Protocols 10 and 37 on simplification of inspections and formalities in respect of carriage of goods



02.20.10 Customs tariffs

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.20.10.10 Common Customs Tariff

52025PC0034

Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on the modification of customs duties applicable to imports of certain goods originating in or exported directly or indirectly from the Russian Federation and the Republic of Belarus

52023PC0259

Proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION amending Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 as regards the introduction of a simplified tariff treatment for the distance sales of goods and Regulation (EC) No 1186/2009 as regards the elimination of the customs duty relief threshold



02.20.10.20 ECSC unified tariff

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.20.10.30 European Community's integrated tariff (TARIC)

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.20.20 Value for customs purposes

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.20.30 Origin of goods

52010PC0038

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Union within the Association Council created by the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Arab Republic of Egypt, of the other part, with regard to the amendment of Annex II of Protocol 4, concerning the list of working or processing required to be carried out on non-originating materials in order that the product manufactured can obtain originating status, pursuant to the entry into force of the Harmonised System 2007



02.20.30.10 Common definition used in non-preferential traffic

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.20.30.20 Rules of origin defined in the context of preferential arrangements

52005PC0527

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee on a recommendation on the re-importation of originating products and on the acceptance by the Contracting Parties of simplified proofs of origin, made out by approved exporters, to the Agreement between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the Swiss Confederation, of the other part



02.20.30.21 EFTA countries

52005PC0527

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee on a recommendation on the re-importation of originating products and on the acceptance by the Contracting Parties of simplified proofs of origin, made out by approved exporters, to the Agreement between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the Swiss Confederation, of the other part



02.20.30.22 Mediterranean countries

52013PC0729

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the European Union within the Association Council established by the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an association between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Republic of Tunisia, of the other part, as regards the amendment of Article 15(7) of Protocol No 4 to that Agreement, concerning the definition of the concept of "originating products" and methods of administrative cooperation



02.20.30.23 ACP states and OCT

51988PC0687(01)

DRAFT DECISION OF THE ACP-EEC CUSTOMS COOPERATION COMMITTEE
DEROGATING FROM THE DEFINITION OF THE CONCEPT OF ' ORIGINATING PRODUCTS
' TO TAKE ACCOUNT OF THE SPECIAL SITUATION OF MAURITIUS WITH REGARD TO ITS
PRODUCTION OF CANNED TUNA



02.20.30.25 Countries benefiting from the system of generalised preferences

52007PC0252

Proposal for a Council Decision on the accession of the European Communities to the World Customs Organisation and the exercise of rights and obligations akin to membership ad interim



02.30 Application of the Common Customs Tariff

52004PC0466

Proposal for a Council Regulation on special conditions for trade with those areas of the Republic of Cyprus in which the Government of the Republic of Cyprus does not exercise effective control

52009PC0260

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee established by the Agreement on the European Economic Area on the adaptation of Protocols 10 and 37 on simplification of inspections and formalities in respect of carriage of goods



02.30.10 Tariff classification

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.20 Particular destinations

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.30 Tariff derogations

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.30.10 Tariff suspensions

52012PC0700

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION concerning the position of the European Union within the EU-Algeria Association Committee on the implementation of the provisions concerning the industrial products set out in Articles 9 and 11 of the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement establishing an Association between the European Community and its Member States, of the one part, and the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria, of the other part



02.30.30.20 Tariff quotas

52008PC0797

Proposal for a Council Regulation amending Regulation (EC) No 2505/96 opening and providing for the administration of autonomous Community tariff quotas for certain agricultural and industrial products



02.30.30.30 Tariff ceilings

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.30.40 Reintroduction of customs duties

52025PC0027

Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL amending Regulation (EU) 2018/196 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 7 February 2018 on additional customs duties on imports of certain products originating in the United States of America

52015PC0350

Amended proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on additional customs duties on imports of certain products originating in the United States of America (codification)

52016PC0408

Amended proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on additional customs duties on imports of certain products originating in the United States of America (codification)

52017PC0361

Amended proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL on additional customs duties on imports of certain products originating in the United States of America (codification)



02.30.40 Standard rate of duty

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.50 Reliefs from duty

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.50.10 Returned goods

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.50.20 Victualling procedures

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.30.50.30 Other reliefs from duty

51979PC0029

Amendment to the proposal for a COUNCIL REGULATION on temporary importation arrangements (submitted to the Council by the Commission pursuant to Article 149 (2) of the EEC Treaty)



02.40 Specific customs rules

51973PC1279

AMENDMENT of the proposal for a Regulation of the Council concerning the duty to be applied to goods purchased by passengers from airport-shops and on board airplanes, ships or hovercraft providing connections between two or more Member States (presented by the Commission to the Council pursuant to the second paragraph of Article 149 of the EEC Treaty)

52010PC0018

Proposal for a Council Decision XX authorising Member States to accede to the Convention relating to international exhibitions signed at Paris on 22 November 1928 and supplemented by the Protocols of 10 May 1948, 16 November 1966, 30 November 1972 and the Amendment of 24 June 1982 and the Amendment of 31 May 1988 EN .

