

To All WebForm Users

Hong Kong Imports and Exports Classification List Harmonised System 2004 Amendments

The Census and Statistics Department announced the Hong Kong Imports and Exports Classification List (Harmonised System) amendments for 2004, which will take effect as from 1 January 2004. 235 new codes will be added and 92 will be deleted. Importers and exporters are reminded that import and export declarations for shipments on or after 1 January 2004 must be completed in accordance with the amended classification.

In particular, please note that 2 countries/territories will be changed. Amendments in 2004 in respect of country/territory classification are listed below:

2003		2004	
Code	Country/Territory	Code	Country/Territory
TP	East Timor	TL	Timor-Leste
YU	Yugoslavia	CS	Serbia and Montenegro

We have already enhanced our WebForm Declaration System, so you do not have to do any system upgrade.

You may refer to following Government's web site to view the changes on HS code http://www.info.gov.hk/censtatd/eng/news/rev_stat/hkiecl_amend/hkiecl_amend_index.html

If you have built your own list of Product Code, you should go to "User Defined Table" → select "View/Edit" → selected to open the related "Product Code" under Product Code Directory → manually amend the HS Code → then click "Update" to save the record and return to the Product Code Directory.

Should you any questions regarding the amendments, you may contact the Trade Classification Section of the Census and Statistics Department at 2877 1818 or our Tradelink Customer Service Hotline at 2917 8888.



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