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DECISION OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY, MEETING WITHIN THE COUNCIL

of 19 December 1989

applying generalized tariff preferences for 1990 in respect of certain steel products originating in developing countries

(89/645/ECSC)

THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY, MEETING WITHIN THE COUNCIL,

In agreement with the Commission,

HAVE DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

Article 1

1. From 1 January to 31 December 1990, the customs duties applicable to the products listed in Annexes I and II shall be totally suspended within the framework of tariff quotas and ceilings.

Spain and Portugal shall apply on the imports of products referred to above the customs duties established in accordance with Articles 178 and 365 of the 1985 Act of Accession.

2. The arrangements provided for in paragraph 1 shall apply solely:

— to each of the countries or territories listed in column 4 of Annex I against each category of products listed in columns 2 and 3,

— to each of the other countries or territories listed in Annex III, with the exception of Romania, for the same categories of products,

— to each of the countries or territories listed in Annex III for the other categories of products in Annex II,

subject to observance of the concept of originating products.

However, the Community preference arrangements applicable to Yugoslavia shall result exclusively from the provisions contained in the Agreement with that country concerning ECSC products [1].

3. The preferences granted by this Decision are suspended, on a temporary basis, for products originating in the Republic of Korea.

4. Preferential entry as provided for in this Decision shall be subject to conformity with the definition of the origin of products adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 14 of Regulation (EEC) No 802/68 [2] and contained in Regulation (EEC) No 693/88 [3].

5. The Community tariff quotas and ceilings shall be administered in accordance with the provisions set out below.

SECTION I

Provisions concerning the administration of the Community tariff quotas relating to products listed in Annex I

Article 2

The total suspension of customs duties within the limits of the Community tariff quotas referred to in Article 1 (1)

[1] OJ No L 41, 14. 2. 1983, p. 113; OJ No L 237, 26. 8. 1983, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 148, 28. 6. 1968, p. 1.
[3] OJ No L 77, 22. 3. 1988, p. 1.

shall be accorded to each country or territory listed in column 4 of Annex I in respect of the products indicated against its name in columns 2 and 3 together with details in column 5 of the amount of the individual quotas.

Article 3

1. The Member States shall administer their tariff quotas in accordance with their own provisions.

2. The extent to which a Member State has used up its share shall be determined on the basis of imports of the goods in question which have been entered for free circulation, on the basis of the customs value of the said goods, and which are accompanied by a certificate of origin in accordance with the rules referred to in Article 1 (4).

Article 4

Each Member State shall reintroduce the levying of duties which have been suspended in respect of a country or territory listed in column 4 of Annex I as soon as it finds that the charges against its national quota of the products concerned originating in that country or territory have reached the amount laid down in column 6 of Annex I.

SECTION II

Provisions concerning the administration of the Community tariff ceilings relating to the products listed in Annexes I and II

Article 5

Subject to Articles 6 and 7, the preferential tariff ceiling arrangements shall be accorded:

— for products in Annex I, to each of the countries or territories listed in Annex III, other than Romania and those which may be listed in column 4 of Annex I, within the limits of the amounts specified in column 7 of Annex I, against each category of products,

— for products in Annex II, to the countries or territories listed in Annex III, considered individually, within the limits of a Community ceiling corresponding to 102 % of the highest maximum amount valid for 1980 under each of the preferential ceilings opened for that year.

Article 6

1. As soon as the individual ceilings fixed or calculated in accordance with the provisions of Article 5, which are laid down for imports into the Community, under the conditions which it shall determine, of products originating in any of the countries or territories referred to in Article 1 (2), are reached at Community level, the Member States may at any time, at the request of any one of them or of the Commission and in respect of the whole of the Community, reintroduce the levying of the corresponding duties on imports of the products in question from each of the countries or territories concerned until the end of the period referred to in Article 1 (1).

2. Within the framework of the foregoing provisions, the Commission shall coordinate the procedures for reintroducing normal customs duties, in particular by notifying the date common to the whole of the Community and directly applicable in each Member State. This notification shall be published in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

3. However, paragraphs 1 and 2 shall not apply to the countries listed in Annex IV.

Article 7

The extent to which ceilings have been used up shall be determined at Community level on the basis of imports charged in the manner laid down in Article 8 (1) and (2).

