COMMISSION REGULATION (EC) No 884/94

of 20 April 1994

concerning the classification of certain goods in the combined nomenclature

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 of 23 July 1987 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Customs Tariff (1), as last amended by Commission Regulation (EC) No 882/94 (2), and in particular Article 9 thereof,

Whereas in order to ensure uniform application of the combined nomenclature annexed to the said Regulation, it is necessary to adopt measures concerning the classification of the goods referred to in the Annex to this Regulation;

Whereas Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 has set down the general rules for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature and those rules also apply to any other nomenclature which is wholly or partly based on it or which adds any additional subdivision to it and which is established by specific Community provisions, with a view to the application of tariff and other measures relating to trade in goods;

Whereas, pursuant to the said general rules, the goods described in column 1 of the table annexed to the present Regulation must be classified under the appropriate CN codes indicated in column 2, by virtue of the reasons set out in column 3;

Whereas it is accepted that binding tariff information issued by the customs authorities of Member States in respect of the classification of goods in the combined

nomenclature and which do not conform to the rights established by this Regulation, can continue to be invoked, under the provisions in Article 12 (6) of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 of 12 October 1992 establishing the Community Customs Code (3), for a period of three months by the holder;

Whereas the measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Tariff and Statistical Nomenclature Section of the Customs Code Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The goods described in column 1 of the annexed table are now classified within the combined nomenclature under the appropriate CN codes indicated in column 2 of the said table.

Article 2

Binding tariff information issued by the customs authorities of Member States which do not conform to the rights established by this Regulation can continue to be invoked under the provisions of Article 12 (6) of Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 for a period of three months.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 21st day following its publication in the Official Journal of the European Communities.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 20 April 1994.

For the Commission
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Member of the Commission

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 256, 7. 9. 1987, p. 1. (2) See page 5 of this Official Journal.

ANNEX

| Description of goods | Classification CN code | Reason |
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| (1) | (2) | (3) |
| 1. Facsimile machine for the transmission and automatic reception of documents containing text and/or graphics via the telephone lines. Documents may be transmitted to one or multiple recipients. | 8517 82 10 | Classification is determined by the provisions of General Rules 1 and 6 for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature and the wording of CN codes 8517, 8517 82 and 8517 82 10 |
| The machine consists of a device for the dot-by-dot scanning of the original document, a modem for sending and receiving the result of the scanning and a receiver section incorporating a recording device. | | |
| The recording device my also be used for coyping documents. | | |
| A satellite receiver which converts high frequency tele- vision signals received by the satellite dish and trans- fers them in a usable form to a connected colour tele- vision receiver. | 8528 10 91 | Classification is determined by the provisions of General Rules 1 and 6 for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature and by the wording of CN codes 8528, 8528 10 and 8528 10 91 |
| The satellite receiver may incorporate a means of selecting the channels (by keyboard or remote control). | | Classification within CN code 8525 is not possible since the transfer of converted signals is not regraded as trans- mission in the sense of CN code 8525 |