2.2. DESCRIPTION GUIDELINES

By means of the sign “X” in the pertaining column, it is indicated between or within the IATA Areas the guidelines on use of descriptions are binding.	Guidelines binding			
	Within IATA Area 1	Within IATA Area 2	Within IATA Area 3	between all other areas
APPLIANCES as used in Item 8550 includes chairs, stools and/or operating tables used in Dentistry and/or Surgery.		X	X	X
CASSETTES AND/OR CARTRIDGES may be considered as recording tape.		X		
CRABS, CRAYFISH, EELS, LOBSTERS, SOFT SHELL TURTLES, SNAILS, TROUT, when shipped live, need not be considered as subject to the live animal rate and may be classified under the appropriate foodstuffs or seafood item.		X	X	X
All DIAMONDS are considered as precious stones.			X	X
ELECTRIC shall also mean electronic.		X	X	X
ELECTRICALLY OPERATED DISPLAY BOARDS for automatic indication of data and time may qualify under Item 4416.		X		X
FROGS when shipped live, need not be considered as subject to the live animal rate and may be classified under the appropriate foodstuff item.		X	X	
FUR PLATES made from sewn scraps can be carried under a description allowing for furs, hides, pelts and skins.		X	X	X
GIFT PARCELS may include coffee, tea and betel leaves.			X	X
HATCHING EGGS are not to be considered as foodstuffs.	X		X	X
LIGHTING FIXTURES as used in Item 4416 may include electrical, gas or oil lighting fixtures.		X	X	X
MARINE AUTOMATIC PILOTS AND/OR RADAR may be carried under Items 4499 and 4999.		X	X	
PHOTOGRAPHIC AND PROJECTION EQUIPMENT, ACCESSORIES OR SUPPLIES cannot be classified as electrical equipment and/or appliances.			X	X
PHOTOGRAPHIC PAPER may include sensitized paper used in duplication by electrostatic machines.		X	X	X
POCKET OR PALM-SIZE CALCULATORS shall be classified as office machines.			X	X
RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS are excluded from all commodity descriptions, unless specifically included.	X	X	X	X
SAUSAGE CASINGS do not qualify for specific commodity rates under foodstuffs.		X		
SELF PROPELLED AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, as used in the description of Item 4235 shall include devices used in agricultural activities whether or not pushed/pulled by self propelled agricultural machines.	X	X	X	X
SLIDES whether or not processed, as pertaining to photographic products shall be considered as film and not as photographs.		X	X	X
SPECTOMETERS shall not be classified as being electrical appliances wherever a measuring calibrating or testing instruments rate exists.		X	X	X
SUNGLASSES may be classified as spectacles.		X	X	X
SURFACE VEHICLE BATTERIES shall be considered as parts of surface vehicles and not as accessories thereof.		X	X	X
TOUPEES, WIGS AND SWITCHES, finished or semi-finished made of natural or synthetic material shall not be classified as being yarn, thread and/or fibres, textile manufactures or clothing/wearing apparel.		X		X
WEARING APPAREL as used in Items 2198/2199/2200 includes footwear.		X	X	X

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