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Quick View

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**Quick View:** Multiple entries in the “viz.” of item 18260 are removed and replaced with “Bed or Cargo Liners, Storage Boxes or Organizers.”

Transportation Characteristics Present:

- Handling ☐Yes ☒No    Stowability ☐Yes ☒No    Liability ☐Yes ☒No    Density ☒Yes ☐No

Provisions based on:

- FCDC’s 13-subprovision density scale

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Present Classification Provisions

| Item   | Description   | Class |
|--------|---|-------|
|        | <b>AUTOMOBILE PARTS GROUP:</b> subject to item 17800  |       |
| 18260  | <b>Body Parts; Parts; or Trim; viz.:</b><br><b>Accessories</b> , NOI, in packages;<br><b>Pickup Truck Bed Liners</b> , molded plastic, in packages;<br><b>Pickup Truck Bed Storage Boxes or Organizers</b> , see Note,<br>item 18268, in packages;<br>[Other Articles Listed—Not Involved.]<br>Subject to Item 170 and having a density in pounds per cubic<br>foot of: |       |
| Sub 1  | Less than 1 .....   | 400   |
| Sub 2  | 1 but less than 2.....  | 300   |
| Sub 3  | 2 but less than 4.....  | 250   |
| Sub 4  | 4 but less than 6.....  | 175   |
| Sub 5  | 6 but less than 8.....  | 125   |
| Sub 6  | 8 but less than 10.....   | 100   |
| Sub 7  | 10 but less than 12.....  | 92.5  |
| Sub 8  | 12 but less than 15.....  | 85    |
| Sub 9  | 15 but less than 22.5.....  | 70    |
| Sub 10 | 22.5 but less than 30.....  | 65    |
| Sub 11 | 30 but less than 35.....  | 60    |
| Sub 12 | 35 but less than 50.....  | 55    |
| Sub 13 | 50 or greater.....  | 50    |
| 18268  | NOTE—Applies on storage boxes or organizers for installation in pickup truck<br>beds, having enclosed drawers and a top that serves as a raised deck the<br>full length and width of the truck bed.   |       |

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Proposed Classification Provisions

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| 18260 | <b>Body Parts; Parts; or Trim; viz.:</b><br><b>Accessories</b> , NOI, in packages;<br><b>⇒Bed or Cargo Liners, Storage Boxes or Organizers</b> , NOI, in packages;<br><del>⇒Pickup Truck Bed Liners</del> , molded plastic, in packages;<br><del>⇒Pickup Truck Bed Storage Boxes or Organizers</del> , see Note,<br>item 18268, in packages;<br>[Other Articles Listed—No Change.]<br>Subject to Item 170 and having a density in pounds per cubic<br>foot of:<br>Sub 1 Less than 1 .....400<br>Sub 2 1 but less than 2.....300<br>Sub 3 2 but less than 4.....250<br>Sub 4 4 but less than 6.....175<br>Sub 5 6 but less than 8.....125<br>Sub 6 8 but less than 10.....100<br>Sub 7 10 but less than 12.....92.5<br>Sub 8 12 but less than 15.....85<br>Sub 9 15 but less than 22.5.....70<br>Sub 10 22.5 but less than 30.....65<br>Sub 11 30 but less than 35.....60<br>Sub 12 35 but less than 50.....55<br>Sub 13 50 or greater.....50 |       |
| 18268 | NOTE—⇒Cancel; no further application.  |       |

Analysis and Conclusion

To address interpretive concerns, this proposal would amend the “viz.” listing of item 18260<sup>20</sup> by removing multiple provisions applying on vehicle liners, storage boxes, or organizers and consolidating them into one listing, naming “Bed or Cargo Liners, Storage Boxes or Organizers, NOI,” in the interest of clarification and simplification.

Additionally, Note, item 18268 would be canceled with no further application.

<sup>20</sup> Item 18260 provides the FCDC’s standard 13-subprovision density scale, which includes reference to Item (Rule) 170, the inadvertence clause.