

Announcement on Releasing Catalogue of Solid Wastes Forbidden to Import, Catalogue of Restricted Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials, and Catalogue of Automatic-Licensing Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials

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In order to regulate the solid waste management and prevent the environmental pollution of imported solid wastes, according to "Law of the People's Republic of China on Prevention and Control of Environmental Pollution Caused by Solid Waste", "Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal", and the relevant laws and regulations, "Catalogue of Solid Wastes Forbidden to Import in China", "Catalogue of Restricted Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials in China", and "Catalogue of Automatic-Licensing Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials in China" are promulgated now on the following:

1. Those belong to any one of the following actions shall be managed in accordance with Forbidden Import Solid Wastes in China:
 - (1) The goods prohibited to be imported in China have lost the original value in use, or not lost the value in use but been discarded or abandoned, or been considered as solid wastes for other reasons.
 - (2) Those have been recognized as hazardous wastes and other wastes (Waste collected from household) in accordance with "Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and Their Disposal", as well as those have been listed in National Catalogue of Hazardous Waste or been considered as hazardous wastes under Identification Standard for Hazardous Wastes.

2. The Announcement shall enter into force as of March 1, 2008. The Announcement No. 5/2005 of SEPA, GACC, and AQSIQ, the Announcement of former MOFTEC, GACC, and SEPA (No. 36/2001, No. 41/2001 and No. 25 /2002), the Announcement of

MOFCOM, GACC, AQSIQ, and SEPA (No. 10 /2003 and No. 66/2004), and the Announcement No. 73/2004 of MOFCOM, GACC, and SEPA shall be repealed simultaneously.

3. SEPA will consult with NDRC, MOFCOM, GACC, and AQSIQ to regulate and renew the catalogue of imported solid waste management, as appropriated.

Annex:

1. Catalogue of Solid Wastes Forbidden to Import in China
2. Catalogue of Restricted Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials in China
3. Catalogue of Automatic-Licensing Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials in China

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Catalogue of Solid Wastes Forbidden to Import in China
(Announcement No. 11/2008, by SEPA, MOFCOM, NDRC, GACC and AQSIQ)

| No. | Custom code | Waste Name | Brief Name | Remark |
|--|-------------|---|---|--------|
| I. waste animal products | | | | |
| 1 | 0501000000 | Unprocessed human hair, no matter washed or not; wasted human hair | Wasted human hair | |
| 2 | 0502103000 | Bristles and wasted bristles | Wasted bristles | |
| 3 | 0502902090 | Other badger hair and other wasted animal hair used for making brushes | Wasted animal hair | |
| 4 | 0505901000 | Powder and waste of feathers or parts of feathers | Waste of feathers | |
| 5 | 0506901110 | Waste of bones, containing composition of ox, sheep or goat (unworked, defatted, simply prepared) | Waste of bones, containing composition of ox, sheep or goat | |
| 6 | 0506901910 | Waste of bones (unworked, defatted, simply prepared) | Waste of bones | |
| 7 | 0507100090 | Ivory and powder or waste thereof of other animals | Waste of ivory | |
| 8 | 0511994010 | Waste horse hair (whether made with liner or not) | Waste horse hair | |
| II. Waste plant and animal oils | | | | |
| 9 | 1522000000 | Degras (including residues resulting from the treatment of fatty substances or animal or vegetable waxes) | Degras | |
| III. Waste of mineral, slag, mineral oil, asphalt | | | | |
| 10 | 2517200000 | Scoria, scruff and similar industrial draff (whether or not containing materials in 25171000) | Scoria, scruff and similar industrial draff | |
| 11 | 2517300000 | Asphalt macadam | Asphalt macadam | |
| 12 | 2525300000 | Mica waste | Mica waste | |
| 13 | 2530909910 | Bricks of magnesia waste | Bricks of magnesia waste | |
| 14 | 2618009000 | Other granulated slag (slag sand) generated from the smelting of iron and steel | Other granulated slag generated from the smelting of iron and steel | |