SECTION III

General provisions

Article 8

1. Imports of the products in question shall be charged against the quota shares and Community ceilings as and when the products are entered for free circulation, on the basis of the customs value of the said products, and are accompanied by a certificate of origin in accordance with the rules laid down in Article 1 (4).

2. Goods may be charged against a ceiling or admitted under a tariff quota only if the certificate of origin referred to in paragraph 1 is presented before the date on which the levying of duties is reintroduced.

3. For the purposes of the application of this Decision, the rates of conversion into national currencies of the value in ecus in which the preferential amounts are expressed shall be those fixed on 2 October 1989 and they shall remain in force from 1 January to 31 December 1990 [1].

4. An amendment to the list of beneficiaries, in particular by the addition of new countries or territories, may entail a corresponding adjustment to Community tariff quotas or ceilings.

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[1] OJ No C 250, 3. 10. 1989, p. 2.

Article 9

1. The Member States shall, within six weeks of the end of each quarter at the latest, forward to the Statistical Office of the European Communities the relevant statistical data for the products entered for free circulation in the quarter concerned under generalized preferential treatment in accordance with the provisions of the present Decision. This data, transmitted according to the codes of the combined nomenclature and, where applicable, of the TARIC, shall show the country of origin, value, quantity and any supplementary units as defined by Regulations (EEC) No 1736/75 (1) and (EEC) No 3367/87 (2).

2. However, in the case of products in Annex I subject to quotas, the Member States shall, by the 11th day of each month at the latest, forward to the Commission, at its request, the list of charges effected during the previous month.

At the Commission's request, when the level of 75 % of the ceiling is reached, the Member States shall forward these lists of charges to the Commission every 10 days; these lists shall be forwarded within five days of the end of each 10-day period.

Article 10

The Member States shall, in close cooperation with the Commission, take all necessary measures to ensure that this Decision is applied.

Article 11

The Member States shall take all measures necessary for the implementation of this Decision.

Article 12

This Decision shall enter into force on 1 January 1990.

Done at Brussels, 19 December 1989

The President
R. DUMAS

(1) OJ No L 183, 14. 7. 1975, p. 3.
(2) OJ No L 321, 11. 11. 1987, p. 3.

ANNEX I

List of products subject to duty free Community preferential tariff quotas and ceilings (a) (b)

Order No	CN code	Description	Community tariff quotas			Ceilings
			Beneficiary countries or territories	Individual quota amount (ECU)	Amount of shares allocated to Member States (ECU)	Individual ceiling for countries or territories other than those under column 4 (ECU)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0010	7207 11 19 7207 12 11 7207 12 19 7207 20 15 7207 20 31 7207 20 33	Semi-finished products of iron or non-alloy steel — Containing by weight less than 0,25 % of carbon — — — Of rectangular (including square) cross-section, the width measuring less than twice the thickness — — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — — — — Other — — — Other, of rectangular (other than square) cross-section — — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — Containing by weight 0,25 % or more of carbon — — — Of rectangular (including square) cross-section, the width measuring less than twice the thickness — — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — — — — Other, containing by weight — — — — — — 0,25 % or more but less than 0,6 % of carbon — — — Of rectangular (other than square) cross-section — — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting				3 324 600
60.0020 (*)	7208 11 00 7208 12 10 7208 12 91 7208 12 99 7208 13 10 7208 13 91 7208 13 99 7208 14 10 7208 14 90 7208 21 10 7208 21 90 7208 22 10 7208 22 91 7208 22 99 7208 23 10 7208 23 91 7208 23 99 7208 24 10 7208 24 90	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of 600 mm or more, hot-rolled, not clad, plated or coated — In coils, not further worked than hot-rolled, of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — Other, in coils, not further worked than hot-rolled	Brazil South Korea Venezuela	3 237 451	BNL 310 795 DK 148 923 D 809 363 E 236 334 GR 58 274 F 563 316 IRL 16 187 I 427 344 P 45 324 UK 621 591	3 237 451

