

Application for Non-legally binding Classification Opinion

1. Applicant: (mandatory)	2. EORI n°: (mandatory)
3. Importer: (mandatory)	4. EORI n°: (mandatory)
5. Intended use of application: (mandatory) Release for free circulation: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> YES - Invoice/order confirmation MUST be attached Special procedure: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> (Specify).....	
6. Full and accurate product description/literature/specifications. (mandatory) <i>Please attach documents/pictures if more space is required.</i> <i>For more information how to fill in, refer to INFORMATION.</i>	

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7. ⁽¹⁾ **Classification code envisaged:** _____ (mandatory)

The reason why it cannot be concluded:

8. **BTI / SCA Unit classification opinion.**

(For official use)

Remarks:

Office reference number:

Email address and phone number of the contact person responsible for the application: *(mandatory)*

X _____

Signature of applicant and date

Disclaimer

Please note that the classification given above is just an opinion and is subject to confirmation at time of release. It is not binding as per Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 and Commission Regulation (EEC O No 2454/93

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INFORMATION

Please read the following carefully before completing your application

- An application for an opinion can only be made in respect of the intended use of the opinion.
- Application **MUST** then be presented during release of such mentioned goods.
- Application is only for 'one type of good'.⁽²⁾
- Box 5 - Invoice/order confirmation **MUST** be attached.
- Application should be emailed to BTI office and will be processed within 5 working days. The 5 working days will start from availability of full and accurate product literature.
- Samples may be requested.

Box 6 – Full and accurate product description/literature/specifications

- Product manual
- A full description, including characteristics, structure, function and composition, etc.;
- Information about their use
- Has the product got more than 1 function? Description of function/s.
- What is the product made of?
If of more than 1 material, breakdown of materials is required.
- Is the product further worked/gone under any method of process?
- How is it being imported?
In the finished state? Incomplete? Dismantled / unassembled?
- 'PART'/ 'ACCESSORY', what is the main item it is going to be connected to/used with?
- Intended use of the product.

Certain products require specific information:

- Footwear – shoe, boot, slipper etc...., upper material details, outer sole material details...
- Food - include precise composition details by percentage weight of all the ingredients to 100% and the method of manufacture or process undergone - fresh, frozen, dried, further prepared/preserved etc....
- Chemicals - whether the product is liquid/powder/solid and the percentage ingredients.
- MSDS - Material Safety Data Sheet which should include the appropriate CAS Number.
- Textiles - include the material composition, how it is constructed (knitted/woven) and the type of fabric.

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***N.B. Application shall be refused if :**

- Box numbers 1 – 7 are not properly filled.
- the application is found to be for a previously classified product by the same applicant/customs representative/trader for a period of one (1) year.

(1) 'Classification Code envisaged' (Box 7), kindly visit:

http://ec.europa.eu/taxation_customs/dds2/taric/taric_consultation.jsp?Lang=en

Customs Portal link:

<https://customs.gov.mt/electronic-systems/custom-electronic-system>

For a Legally Binding decision visit:

http://ec.europa.eu/taxation_customs/dds2/ebti/ebti_home.jsp?Lang=en

(2) Complete invoices will not be processed.

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