| No. | Custom code | Waste Name | Brief Name | Remark |
|-----|-------------|--|---|------------------------|
| 15 | 2619000090 | Other slag and scruff generated from the smelting of iron and steel (except for granulated slag generated from smelting of iron and steel) | Other slag and scruff generated from the smelting of iron and steel | |
| 16 | 2620110000 | Calx and draff containing hard zinc spelter (except for calx and draff generated from smelting of iron and steel) | Calx and draff containing hard zinc spelter | |
| 17 | 2620190000 | Calx and draff containing other zinc (except for calx and draff generated from smelting of iron and steel) | Calx and draff containing other zinc | |
| 18 | 2620210000 | Sludge containing leaded gasoline (including sludge containing anti-seismic leaded compound) | Sludge containing leaded gasoline | |
| 19 | 2620290000 | Other calx and draff whose major ingredient is lead (except for calx and draff generated from smelting of iron and steel) | Other calx and draff whose major ingredient is lead | |
| 20 | 2620300000 | Calx and draff whose major ingredient is copper(except for calx and draff generated from smelting of iron and steel) | Calx and draff whose major ingredient is copper | |
| 21 | 2620400000 | Calx and draff whose major ingredient is aluminium (except for calx and draff generated from smelting of iron and steel) | Calx and draff whose major ingredient is aluminium | |
| 22 | 2620600000 | Calx and draff containing arsenic, mercury, thallium and their compound (used for extracting or producing arsenic, mercury, thallium and their compound) | Calx and draff containing arsenic, mercury, thallium and their compound | |
| 23 | 2620910000 | Calx and draff containing antimony, beryllium, cadmium, chromium and their compound | Calx and draff containing antimony, beryllium, cadmium, chromium and their compound | |
| 24 | 2620991000 | Other calx and draff whose major ingredient is tungsten | Other calx and draff whose major ingredient is tungsten | |
| 25 | 2620999090 | Calx and draff containing other metal or compound (except for calx and draff generated from smelting of iron and steel) | Calx and draff containing other metal or compound | |
| 26 | 2621100000 | Ash and slag arising from the incineration of household wastes | Ash and slag arising from the incineration of household wastes | |
| 27 | 2621900000 | Other calx and draff (including kelp) | Other calx and draff | Including coal fly ash |
| 28 | 2710910000 | Waste oil containing PCBs, PBBs (including waste oils containing PCTs) | Waste oil containing PCBs, PBBs | |

| No. | Custom code | Waste Name | Brief Name | Remark |
|--|-------------|---|--|---|
| 29 | 2710990000 | Other, of waste oils | Other, of waste oils | |
| 30 | 2713900000 | Other residues of petroleum oils or oils obtained from bituminous minerals | Other residues of petroleum oils or oils obtained from bituminous minerals | |
| IV. Waste pharmaceutical, drugs and medicines | | | | |
| 31 | 3006920000 | Waste pharmaceutical, drugs and medicines (pharmaceuticals, drugs and medicines their effective period expired and not suitable for original use) | Waste pharmaceutical, drugs and medicines | |
| V. Miscellaneous chemical waste | | | | |
| 32 | 3804000010 | Residual lye of wood pulp, which is not concentrated, desugared or treated | Residual lye of wood pulp | |
| 33 | 3825100000 | Household waste | Household waste | |
| 34 | 3825200000 | Sludge from sewer | Sludge | Including sludge from sewer and from sewage treatment plant |
| 35 | 3825300000 | Clinic waste | Clinic waste | |
| 36 | 3825410000 | Waste halogenated organic solvents | Waste organic solvents | |
| 37 | 3825490000 | Other, of waste organic solvents | Other, of waste organic solvents | |
| 38 | 3825500000 | Waste acid metal-washing liquid, hydraulic oil and braking oil (including waste frosted liquid) | Waste acid washing liquid and waste oil | |
| 39 | 3825610000 | Chemical waste mainly containing organic substance (waste arising from other chemical industries and related industries) | Chemical waste mainly containing organic substance | |
| 40 | 3825690000 | Other, of chemical waste (waste arising from other chemical industries and related industries) | Other, of chemical waste | |