(a) Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN code. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

(b) Preferences are not to be granted in respect of the products marked with one asterisk, originating in China.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0020 *(cont'd)*	7211 12 10 7211 19 10 7211 22 10 7211 29 10	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of less than 600 mm, not clad, plated, or coated — Not further worked than hot-rolled of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Other, of a thickness of 4,75 mm or more — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — Other, not further worked than hot-rolled — — Other, of a thickness of 4,75 mm or more — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — Other				
60.0030 (*)	7207 19 15 7207 20 55	Semi-finished products of iron or non-alloy steel — Containing by weight less than 0,25 % of carbon — — — Other — — — — Of circular or polygonal cross-section — — — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — — — — Other — Containing by weight 0,25 % or more of carbon — — Of circular or polygonal cross-section — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — — — Other — — — — — Containing by weight 0,25 % or more but less than 0,6 % of carbon	Argentina Brazil Venezuela	2 006 493	BNL 192 623 DK 92 299 D 501 623 E 146 474 GR 36 117 F 349 130 IRL 10 032 I 264 857 P 28 091 UK 385 247	2 006 493
	7213 10 00 7213 31 00 7213 39 00 7213 41 00 7213 49 00	Bars and rods, hot-rolled, in irregularly wound coils of iron or non-alloy steel — Containing identations, ribs, grooves or other deformations produced during the rolling process — Other, containing by weight less than 0,25 % of carbon — Other, containing by weight 0,25 % or more but less than 0,6 % of carbon				
	7214 20 00 7214 40 10 7214 40 91 7214 40 99 7214 50 10 7214 50 91 7214 50 99	Other bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel, not further worked than forged hot-rolled, hot-drawn or hot-extruded but including those twisted after rolling — Containing indentations, ribs, grooves, or other deformations produced during the rolling process or twisted after rolling — Other, containing by weight less than 0,25 % of carbon — Other, containing by weight 0,25 % or more but less than 0,6 % of carbon				

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0030 *(cont'd)*	7215 90 10	Other bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel — Other — — Hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded not further worked than clad				
	7228 80 90	Other bars and rods of other alloy steel, angles, shapes and sections of other alloy steel — Hollow drill bars and rods — — Of non-alloy steel				
60.0040	7207 19 31 7207 20 71	Semi-finished products of iron or non-alloy steel — Containing by weight less than 0,25 % of carbon — — Other — — — Blanks for angles, shapes and sections — — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — Containing by weight 0,25 % or more of carbon — — Blanks for angles, shapes and sections — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting				1 908 900
	7216 10 00 7216 21 00 7216 22 00 7216 31 11 7216 31 19 7216 31 91 7216 31 99 7216 32 11 7216 32 19 7216 32 91 7216 32 99 7216 33 10 7216 33 90 7216 40 10 7216 40 90 7216 50 10 7216 50 90 7216 90 10	Angles, shapes and sections of iron of non-alloy steel — U, I or H sections, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded, of a height of less than 80 mm — L or T sections, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded of a height of less than 80 mm — U, I or H sections, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded of a height of 80 mm or more — L or T sections, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded, of a height of 80 mm or more — Other angles, shapes and sections, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded — Other — — Hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded, not further worked than clad				
	7301 10 00	Sheet piling of iron or steel, whether or not drilled, punched or made from assembled elements, welded angles, shapes and sections, of iron or steel — Sheet piling				
60.0050 (*)	7208 32 10 7208 32 30 7208 32 51 7208 32 59 7208 32 91 7208 32 99 7208 33 10 7208 33 91 7208 33 99 7208 34 10 7208 34 90 7208 35 10	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of 600 mm or more, hot-rolled, not clad, plated or coated — Not in coils, not further worked than hot-rolled, of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Other, of a thickness exceeding 10 mm	Argentina Brazil South Korea	5 500 000	BNL 528 000 DK 253 000 D 1 375 000 E 401 500 GR 99 000 F 957 000 IRL 27 500 I 726 000 P 77 000 UK 1 056 000	6 276 000

