# Explanatory Notes to the Combined Nomenclature of the European Union

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Pursuant to Article 9(1)(a), second indent, of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87 of 23 July 1987 on the tariff and statistical nomenclature and on the Common Customs Tariff [1], the Explanatory Notes to the Combined Nomenclature of the European Union [2] are amended as follows:

*On page 374, the following text is inserted:*

'**8714 99 50 Derailleur gears**

Derailleur gears of this subheading are mechanisms that enable the chain of a bicycle to be moved on the front sprockets or on the rear sprockets. A complete derailleur gear set usually consists of at least one derailleur (front or rear, *see images*) and a shift lever attached to the derailleur by a cable. When a rider operates the lever while pedalling, the change in cable tension moves the derailleur from side to side, "derailing" the chain onto different sprockets.

This subheading also covers front or rear derailleurs presented separately as well as sets consisting of these derailleurs with cables or shift levers unassembled. However, presented separately, shift levers and cables are to be classified in subheading 8714 99 90 as parts.



Front derailleur



Rear derailleur'

[1] OJ L 256, 7.9.1987, p. 1.
[2] OJ C 137, 6.5.2011, p. 1.