

## GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF CUSTOMS VALUATION 7<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, CUSTOM HOUSE KARACHI Phone: 021-99214144

C. No. Misc/05/2024-VII/1619

Dated: 03-10-2024

## VALUATION RULING NO. 1908 / 2024

- This<sub>t</sub>Ruling shall be applicable until the same is rescinded or revised in terms of sub-section (4) of Section 25A of the Customs Act, 1969.
- The revision petition against this Valuation Ruling, can be filed under Section 25D of the Customs Act, 1969, within 30 days before the Director General, Customs Valuation.
- The values in valuation ruling shall be treated as minimum benchmark values and shall be applicable to the given description and specification of goods.

## Subject: <u>DETERMINATION OF CUSTOMS VALUE OF POWER TOOLS</u> UNDER SECTION 25A OF THE CUSTOMS ACT, 1969.

| 1. | Dates of meetings with | The meetings with relevant stakeholders were conducted on |  |  |  |  |
|----|------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
|    | stakeholders           | 22.04.2024, 07.08.2024 and 05.09.2024                     |  |  |  |  |

2. Background of the Issue: In pursuance of analysis of import data, current market trends, the difference in market prices and customs values, an exercise for the determination of customs values of subject goods was initiated under Section 25 and 25A of the Customs Act, 1969.

3. Analysis to determine Customs Values: The stakeholders contented that there is huge under invoicing of power tools in Pakistan by certain importers which can be verified from PRAL Data. The market inquiry and international publication prices confirmed the values are on higher side.

Method (s) adopted to determine Customs values: To determine the transaction values 4. of goods, valuation methods specified in Section 25 of the Customs Act, 1969, were duly considered in sequential order to arrive at the Customs values of subject goods. The transaction value method as provided in sub-section (1) of Section 25 of the Customs Act, 1969, was found inapplicable due to absence of information as required under sub-section (2) of Section 25 of Customs Act, 1969. Therefore, identical goods value method provided in Section 25(5) was examined for applicability to determine Customs values of subject goods. However, it was found that the same could not be solely relied upon due to absence of demonstrable evidences of quantities and qualities. Information available was, hence, found incomplete. Subsequently, similar goods value method provided in Section 25(6) was also examined for applicability to determine Customs values of subject goods. The import data of power tools for the last 90 days was examined. However, Declared Values (DV) of both identical and similar goods showed consistent variations. Hence, this method was also found inapplicable. The deductive valuation methods as envisaged under Sub-Section (7) of Section 25 of the Customs Act, 1969 was relied upon to determine actual transaction value of goods. A market inquiry has been conducted in the light of this Directorate's office order No. 17/2014 dated 19.03.2014 and the values in international market were also re-confirmed through the QY research report.



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5. Customs values for Power Tools – In light of above, the customs values of power tools are determined and *hereinafter specified* shall be the customs value for assessment of duty / taxes given against them in the Table below: -