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0050 *(cont'd)*	7208 35 91 7208 35 93 7208 35 99 7208 42 10 7208 42 30 7208 42 51 7208 42 59 7208 42 91 7208 42 99 7208 43 10 7208 43 91 7208 43 99 7208 44 10 7208 44 90 7208 45 10 7208 45 91 7208 45 93 7208 45 99 7208 90 10	— — Other, of a thickness of 4,75 mm or more but not exceeding 10 mm — — Other, of a thickness of 3 mm or more but less than 4,75 mm — — Other, of a thickness of less than 3 mm — — Other, not in coils, not further worked than hot-rolled — — Other, of a thickness exceeding 10 mm — — Other, of a thickness of 4,75 mm or more but not exceeding 10 mm — — Other, of a thickness of 3 mm or more but less than 4,75 mm — — Other, of a thickness of less than 3 mm — Other — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square)				
	7209 12 10 7209 12 90 7209 13 10 7209 13 90 7209 14 10 7209 14 90 7209 22 10 7209 22 90 7209 23 10 7209 23 90 7209 24 10 7209 24 91 7209 24 99 7209 32 10 7209 32 90 7209 33 10 7209 33 90 7209 34 10 7209 34 90 7209 42 10 7209 42 90 7209 43 10 7209 43 90 7209 44 10 7209 44 90 7209 90 10	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel of a width of 600 mm or more, cold-rolled (cold-reduced) not clad, plated, or coated — In coils, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Of a thickness exceeding 1 mm but less than 3 mm — — Of a thickness of 0,5 mm or more but not exceeding 1 mm — — Of a thickness of less than 0,5 mm — Other, in coils not further worked than cold-rolled (cold reduced) — — Of a thickness exceeding 1 mm but less than 3 mm — — Of a thickness of 0,5 mm or more but not exceeding 1 mm — — Of a thickness of less than 0,5 mm — Not in coils, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Of a thickness exceeding 1 mm but less than 3 mm — — Of a thickness of 0,5 mm or more but not exceeding 1 mm — — Of a thickness of less than 0,5 mm				

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0050 *(cont'd)*		— Other, not in coils, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — Of a thickness exceeding 1 mm but not exceeding 3 mm — — Of a thickness of 0,5 mm or more but not exceeding 1 mm — — Of a thickness of less than 0,5 mm — Other — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square)				
	7210 11 10 7210 12 11 7210 12 19 7210 20 10 7210 31 10 7210 39 10 7210 41 10 7210 49 10 7210 50 10 7210 60 11 7210 60 19 7210 70 11 7210 70 19 7210 90 31 7210 90 33 7210 90 35 7210 90 39	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of 600 mm or more, clad, plated or coated — Plated or coated with tin — — Of a thickness of 0,5 mm or more — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — — Of a thickness of less than 0,5 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — Plated or coated with lead, including terne-plate — — Not further worked than surface treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — Electrolytically plated or coated with zinc — — Of steel of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — — Other — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — Otherwise plated or coated with zinc — — Corrugated — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — — Other — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — Plated or coated with chromium oxides or with chromium and chromium oxides — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — Plated or coated with aluminium — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square)				

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0050 *(cont'd)*		— Painted, varnished or coated with plastics — — Not further worked than surface-treated or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — Other — — Other — — — Not further worked than surface-treated, including cladding or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square)				
	7211 30 10 7211 41 10 7211 49 10 7211 90 11	Flat-rolled products, of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of less than 600 mm, not clad, plated or coated — Not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — Other, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — Containing by weight less than 0,25 % of carbon — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — Other — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — Not further worked than surface-treated				
	7212 10 10 7212 10 91 7212 21 11 7212 29 11 7212 30 11 7212 40 10 7212 40 91 7212 50 31 7212 50 51 7212 60 11	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of less than 600 mm, clad, plated or coated — Plated or coated with tin — — Tinplate, not further worked than surface-treated — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated — Electrolytically plated or coated with zinc — — Of steel of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated — Otherwise plated or coated with zinc — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — Not further worked than surface-treated — Painted, varnished or coated with plastics — — Tinplate, not further worked than varnished — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated				

