

RECOMMENDATION OF THE CUSTOMS CO-OPERATION COUNCIL*
ON THE INSERTION IN NATIONAL STATISTICAL NOMENCLATURES OF SUBHEADINGS
TO FACILITATE THE MONITORING OF THE INTERNATIONAL MOVEMENT OF GOODS
REQUIRED FOR THE PRODUCTION AND USE OF
IMPROVISED EXPLOSIVE DEVICES

(14 JULY 2016)

THE CUSTOMS CO-OPERATION COUNCIL,

CONSIDERING the urgent need to monitor the international trade in goods required for the production and use of Improvised Explosive Devices,

NOTING the request of the Programme Global Shield to introduce specific subheadings in the Harmonized System in order to facilitate the monitoring of the international movement of goods required for the production and use of Improvised Explosive Devices,

TAKING INTO ACCOUNT an urgent and increasing need for Customs to assist the protection of public security,

RECOGNIZING that amendments to the Harmonized System Convention cannot be implemented for several years,

HAVING REGARD to the amendments to the Harmonized System accepted by the Contracting Parties to the Harmonized System Convention in accordance with Article 16 of that Convention, which will enter into force on 1 January 2017;

RECOMMENDS that Member Administrations and Contracting Parties to the Harmonized System Convention take all appropriate actions to insert the following additional subdivisions in their statistical nomenclatures as soon as possible :

Subheading 3603.00

- - - Safety Fuses
- - - Detonating fuses
- - - Percussion caps
- - - Detonating caps
- - - Igniters
- - - Electric detonators

and

REQUESTS Member Administrations and Contracting Parties to the Harmonized System Convention to notify the Secretary General of their acceptance of this Recommendation and of the date of its application.

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