STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1983 No.1006

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE

The Export of Goods (Control) (Amendment No. 3) Order 1983

Made - - - -	13*th July* 1983
Coming into Operation	12*th August* 1983

The Secretary of State, in exercise of powers conferred by section 1 of the Import, Export and Customs Powers (Defence) Act 1939 (**a**) and now vested in him (**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Export of Goods (Control) (Amendment No. 3) Order 1983 and shall come into operation on 12th August 1983.

2. The Export of Goods (Control) Order 1981 (**c**) shall be further amended as follows:—

(a) in Article 1(2), there shall be inserted after the definition of "ship" the following definition—

""technological document" means any document containing information relating to the design, production, testing or use of goods or to processes and "document" includes any record or device by means of which information is recorded or stored;"

(b) at the end of Article 2 there shall be added the following paragraph—

"(ix) technological documents, other than documents generally available to the public, relating to any goods specified in Groups 1 to 3 of Part II of Schedule 1 hereto or to any goods or processes specified in Group 4 of Part II of Schedule 1 hereto are prohibited to be exported to any destination in any country specified in paragraph (v) above.";

(c) at the end of Article 3*(i)* (headed *"Ships"*) there shall be added the following sub-paragraph—

"(iii) any ship proceeding on a normal commercial sailing.";

(d) in Group 1 of Part II of Schedule 1, in the entry relating to explosives, propellants and related substances, after head (2) there shall be added the following new head—

"(2A) Spherical aluminium powder with uniform particle size and an aluminium content of 97% or more ..... A";

(e) in Group 3C of Part II of Schedule 1, in the entry relating to furnaces—

(i) for the letters "C" there shall be substituted the letters "A";

(ii) at the end there shall be added the following—

"(Note exception (1) in the entry in Group 3D relating to equipment specially designed for the production of certain nickel-, cobalt- or iron-base alloys)";

(**a**) 1939 c.69.
(**b**) *See* S.I. 1970/1537.
(**c**) S.I. 1981/1641, amended by S.I. 1982/1446,1556.

(f) in Group 3D of Part II of Schedule 1—

(i) after the entry relating to environmental chambers, there shall be added the following new entry—

"Equipment specially designed for the production of nickel-, cobalt- or iron-base alloys in crude or semi-fabricated forms having strengths superior to the AISI 300 series (as at May 1982) at temperatures over +922K (+649°C) under severe environmental conditions ..... A

except—

(1) Electric arc and induction furnaces (other than vacuum induction furnaces used in the production of powders of the aforesaid alloys), basic oxygen furnaces and re-melting equipment using other techniques for the production of carbon steels, low alloy steels and stainless steels;

(2) Degassing equipment used for the production of carbon steels, low alloy steels and stainless steels;

(3) Extrusion presses, hot and cold rolling mills and swaging and forging machines;

(4) Decarburizing, annealing and pickling equipment;

(5) Surface-finishing equipment; and

(6) Slitting and cutting equipment;

(Note as to electric vacuum furnaces, Group 3C above and as to extrusion presses and hot and cold rolling mills, subsequent entries in this Group)";

(ii) in the entry relating to machines and equipment specially designed for the manufacture of certain devices and assemblies relating to materials composed of certain crystals, and for the manufacture of magnetic recording media—

(a) for the references in the heading of the entry and in heads (4) and (5) thereof to head (5) of the entry in Group 3G relating to recording or reproducing equipment, there shall be substituted references to head (4) of that entry;

(b) for the letters "C" there shall be substituted the letters "A";

(iii) in the entry relating to machinery, equipment and software for the manufacture or testing of electronic equipment, components or materials, at the end of sub-head (7)(b)(ii) the word "or" shall be deleted and there shall be added at the end of sub-head (iii) the word "; or" and the following new sub-head—

"(iv) measurement of rise times, fall times and edge placement times with a resolution of less than 20 nanoseconds.";

(iv) in the entry relating to presses, at the end there shall be added the following—