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0050 *(cont'd)*		— Otherwise plated or coated — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — Lead-coated — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated — — — Other — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated — Clad — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — Not further worked than surface-treated				
60.0060	7207 11 11 7207 19 11 7207 20 11 7207 20 17 7207 20 51 7207 20 57	Semi-finished products of iron or non-alloy steel — Containing by weight less than 0,25 % of carbon — — Of rectangular (including square) cross-section, the width measuring less than twice the thickness — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — — — Free-cutting steel — Containing by weight 0,25 % or more of carbon — — Of rectangular (including square) cross-section, the width measuring less than twice the thickness — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — — — Free-cutting steel — — — — Other, containing by weight — — — — — 0,6 % or more of carbon — — Of circular or polygonal cross-section — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — — — Free-cutting steel — — — — Other — — — — — Containing by weight 0,6 % or more of carbon	Brazil South Korea	5 564 100	BNL 534 154 DK 255 949 D 1 391 025 E 406 179 GR 100 154 F 968 153 IRL 27 821 I 734 461 P 77 897 UK 1 068 307	5 891 400
	7213 20 00 7213 50 10 7213 50 90	Bars and rods, hot-rolled, in irregularly wound coils of iron or non-alloy steel — Of free-cutting steel — Other, containing by weight 0,6 % of more of carbon				
	7214 30 00 7214 60 00	Other bars and rods of iron or non-alloy steel, not further worked than forged, hot-rolled, hot-drawn or hot-extruded, but including those twisted after rolling — Of free-cutting steel — Other, containing by weight 0,6 % or more of carbon				

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0060 *(cont'd)*	7218 90 11 7218 90 13 7218 90 15 7218 90 19 7218 90 50	Stainless steel in ingots or other primary forms, semi-finished products of stainless steel — Other — — Of rectangular (including square) cross-section — — — Rolled or obtained by continuous casting				
	7219 11 10 7219 11 90 7219 12 10 7219 12 90 7219 13 10 7219 13 90 7219 14 10 7219 14 90 7219 21 11 7219 21 19 7219 21 90 7219 22 10 7219 22 90 7219 23 10 7219 23 90 7219 24 10 7219 24 90 7219 33 10 7219 33 90 7219 34 10 7219 34 90 7219 35 10 7219 35 90 7219 90 11 7219 90 19	Flat-rolled products of stainless steel, of a width of 600 mm or more — Not further worked than hot-rolled in coils — Not further worked than hot-rolled not in coils — Not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — Of a thickness exceeding 1 mm but less than 3 mm — — Of a thickness of 0,5 mm or more but not exceeding 1 mm — — Of a thickness of less than 0,5 mm — Other — — Not further worked than surface-treated, including cladding, or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square)				
	7220 11 00 7220 12 00 7220 20 10 7220 90 11 7220 90 31	Flat-rolled products of stainless steel, of a width of less than 600 mm — Not further worked than hot-rolled — Not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — Other — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — Not further worked, than surface-treated, including cladding — — Of a width not exceeding 500 mm — — — Not further worked than surface-treated, including cladding — — — — — Hot-rolled, not further worked than clad				
	7221 00 10 7221 00 90	Bars and rods, hot-rolled, in irregularly wound coils, of stainless steel				
	7222 10 11 7222 10 19 7222 10 51 7222 10 59 7222 10 99 7222 30 10 7222 40 11 7222 40 19 7222 40 30	Other bars, and rods of stainless steel; shapes and sections of stainless steel — Bars and rods, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded — Other bars and rods — — Hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded not further worked than clad — Angles, shapes and sections — — Not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded — — Other — — — Hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded not further worked than clad				

