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To: All Traders and Declaring Agents

ADVISORY ON APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF STRATEGIC GOODS

The Application for Determination of Strategic Goods allows you to seek advice from Singapore Customs on whether your products are controlled under the Strategic Goods (Control) Act (SGCA). All completed applications and queries relating to the determination of strategic goods should be directed to our new email address at customs_classification@customs.gov.sg.

- We would also like to remind all applicants that the *Application for Determination of Strategic Goods* is <u>not</u> a mandatory requirement under the SGCA and each application is for the classification of <u>one</u> product only. All applicants are required to complete the application form and attach the following supporting documents, where applicable:
 - a) Product brochures and catalogues
 - b) Detailed technical specifications and data sheets
 - c) Material Safety Data Sheet or Certificate of Analysis, if the product involves chemical items
 - d) Drawings or blueprints
 - e) Product Questionnaire, as applicable
 - f) Export authorisation from the originating country (for re-export of product from Singapore)
- Please be advised that the above product questionnaire is to be submitted <u>only</u> if it applies to your product. This is necessary as the questionnaire will assist us better in determining whether the product is controlled. The following product questionnaires are available:
 - a) Annex A-1 Cryptography (*Revised*)
 - b) Annex A-2 Machine Tools (New)
 - c) Annex A-3 Biological Product (New)
- 4 For more information on the application for determination of strategic goods, you can refer to http://www.customs.gov.sg/stgc/leftNav/adv/Classification+Advice.htm. The product questionnaires can be obtained from http://www.customs.gov.sg/stgc/topNav/ese/Forms.htm.

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Our Vision: A leading Customs that advances Singapore's economy by assuring the integrity of the trading system