52007PC0252

Proposal for a Council Decision on the accession of the European Communities to the World Customs Organisation and the exercise of rights and obligations akin to membership ad interim

52009PC0260

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee established by the Agreement on the European Economic Area on the adaptation of Protocols 10 and 37 on simplification of inspections and formalities in respect of carriage of goods



02.40.10 Movement of goods

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.10.10 Free movement of goods

52015PC0512

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union within the Administrative Committee for the TIR Convention as regards the proposal to amend the Customs Convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets



02.40.10.11 Community transit

52024PC0071

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a common transit procedure as regards amendments to that Convention

52013PC0467

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, in the EU-EFTA Joint Committee concerning the adoption of a Decision amending the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a common transit procedure (adaptations resulting from the accession of Croatia to the Union)

52015PC0417

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the European Union concerning the adoption of a Decision by the EU-EFTA Joint Committee on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods and a Decision by the EU-EFTA Joint Committee on common transit as regards invitations to the Republic of Serbia to accede to the Convention on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods and the Convention on a common transit procedure

52016PC0133

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the Joint Committee set up by the Convention on a common transit procedure as regards amendments to that Convention

52017PC0609

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union within the Joint Committee set up by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a common transit procedure as regards the proposals for amendments to that Convention

52015PC0420

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the European Union in the EU-EFTA Joint Committee on common transit as regards the adoption of a Decision amending the Convention on a common transit procedure

52018PC0576

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods and in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a common transit procedure as regards an invitation to the United Kingdom to accede to those Conventions

52018PC0601

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a common transit procedure as regards amendments to that Convention

52022PC0345



Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods and in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a Common transit procedure as regards invitations to the Ukraine to accede to those Conventions



02.40.10.12 Other arrangements concerning movement of goods

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.10.13 Turkey

52024PC0559

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the EU–Türkiye Customs Cooperation Committee established under the Association Agreement between the European Community and Turkey as regards the adoption of a decision on the use of A.TR movement certificates issued electronically

52005PC0492

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position in the EC - Turkey Association Council on the implementation of Article 9 of Decision No 1/95 of the EC-Turkey Association Council on implementing the final phase of the Customs Union

52005PC0652

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position in the EC-Turkey Association Council on the amendment of Protocols 1 and 2 of Decision No 1/98 of the EC Turkey Association Council on the trade regime for agricultural products

52006PC0808

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position in the EC-Turkey Association Council on the amendment of the trade concessions for processed agricultural products covered by Decision No 1/95 of the EC-Turkey Association Council on implementing the final phase of the Customs Union and by Decision No 1/97 of the EC-Turkey Association Council on the arrangements applicable to certain processed agricultural products

51996PC0677

Proposal for a Council Decision on a common Community position within the EC-Turkey Association Council establishing the list of Community instruments abolishing technical barriers to trade and the conditions and arrangements governing their implementation by Turkey

52006PC0259

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the EC-Turkey Customs Co-operation Committee on the adoption of a Decision laying down detailed rules for the application of Decision No 1/95 of the EC-Turkey Association Council



02.40.10.20 Extra-Community trade: EFTA agreements

52013PC0467

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, in the EU-EFTA Joint Committee concerning the adoption of a Decision amending the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a common transit procedure (adaptations resulting from the accession of Croatia to the Union)

52015PC0417

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken by the European Union concerning the adoption of a Decision by the EU-EFTA Joint Committee on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods and a Decision by the EU-EFTA Joint Committee on common transit as regards invitations to the Republic of Serbia to accede to the Convention on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods and the Convention on a common transit procedure

52010PC0044

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Union within the Joint Committee created by the Agreement between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the Republic of Iceland, of the other part, with regard to the amendment of Annex II of Protocol 3, concerning the list of working or processing required to be carried out on non-originating materials in order that the product manufactured can obtain originating status, pursuant to the entry into force of the Harmonised System 2007 (Text with EEA relevance)

52008PC0362

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee established by the agreement between the European Economic Community and the Swiss Confederation of 22 July 1972 on the adaptation of Protocol No 3, concerning the definition of the concept of 'originating products' and methods of administrative co-operation, pursuant to the 2007 enlargement of the European Union

52022PC0345

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods and in the EU-CTC Joint Committee established by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on a Common transit procedure as regards invitations to the Ukraine to accede to those Conventions

52010PC0033

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Union within the Joint Committee created by the Agreement between the European Economic Community, of the one part, and the Kingdom of Norway, of the other part, with regard to the amendment of Annex II of Protocol 3, concerning the list of working or processing required to be carried out on non-originating materials in order that the product manufactured can obtain originating status, pursuant to the entry into force of the Harmonised System 2007 (Text with EEA relevance)