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0060 *(cont'd)*	7224 90 01 7224 90 09 7224 90 15 7224 90 30	Other alloy steel in ingots or other primary forms, semi-finished products of other alloy steel — Other — — Of rectangular (including square) cross-section — — — Hot-rolled or obtained by continuous casting — — Other — — — Hot-rolled or obtained by continuous casting				
	7225 10 10 7225 10 91 7225 10 99 7225 20 11 7225 20 19 7225 20 30 7225 30 00 7225 40 10 7225 40 30 7225 40 50 7225 40 70 7225 40 90 7225 50 00 7225 90 10	Flat-rolled products of other alloy steel, of a width of 600 mm or more — Of silicon-electrical steel — Of high speed steel — — Not further worked than hot-rolled — — Not further worked than surface-treated, including cladding or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square) — Other, not further worked than hot-rolled, in coils — Other, not further worked than hot-rolled, not in coils — — Other, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — Other — — Not further worked than surface-treated including cladding or simply cut into shapes other than rectangular (including square)				
	7226 10 10 7226 10 30 7226 20 10 7226 20 31 7226 20 51 7226 20 71 7226 91 00 7226 92 10 7226 99 11 7226 99 31	Flat-rolled products or other alloy steel, of a width of less than 600 mm — Of silicon-electrical steel — — Not further worked than hot-rolled — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — Of high-speed steel — — Not further worked than hot-rolled — — Not further worked than cold-rolled (cold reduced) — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface treated, including cladding — — — Of a width not exceeding 500 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated including cladding — — — — Hot-rolled, not further worked than clad — Other — — Not further worked than hot-rolled — — Not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — Other — — — Of a width exceeding 500 mm — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated, including cladding				

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
60.0060 *(cont'd)*		— — — Of a width not exceeding 500 mm — — — — — Not further worked than surface-treated, including cladding — — — — — — Hot-rolled, not further worked than clad				
	7227	Bars and rods, hot-rolled, in irregularly wound coils, of other alloy steel				
		Other bars and rods of other alloy steel; angles, shapes and sections, of other alloy steel; hollow drill bars and rods of alloy or non – alloy steel				
		— Bars and rods, of high-speed steel:				
	7228 10 10	— — Not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded				
		— — Other				
	7228 10 30	— — — Hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded, not further worked than clad				
		— Bars and rods, of silico-manganese steel:				
	7228 20 11 7228 20 19	— — Not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded				
		— — Other				
	7228 20 30	— — — Hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded, not further worked than clad				
	7228 30 10 7228 30 30	— Other bars and rods, not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded				
	7228 30 80	— Other bars and rods				
	7228 60 10	— — Hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded, not further worked than clad				
		— Angles, shapes and sections				
	7228 70 10	— — Not further worked than hot-rolled, hot-drawn or extruded				
		— — Other				
	7228 70 31	— — — Hot-rolled, hot drawn or extruded, not further worked than clad				
		— Hollow drill bars and rods				
	7228 80 10	— — Of alloy steel				

ANNEX II

List of products in respect of which the Common Customs Tariff duties are completely suspended under the generalized tariff preferences granted to developing countries and territories (a) (b)

Order No	CN code	Description
(1)	(2)	(3)
62.0010 (*)	7208 31 00 7208 41 00	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of 600 mm or more, hot-rolled, not clad, plated or coated — Not in coils, not further worked than hot-rolled, of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Rolled on four faces or in a closed box pass, of a width not exceeding 1 250 mm and of a thickness of not less than 4 mm, without patterns in relief — Other, not in coils, not further worked than hot-rolled — — Rolled on four faces or in a closed box pass, of a width not exceeding 1 250 mm and of a thickness of not less than 4 mm, without patterns in relief
	7211 11 00 7211 21 00	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of less than 600 mm, not clad, plated or coated — Not further worked than hot-rolled, of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Rolled on four faces or in a closed box pass, of a width exceeding 150 mm and of a thickness of not less than 4 mm, not in coils and without patterns in relief — Other, not further worked than hot-rolled — — Rolled on four faces or in a closed box pass, of a width exceeding 150 mm and of a thickness of not less than 4 mm, not in coils and without patterns in relief
62.0020 (*)	7211 12 90 7211 19 91 7211 19 99 7211 22 90 7211 29 91 7211 29 99 7211 41 91 7212 60 91	— Not further worked than hot-rolled, of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Other, of a thickness of 4,75 mm or more — — — Of a width nor exceeding 500 mm — — Other — — — Of a width not exceeding 500 mm — — — — Of a thickness of 3 mm or more but less than 4,75 mm — — — — Of a thickness of less than 3 mm — Other, not further worked than hot-rolled — — Other, of a thickness of 4,75 mm or more — — — Of a width not exceeding 500 mm — Other, not further worked than hot-rolled — — Other — — — Of a width not exceeding 500 mm — — — — Of a thickness of 3 mm or more but less than 4,75 mm — — — — Of a thickness of less than 3 mm — Clad — — Of a width not exceeding 500 mm — — — Not further worked than surface-treated — — — — Hot-rolled, not further worked than clad

