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SUBJECT XX: Boxes, Enclosures, Manholes or Vaults, underground utility service, reinforced plastic mortar – Item 50970

Re: Boxes, Enclosures, Manholes or Vaults, underground utility service, reinforced plastic mortar – Item 50970

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Proponent: Freight Classification Development Center

Quick View

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Quick View: The material construction requirements are removed from the listing for underground utility service boxes, enclosures, manholes or vaults in item 50970.

Transportation Characteristics Present:

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

Provisions based on:

- FCDC's 13-sub density scale

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Present Classification Provisions

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	CONDUITS, OTHER THAN EARTHEN, GROUP: subject to item 50750	
50970	Conduits, Pipe, Smokestacks, Tubing or Fittings, other than clay, concrete or earthen, viz.: Boxes, Enclosures, Manholes or Vaults, underground utility service, reinforced plastic mortar, in packages; [Other Articles Listed—Not Involved.] Subject to Item 170 and having a density in pounds per cubic 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
50971	NOTE—Not Involved.	

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Proposed Classification Provisions

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Analysis and Conclusion

To alleviate interpretive issues, and to foster clarification and simplification, this proposal would remove the material construction requirements from the listing for underground utility service boxes, enclosures, manholes or vaults in item 50970.