

REF: INT 06/13

Item: Three or four-wheeled vehicles

Commodity:

Three or four-wheeled vehicles, driven by battery powered electric motors (150W continuous and 1700 W maximum power), having a horizontal platform which joins their front and rear portions, small tyres (290 mm in diameter), a rotating adjustable seat with foldable armrests at the rear, and handgrips on a steering column. This steering column can be moved forward and is equipped with a small control panel with an ignition switch, four speed buttons and levers for accelerating, braking and reversing the vehicle. The motor is started with a key and, after selection of the desired speed, the vehicle is accelerated when the speed lever on handgrip is squeezed and automatically braked when the lever is released. **The vehicle is operated in reverse by squeezing the opposite speed lever.** It can be equipped with a range of hand controls for one-handed or arthritics users, or with right/left handed options or other custom options for a driver. The vehicles can be used on footpaths and in public places to go shopping, fishing, to golf courses etc...

Photo:

Three- wheeled vehicle



Four - wheeled vehicle



Classification:

Heading 87.03, subheading 8703.1011 (New)

Rationale:

By application of GIR 1 and GIR 6 of the Harmonised Commodity Description and Coding System.

**Source: WCO Classification Opinion
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