(a) Notwithstanding the rules for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature, the wording for the description of the products is to be considered as having no more than an indicative value, the preferential scheme being determined, within the context of this Annex, by the coverage of the CN code. Where ex CN codes are indicated, the preferential scheme is to be determined by application of the CN code and corresponding description taken together.

(b) Preferences are not to be granted in respect of products marked with one asterisk, originating in Romania.

(1)	(2)	(3)
62.0030	7209 11 00 7209 21 00 7209 31 00 7209 41 00	Flat-rolled products of iron or non-alloy steel, of a width of 600 mm or more, cold-rolled (cold-reduced), not clad, plated or coated — In coils, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced), of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Of a thickness of 3 mm or more — Other, in coils, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — Of a thickness of 3 mm or more — Not in coils, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced), of a thickness of less than 3 mm and having a minimum yield point of 275 MPa or of a thickness of 3 mm or more and having a minimum yield point of 355 MPa — — Of a thickness of 3 mm or more — Other, not in coils, not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — Of a thickness of 3 mm or more
62.0040	7219 31 10 7219 31 90 7219 32 10 7219 32 90	Flat-rolled products of stainless steel, of a width of 600 mm or more — Not further worked than cold-rolled (cold-reduced) — — Of a thickness of 4,75 mm or nore — — — Containing by weight 2,5 % or more of nickel — — — Containing by weight less than 2,5 % of nickel — — Of a thickness of 3 mm or more but less than 4,75 mm — — — Containing by weight 2,5 % or more of nickel — — — Containing by weight less than 2,5 % of nickel
62.0050 (*)	7302 10 31 7302 10 39 7302 10 90 7302 20 00 7302 40 10 7302 90 10	Railway or tramway track construction material of iron or steel, the following: rails, check-rails and rack rails, switch blades, crossing frogs, point rods and other crossing pieces, sleepers (cross-ties), fish-plates, chairs, chair wedges, sole plates (base plates), rail clips, bedplates, ties and other material specialized for jointing or fixing rails — Rails — — Other — — — New — — — — Of a weight per m of 20 kg or more — — — — Of a weight per m of less than 20 kg — — — Used — Sleepers (cross-ties) — Fish-plates and sole plates — — Rolled — Other — — Check-rails

ANNEX III

List of developing countries and territories enjoying generalized tariff preferences (1)