| Sr. No. | Description of Goods                           | PCT<br>Code | Proposed PCT Code for<br>WeBOC | Origin         | Customs Values (C&F)<br>US\$/Piece |          |         |
|---------|--|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|----------|---------|
| (1)     | (2)  | (3)         | (4)                            | (5)            | (6)                                |          |         |
|         |  |             |                                |                | Category                           | Category | Categor |
| 1       | Angle Grinder used with 100mm disc             | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1000                 |                | 30.0                               | 10.0     | 6.0     |
| 2       | Angle Grinder used with 125mm disc             | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1100                 |                | 36.0                               | 12.0     | 7.0     |
| 3       | Angle Grinder used with 180mm disc             | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1200                 |                | 75.0                               | 25.0     | 15.0    |
| 4       | Angle Grinder used with 230mm disc             | 8457.2900   | 8467.2900.1300                 |                | 84.0                               | 28.0     | 17.0    |
| 5       | Lithium ion Angle<br>Grinder (without battery) | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1400                 |                | 78.0                               | 26.0     | 16.0    |
| 6       | Lithium ion Angle<br>Grinder (with battery)    | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1500                 |                | 159.0                              | 50.0     | 30.0    |
| 7       | Die Grinder, Input Power:<br>200W              | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1600                 |                | 36.0                               | 12.0     | 7.0     |
| 8       | Impact Wrench, Input<br>Power :1050W           | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1700                 |                | 117.0                              | 39.0     | 23.0    |
| 9       | Lithium ion Impact<br>Wrench                   | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.1800                 |                | 150.0                              | 50.0     | 30.0    |
| 10      | Demolition Breaker, Input<br>Power:1300W       | 8467 2900   | 8467.2900.1900                 |                | 126.0                              | 42.0     | 25.0    |
| 11      | Demolition Breaker, Input<br>Power:1700W       | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.2000                 |                | 234.0                              | 78.0     | 47.0    |
| 12      | Rotary Hammer, Input<br>Power:650W             | 8467.2900   | 8467,2900,2100                 | All<br>Origins | 63.0                               | 21.0     | 13.0    |
| 13      | Rotary Hammer, Input<br>Power:800W             | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.2200                 |                | 78.0                               | 26.0     | 16.0    |
| 14      | Rotary Hammer, Input<br>Power:1050W            | 8467.2900   | 8457.2900.2300                 |                | 90.0                               | 30.0     | 18.0    |
| 15      | Rotary Hammer, Input<br>Power:1800W            | 8467.2900   | 8467.2900.2400                 |                | 120.0                              | 40.0     | 24.0    |
| 16      | Lithium ion Rotary<br>Hammer                   | 8467.2990   | 8467.2900.2500                 |                | 210.0                              | 70.0     | 42.0    |
| 17      | Electric Drill, Input<br>Power:450W            | 8467.2100   | 8467.2100.1000                 |                | 27.0                               | 9.0      | 6.0     |
| 18      | Impact Drill, Inpat<br>Power.810W              | 8467.2100   | 8467.2100.1100                 |                | 36.0                               | 12.0     | 7.0     |
| 19      | Lithium ion Impact Drill                       | 8467.2100   | 8467.2100.1200                 |                | 90.0                               | 30.0     | 18.0    |
| 20      | Lithium ion Cordless Drill                     | 8467.2100   | 8467.2100.1300                 |                | 60.0                               | 20.0     | 12.0    |
| 21      | Circular Saw, Input<br>Power: 1400W            | 8467.2200   | 8467.2200.1000                 |                | 72.0                               | 24.0     | 15.0    |
| 22      | Lithium ion Circular Saw                       | 8467.2200   | 8467.2200.1100                 |                | 84.0                               | 28.0     | 17.0    |



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| 23 | Chain saw   | 8467.8100 | 8467.8100.1000 | 153.0 | 51.0 | 31.0 |
|----|---|-----------|----------------|-------|------|------|
| 24 | Jig saw, Input Power: 400<br>W                            | 8467.2900 | 8467.2900.2600 | 33.0  | 11.0 | 7.0  |
| 25 | High-Pressure Washer Jet<br>Project, Input<br>Power:1200W | 8424.3000 | 8424.3000.1000 | 75.0  | 25.0 | 15.0 |
| 26 | Heat Gun, Input<br>Power:2000W                            | 8467.2900 | 8467.2900.2700 | 27.0  | 9.0  | 6.0  |
| 27 | Cordless-Screw Driver                                     | 8467.2900 | 8467.2900.2800 | 27.0  | 9.0  | 6.0  |
| 28 | Blower, Input<br>Power:400W                               | 8414.5910 | 8414.5910.1000 | 21.0  | 7.0  | 5.0  |
| 29 | Lithium ion Blower  | 8414.5910 | 8414.5910.1100 | 27.0  | 9.0  | 6.0  |
| 30 | Marble Cutter, Input<br>Power:1400W                       | 8467.2900 | 8467.2900.2900 | 66.0  | 22.0 | 13.0 |
| 31 | Orbital Sander  | 8467.2900 | 8467.2900.3000 | 45.0  | 15.0 | 9.0  |

<u>Category A:</u> The values mentioned at Column 6(A) are for brands of Power Tools: Bosch, Makita, Hitachi, AEG, Dewalt, Black & Decker, Milwakee, Hyundai, Daewoo, Siemens

Category B: The values mentioned at Column 6(B) are for brands of Power Tools: Ingco, Total, EM top, Goacheng, Doncheng, Sancan, Jadewar, Crown, Boda, DCA, Uyus Tools, SMT, Wika, Hoteche, Ronix, Prescote, Energizer, Wadfow

Category C: The values mentioned at Column 6(C) are for other low end brands.

6. In cases, where declared values or values in invoice retrieved from the consignment, as the case may be, are higher than the customs values determined in this valuation ruling, the assessment shall me made on higher values in terms of sub-section (1) of Section 25 of the Customs Act, 1969.

7. In case of consignments imported by air, the difference between air freight and sea freight shall be added for the assessment of value.

8. The VR shall be applicable for the descriptions and specifications of goods as mentioned in the aforementioned table. HS Codes are mentioned for illustrative purposes.

9. The Collectorates of customs shall ensure the implementation of VR and in case of any anomaly may be brought to the notice of this Directorate immediately.

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