"(Note exception (3) in the entry in this Group relating to equipment specially designed for the production of certain nickel-, cobalt- or iron-base alloys)";

(v) in the entry relating to rolling mills—

(a) for the letter "C" there shall be substituted the letter "A";

(b) at the end there shall be added the following—

"(Note exception (3) in the entry in this Group relating to equipment specially designed for the production of certain nickel-, cobalt- or iron-base alloys)";

(g) in Group 3F of Part II of Schedule 1,

(i) in the entry relating to electronic components, assemblies, sub-assemblies, printed circuit boards and microcircuits, in exception *(b)* (v) *(b)* to head (3) (relating to certain memory microcircuits), for the letters "RAMs" there shall be substituted the letters "ROMs";

(ii) in the entry relating to semi-conductor diodes and dice and wafers therefor, in exception *(c)* to head (1), for the words "not better than" in both places where they occur there shall be substituted the words "worse than";

(h) in Group 3G of Part II of Schedule 1, in the entry relating to acoustic wave devices, in sub-head (1)*(b)* for the word "either" there shall be substituted the word "any", and sub-heads (1)*(c)* and (1)*(d)* shall be re-numbered as sub-heads (1)*(b)*(iii) and (1)*(b)*(iv) respectively;

(i) after Group 3J of Part II of Schedule 1, there shall be added the new Group 4 which appears in the Schedule hereto.

P. M. S. Corley,
An Under Secretary
Department of Trade and Industry.

13th July 1983.

SCHEDULE

Article 2(*i*)

GROUP 4

GOODS AND PROCESSES IN RESPECT OF WHICH THE EXPORT OF TECHNOLOGICAL DOCUMENTS, OTHER THAN DOCUMENTS GENERALLY AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC, IS PROHIBITED TO ANY DESTINATION IN ANY COUNTRY SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE 2(v)

The process of inert gas and vacuum atomising for achieving sphericity and uniform size of particles in metal powders.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order further amends the Export of Goods (Control) Order 1981. It prohibits the export of technological documents (other than documents generally available to the public) relating to the design, production, testing or use of goods specified in Groups 1 to 3 of Part II of Schedule 1 to the 1981 Order to any destination in a country specified in Article 2(v) of that Order (Albania, Bulgaria, China, Czechoslovakia, the German Democratic Republic, Hungary, Democratic Kampuchea, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Mongolia, North Korea, Poland, Romania, the USSR and the Socialist Republic of Vietnam). It also prohibits the exportation to such destinations of technological documents relating to goods or processes specified in the new Group 4 of Part II of Schedule 1, set out in the Schedule to this Order. The exportation of technological documents relating to inert gas and vacuum atomising for achieving sphericity and uniform size of particles in metal powders is prohibited by this provision—Article 2*(a), (b)* and *(i)*.

The Order extends the categories of ships set out in Article 3 of the 1981 Order whose exportation is permitted by Article 2 to include any ships proceeding on a normal commercial sailing—Article 2*(c)*.

The Order prohibits the exportation of certain spherical aluminium powder (Article 2*(d)*) and equipment specially designed for the production of certain metal alloys—Article 2*(f)*(i). It also extends the control imposed by the 1981 Order over digitally controlled test equipment specially designed for testing microcircuits and assemblies thereof to those capable of time measurement of a specific resolution—Article 2*(f)*(iii). Restrictions on the exportation of certain electric vacuum furnaces (Article 2*(e)*), certain machines and equipment specially designed for the manufacture of certain devices and assemblies relating to materials composed of certain crystals and for the manufacture of magnetic recording media (Article 2*(f)*(ii)) and for certain rolling mills (Article 2*(f)*(v)) are extended to all destinations. The Order also makes amendments to entries in Groups 3F and 3G of Part II of Schedule 1 relating to certain memory microcircuits, Schottky diodes and acoustic wave devices—Article 2*(g)*(i) and (ii); Article 2*(h)*.

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