A. INDEPENDENT COUNTRIES

048 Yugoslavia
066 Romania
204 Morocco
208 Algeria
212 Tunisia
216 Libya
220 Egypt
224 Sudan (2)
228 Mauritania (2)
232 Mali (2)
236 Burkina Faso (2)
240 Niger (2)
244 Chad (2)
247 Republic of Cape Verde (2)
248 Senegal
252 Gambia (2)
257 Guinea-Bissau (2)
260 Guinea (2)
264 Sierra Leone (2)
268 Liberia
272 Ivory Coast
276 Ghana
280 Togo (2)
284 Benin (2)
288 Nigeria
302 Cameroon
306 Central African Republic (2)
310 Equatorial Guinea (2)
311 São Tomé and Principe (2)
314 Gabon
318 Congo
322 Zaire
324 Rwanda (2)
328 Burundi (2)
330 Angola
334 Ethiopia (2)
338 Djibouti (2)
342 Somalia (2)
346 Kenya
350 Uganda (2)
352 Tanzania (2)
355 Seychelles and dependencies
366 Mozambique (2)
370 Madagascar
373 Mauritius
375 Comoros (2)
378 Zambia
382 Zimbabwe
386 Malawi (2)
391 Botswana (2)
393 Swaziland
395 Lesotho (2)
412 Mexico
416 Guatemala
421 Belize
424 Honduras
428 El Salvador
432 Nicaragua
436 Costa Rica
442 Panama
448 Cuba
449 St Christopher and Nevis
452 Haiti (2)
453 Bahamas
456 Dominican Republic
459 Antigua and Barbuda
460 Dominica
464 Jamaica
465 St Lucia
467 St Vincent
469 Barbados
472 Trinidad and Tobago
473 Grenada
480 Colombia
484 Venezuela
488 Guyana
492 Surinam
500 Ecuador
504 Peru
508 Brazil
512 Chile
516 Bolivia
520 Paraguay
524 Uruguay
528 Argentina
600 Cyprus
604 Lebanon
608 Syria
612 Iraq
616 Iran
628 Jordan
632 Saudi Arabia
636 Kuwait
640 Bahrain
644 Qatar
647 United Arab Emirates
649 Oman
652 North Yemen (2)
656 South Yemen
660 Afghanistan (2)
662 Pakistan
664 India
666 Bangladesh (2)
667 Maldives (2)
669 Sri Lanka
672 Nepal (2)
675 Bhutan (2)
676 Burma (Myanmar) (2)
680 Thailand
684 Laos (2)
690 Vietnam
696 Kampuchea (Cambodia)
700 Indonesia
701 Malaysia
703 Brunei Darussalam
706 Singapore
708 Philippines
720 China
728 South Korea
801 Papua New Guinea
803 Nauru
806 Solomon Islands
807 Tuvalu (2)
808 Federated States of Micronesia
808 Republic of the Marshall Islands
808 Republic of Palau
812 Kiribati (2)
815 Fiji
816 Vanuatu
817 Tonga (2)
819 Western Samoa (2)

(1) The code number preceding the name of each beneficiary country or territory is that given in 'Geonomenclature' (Regulation (EEC) No 3639/86 (OJ No L 336, 29. 11. 1986, p. 46)).
(2) This country is also included in Annex IV.

B. COUNTRIES AND TERRITORIES

dependent or administered, or for whose external relations Member States of the Community or third countries are wholly or partly responsible

044 Gibraltar
329 St Helena and St Helena dependencies
357 British Indian Ocean Territory
377 Mayotte
406 Greenland
408 St Pierre and Miquelon
413 Bermuda
446 Anguilla
454 Turks and Caicos Islands
457 Virgin Islands of the United States
461 British Virgin Islands and Montserrat
463 Cayman Islands
474 Aruba
478 Netherlands Antilles
529 Falkland Islands and Falkland dependencies
740 Hong Kong
743 Macao
802 Australian Oceania (Christmas Island, Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Heard Island and McDonald Islands, Norfolk Island)
808 American Oceania (1)
809 New Caledonia and dependencies
811 Wallis and Futuna Islands
813 Pitcairn
814 New Zealand Oceania (Tokelau and Niue Islands; Cook Islands)
822 French Polynesia
890 Polar regions (French Southern and Antarctic Territories, Australian Antarctic Territories, British Antarctic Territories)

Note: The above lists may be amended subsequently to take account of changes in the international status of countries or territories.

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(1) American Oceania includes: Guam, American Samoa (including Swain's Island), Midway Islands, Johnston and Sand Islands, Wake Island.

ANNEX IV

List of least-developed developing countries

224 Sudan
228 Mauritania
232 Mali
236 Burkina Faso
240 Niger
244 Chad
247 Republic of Cape Verde
252 Gambia
257 Guinea-Bissau
260 Guinea
264 Sierra Leone
280 Togo
284 Benin
306 Central African Republic
310 Equatorial Guinea
311 São Tomé and Principe
324 Rwanda
328 Burundi
334 Ethiopia
338 Djibouti
342 Somalia
350 Uganda
352 Tanzania
366 Mozambique
375 Comoros
386 Malawi
391 Botswana
395 Lesotho
452 Haiti
652 North Yemen
656 South Yemen
660 Afghanistan
666 Bangladesh
667 Maldives
672 Nepal
675 Bhutan
676 Burma (Myanmar)
684 Laos
807 Tuvalu
812 Kiribati
817 Tonga
819 Western Samoa