| No. | Custom code | Waste Name | Brief Name | Remark |
|--|-------------|--|--|--------|
| 41 | 3825900090 | Other, of unlisted chemical by-product and wastes | Other, of unlisted chemical wastes | |
| VI. Waste rubber and leather | | | | |
| 42 | 4004000010 | Wasted tyre and its dices | Wasted tyre and its dices | |
| 43 | 4004000020 | Waste, parings and scrap of vulcanized rubber (other than hard rubber) and powders and granules obtained therefrom | Waste vulcanized rubber | |
| 44 | 4017001010 | Waste hard rubber in various shapes | Waste hard rubber | |
| 45 | 4115200010 | Leather waste residue, ash, sludge and its powder | Leather waste residue, ash, sludge and its powder | |
| VII. Waste specialty paper | | | | |
| 46 | 4707900010 | Recovered (waste and scrap) wallpaper, waxed paper, paraffin paper, carbon paper, including unsorted waste and scrap | Recovered (waste and scrap) wallpaper, waxed paper, paraffin paper, carbon paper | |
| VIII. Waste textiles and textile products | | | | |
| 47 | 5103109090 | Other noil of fine animal hair | Other noil of fine animal hair | |
| 48 | 5103209090 | Other waste of fine animal hair (including yarn waste, but other than gametted stock) | Other waste of fine animal hair | |
| 49 | 5103300090 | Other waste of coarse animal hair (including yarn waste, but other than gametted stock) | Other waste of coarse animal hair | |
| 50 | 5104009090 | Gametted stock of fine or coarse animal hair | Gametted stock of fine or coarse animal hair | |
| 51 | 5202910000 | Gametted stock of cotton | Gametted stock of cotton | |
| 52 | 5601300090 | Textile fiber dust, powder and fiber-node (textile fiber length is not more than 5 mm) | Textile fiber dust, powder and fiber-node | |
| 53 | 6309000000 | old clothing | old clothing | |
| 54 | 6310100090 | Rags, sorted, of other textile materials (scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and their products) | Other textiles | |
| 55 | 6310900090 | Rags of other textile materials (scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and their products) | Other textiles | |

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| IX. Waste glass | | | | |
| 56 | 7001000010 | Waste cullet | Waste cullet | Including the waste glass of cathode-ray tubes and waste radioactive glass |
| X. Metal waste and waste containing metal | | | | |
| 57 | 7112301000 | Ashes containing silver or silver compound (used primarily for recovery of silver) | Ashes containing silver or silver compound | |
| 58 | 7112309000 | Ashes containing other precious metals or their compound (used primarily for recovery of precious metals) | Ashes containing other precious metals or their compound | |
| 59 | 7112912000 | Waste and scrap of gold and gold compound (including metal clad with gold but excluding sweepings containing other precious metals) | Waste and scrap of gold and gold compound | |
| 60 | 7112991000 | Waste and scrap of silver and silver compound (including metal clad with silver but excluding sweepings containing other precious metals) | Waste and scrap of silver and silver compound | |
| 61 | 7112992000 | Waste and scrap of precious metals or their compound (used primarily for recovery of precious metals) | Waste and scrap of precious metals or their compound | |
| 62 | 7401000010 | Deposited copper (copper precipitates) | Deposited copper (copper precipitates) | |
| XI. Others (not given by customs clearance system parameter library) | | | | |
| 63 | 2524 | Waste asbestos (dust and fibres) | Waste asbestos (dust and fibres) | |
| 64 | 6806 | Waste mineral fibre, slag wool, rock wool, similar mineral wool and ceramic fibre | Waste ceramic fibre similar to asbestos in physical chemical characteristics | |
| 65 | | Used waste plastic bags, films and nets | Used waste plastic bags, films and | Collected |

| No. | Custom code | Waste Name | Brief Name | Remark |
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| | | | nets | from household, sorted out from municipal waste, or used agricultural films, etc |
| 66 | | Waste fishing nets | Waste fishing nets | |
| 67 | | Waste sacks | Waste sacks | |
| 68 | 84, 85, 90 chapter | Other, of waste mechanical and electronic apparatus (including its parts and components, scraps, unless exempted by other laws) | Waste mechanical and electronic apparatus | Including scrap of battery and waste battery |
| 69 | 9504 | Waste electronic games | Waste electronic games | |