52017PC0593

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union within the Joint Committee set up by the Convention of 20 May 1987 on the simplification of formalities in trade in goods as regard the proposals for amendments to that Convention



52004PC0546

Proposal for a Council Decision on a Community position within the Joint Committee on the adaptation of Protocol No 3, concerning the definition of "originating products" and methods of administrative co-operation, set out in the Agreement between the European Economic Community, and the Swiss Confederation pursuant to the enlargement of the European Union



02.40.10.30 Export procedures

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.10.40 Elimination of barriers to trade

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.20 Economic customs arrangements

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.20.10 Inward processing

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.20.20 Outward processing and harmonisation of standard trade

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.20.30 Free zones, bonded warehouses, handling

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.40.20.40 Other economic customs arrangements

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.50 Mutual assistance

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.50.10 In the application of customs or agricultural rules

51977PC0384

Amended proposal REGULATION (EEC) OF THE COUNCIL on certain measures to prevent abuses resulting from the sale of agricultural products on board ship (submitted to the Council by the Commission)



02.50.20 For the recovery of claims in customs or agriculture

51973PC0936

MODIFICATION of the proposal of the Council Directive concerning mutual assistance on the subject of recovery of sums paid in error in connection with the Common Agricultural Policy, and of agricultural levies and customs duties (Presented by the Commission to the Council pursuant to the second paragraph of Article 149 of the EEC Treaty)



02.60 Proceedings and penalties

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.60.10 Settlement of disputes

There are no documents in this chapter.



02.60.20 Prevention of infringements of Community law

52013PC0282

COMMUNICATION FROM THE COMMISSION TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT pursuant to Article 294(6) of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union concerning the position of the Council on the adoption of a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning customs enforcement of intellectual property rights



02.70 International customs cooperation

52008PC0476

Proposal for a Council Decision concerning the Community position within the EU-Morocco Association Council on the implementation of Article 84 of the Euro-Mediterranean Agreement between the European Communities and their Member States, of the one part, and the Kingdom of Morocco, of the other part, in order to set up a customs cooperation committee and amend the rules of procedure of certain subcommittees and working groups of the Association Committee

52011PC0937

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on a Union position within the EU-U.S. Joint Customs Cooperation Committee regarding mutual recognition of the Authorised Economic Operator Programme of the European Union and the Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism Program of the United States

52014PC0106

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted, on behalf of the European Union, in the EU-China Joint Customs Cooperation Committee regarding mutual recognition of the Authorised Economic Operator Programme in the European Union and the Measures on Classified Management of Enterprises Program in the People's Republic of China

52024PC0227

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the Administrative Committee for the Customs Convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR Carnets as regards the proposal to amend the Convention

52005PC0138

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Community concerning the proposal to amend the International Convention on the Harmonisation of Frontier Controls of Goods 1982

52008PC0028

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Community concerning the proposal to amend the Customs Convention on the International Transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets (TIR Convention 1975)

52010PC0148

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the European Union within the Administrative Committee established by the International Convention on the Harmonization of Frontier Controls of Goods on the proposal to amend that Convention with a new Annex on the facilitation of borders crossing procedures for international rail freight

52019PC0124

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the World Customs Organization in relation to the Harmonised System

52015PC0512



Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union within the Administrative Committee for the TIR Convention as regards the proposal to amend the Customs Convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets

51989PC0008

RECOMMENDATION FOR A COUNCIL DECISION ON COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION IN NEGOTIATIONS FOR THE REVISION OF THE CUSTOMS CONVENTIONS ON THE TEMPORARY IMPORTATION OF PRIVATE ROAD VEHICLES (1954) AND COMMERCIAL ROAD VEHICLES (1956)

52017PC0408

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be adopted on behalf of the European Union within the Administrative Committee for the TIR Convention as regards the proposal to amend the Customs Convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets

52009PC0587

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Community concerning the proposal to amend the Customs Convention on the International Transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets (TIR Convention 1975)

52009PC0367

Proposal for a Council Decision relating to the position to be taken in the Cooperation Committee established by the Agreement on Cooperation and Customs Union between the European Economic Community and the Republic of San Marino in order to adopt the "omnibus" decision

52019PC0262

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union in the World Customs Organization Council in relation to a WCO Article 16 Recommendation amending the Harmonised System

52019PC0131

Proposal for a COUNCIL DECISION on the position to be taken on behalf of the European Union within the Administrative Committee for the TIR Convention as regards the proposal to amend the Customs Convention on the international transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets

52008PC0849

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Community concerning the proposal to amend the customs Convention on the International Transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets (TIR Convention 1975)

52007PC0596

Proposal for a Council Decision on the position to be taken by the Community concerning the proposal to amend the Customs Convention on the International Transport of goods under cover of TIR carnets (TIR Convention 1975)