REGULATION (EEC) No 1615/74 OF THE COUNCIL

of 25 June 1974

amending Regulation (EEC) No 950/68 on the Common Customs Tariff

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community, and in particular Article 113 thereof;

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission;

Whereas Council Regulation (EEC) No 950/68 [1] of 28 June 1968 on the Common Customs Tariff, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No 664/74 [2] lists, under subheading 85.21 D, diodes, transistors and similar semi-conductor devices and electronic microcircuits; whereas these articles are subject to a conventional duty of 17 %;

Whereas for commercial policy reasons the conventional duty applied to articles falling within subheading 85.21 D in the form of wafers not yet cut into chips should be reduced; whereas Regulation (EEC) No 950/68 should therefore be amended,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

In the Annex to Regulation (EEC) No 950/68, subheading 85.21 D shall be amended to read as follows:

CCT heading No	Description	Rate of duty	
		Autonomous %	conventional %
85.21	D. Diodes, transistors and similar semi-conductor devices; electronic micro-circuits:		
	I. Wafers not yet cut into chips	21	9
	II. Other	21	17

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 July 1974.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Luxembourg, 25 June 1974.

For the Council

The President

H. D. GENSCHER

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[1] OJ No L 172, 22. 7. 1968, p. 1.
[2] OJ No L 85, 29. 3. 1974, p. 54.