**Catalogue of Restricted Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials in China
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| No. | Custom Code | Waste Name | License descriptions | Remark |
|---|-------------|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| I. Waste of Sugars and sugar confectionery | | | | |
| 1 | 1703100000 | Cane molasses | Cane molasses | |
| 2 | 1703900000 | Other molasses | Other molasses | |
| II. Slag | | | | |
| 3 | 2618001000 | Granulated slag(slag sand) from the manufacture of iron or steel containing mainly Manganese | Granulated slag from the manufacture of iron or steel containing > 26% Manganese | Containing > 26% Manganese |
| 4 | 2619000010 | Mill scale from steel rolling | Mill scale from steel rolling | |
| 5 | 2619000020 | Slag, dross (other than granulated slag) from the manufacture of iron or steel containing Vanadium | Slag, dross from the manufacture of iron or steel containing Vanadium | For recycling Vanadium |
| 6 | 2620999010 | Slag, ash and residues (other than from the manufacture of iron or steel) containing > 10% V ₂ O ₅ | Slag, ash and residues (other than from the manufacture of iron or steel) containing > 10% V ₂ O ₅ | |
| 7 | 2620999020 | Convertor Slag from copper smelt containing > 10% copper; other slag from copper smelt | Convertor Slag from copper smelt containing > 10% copper | Used as material for copper smelt |
| 8 | | | Other slag from copper smelt | Used for vessel derusting |
| III. Waste, parings and scrap of plastics | | | | |
| 9 | 3915100000 | Waste, parings and scrap of polymers of ethylene | Waste, parings and scrap of polymers of ethylene | |
| 10 | 3915200000 | Waste, parings and scrap of polymers of styrene | Waste, parings and scrap of polymers of styrene | |

| No. | Custom Code | Waste Name | License descriptions | Remark |
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| 11 | 3915300000 | Waste, parings and scrap of polymers of vinyl chloride | Waste, parings and scrap of polymers of vinyl chloride | |
| 12 | 3915901000 | Waste, parings and scrap of polyethylene terephthalate | Waste, parings and scrap of PET | |
| 13 | 3915909000 | Waste, parings and scrap of other plastics | Waste, parings and scrap of polycarbonate | |
| 14 | | | Waste, parings and scrap of other plastics (other than polycarbonate) | |
| IV. Waste, parings and scrap of rubber | | | | |
| 15 | 4004000090 | Waste, parings and scrap of unvulcanized rubber and powders and granules obtained therefrom | Waste, parings and scrap of unvulcanized rubber | |
| V. Recovered (waste and scrap) paper and paperboard | | | | |
| 16 | 4707900090 | Other waste paper or paperboard, including unsorted waste and scrap | Other waste paper | Not including waste wallpaper, wax paper, paraffin paper, carbon paper |
| VI. Waste textiles | | | | |
| 17 | 5003001000 | Uncarded or uncombed silk waste (including cocoons unsuitable for reeling, yarn waste and garneted stock) | Uncarded or uncombed silk waste | |
| 18 | 5003009000 | Other silk waste (including cocoons unsuitable for reeling, yarn waste and garneted stock) | Other silk waste | |
| 19 | 5202100000 | Yarn waste (including thread waste) | Yarn waste | |
| 20 | 5202990000 | Other cotton waste | Other cotton waste | |
| 21 | 5505100000 | Waste (including noils, yarn waste and garneted stock) of synthetic fibres | Waste of synthetic fibres | |
| 22 | 5505200000 | Waste (including noils, yarn waste and garneted stock) of artificial fibres | Waste of artificial fibres | |
| 23 | 6310100010 | Sorted new or unused scrap articles of textile materials (scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and their | Scrap articles of textile materials | |

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| | | products) | | |
| 24 | 6310900010 | Other new or unused scrap articles of textile materials (scrap twine, cordage, rope and cables and their products) | Other scrap articles of textile materials | |
| VII. Metal scrap, including alloys | | | | |
| 25 | 7204210000 | Waste and scrap of stainless steel | Waste and scrap of stainless steel | |
| 26 | 7204490010 | compressed piece of scrap automobile | compressed piece of scrap automobile | |
| 27 | 7204490020 | Metal and electrical appliance scraps mainly for recycling iron and steel | Metal and electrical appliance scraps mainly for recycling iron and steel | |
| 28 | 7404000010 | Waste electric motors etc. mainly for recycling copper(including waste electric motors, wires, cables and metal and electrical appliance scraps) | Waste electric motors etc. mainly for recycling copper | |
| 29 | 7602000010 | Waste wires etc. mainly for recycling Aluminum (including waste wires, cables and metal and electrical appliance scraps) | Waste wires etc. mainly for recycling Aluminum | |
| 30 | 8101970000 | Waste and scrap of Tungsten | Waste and scrap of Tungsten | |
| 31 | 8104200000 | Waste and scrap of Magnesium | Waste and scrap of Magnesium | |
| 32 | 8108300000 | Waste and scrap of Titanium | Waste and scrap of Titanium | |
| 33 | 8113000010 | Waste and scrap of tungsten carbide | Waste and scrap of tungsten carbide | |
| 34 | 8908000000 | Vessels and other floating structures for breaking up | Waste vessels | |

**Catalogue of Automatic-Licensing Import Solid Wastes that Can Be Used as Raw Materials in China
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| No. | Custom Code | Waste Name | License descriptions | Remark |
|---|-------------|---|--|--------|
| I. Waste and scrap of wood and cork | | | | |
| 1 | 4401300000 | Sawdust and wood waste and scrap, whether or not agglomerated in logs, briquettes, pellets or similar forms | Wood scrap | |
| 2 | 4501901000 | Waste cork | Waste cork | |
| II. Recovered (waste and scrap) paper and paperboard | | | | |
| 3 | 4707100000 | Recovered (waste and scrap) unbleached kraft or corrugated paper or paperboard | Paper scrap | |
| 4 | 4707200000 | Recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard made mainly of bleached chemical pulp, not colored in the mass | Paper scrap | |
| 5 | 4707300000 | Recovered (waste and scrap) paper or paperboard made mainly of mechanical pulp (for example, newspapers, journals and similar printed matter) | Paper scrap | |
| III. Metal scrap, including alloys | | | | |
| 6 | 7112911010 | Waste and scrap of gold | Waste and scrap of gold | |
| 7 | 7112911090 | Waste and scrap of metal clad with gold but excluding sweepings containing other precious metals | Waste and scrap of metal clad with gold | |
| 8 | 7112921000 | Waste and scrap of platinum, including metal clad with platinum but excluding sweepings containing other precious metals | Waste and scrap of platinum, including metal clad with platinum but excluding sweepings containing other precious metals | |
| 9 | 7204100000 | Waste and scrap of cast iron | Waste iron & steel | |

| No. | Custom Code | Waste Name | License descriptions | Remark |
|-----|-------------|--|--------------------------|--------|
| 10 | 7204290000 | Other waste and scrap of alloy steel | Waste iron & steel | |
| 11 | 7204300000 | Waste and scrap of tinned iron or steel | Waste iron & steel | |
| 12 | 7204410000 | Turnings, shavings, chips, millings waste, sawdust, filings, trimmings and stampings | Waste iron & steel | |
| 13 | 7204490090 | Other ferrous waste and scrap | Waste iron & steel | |
| 14 | 7204500000 | Remelting scrap ingots | Waste iron & steel | |
| 15 | 7404000090 | Other copper waste and scrap | Copper waste and scrap | |
| 16 | 7503000000 | Nickel waste and scrap | Nickel waste and scrap | |
| 17 | 7602000090 | Other aluminum waste and scrap | Aluminum waste and scrap | |
| 18 | 7902000000 | Zinc waste and scrap | Zinc waste and scrap | |
| 19 | 8002000000 | Tin waste and scrap | Tin waste and scrap | |
| 20 | 8103300000 | Tantalum waste and scrap | Tantalum waste and scrap | |