**U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION**

**FIELD OPERATIONS, NEW YORK**

##### INFORMATIONAL PIPELINE NO. 14-###-NYFO

**TO** All Importers, Customhouse Brokers andOthers Concerned

**SUBJECT** Harmonized Tariff Schedule Assignments for Commodity Specialist Teams in the New York Field Office

**DATE**

The New York Field Office is realigning commodity specialist teams to correspond with the industry coverage of the Centers of Excellence and Expertise (CEEs) within the ports of JFK and New York/Newark. Under this realignment, all cargo release issues will be handled by the port of unlading. Post entry summaries will be shared by teams in both locations unless specifically broken out below. The new team assignments will be established on October 6, 2014. Details of the commodity coverage and contact names and phone numbers are detailed below and on attached.

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| **JoAnne Colonnello** |  | | |  |
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| **Trade Operations Branch I** | | | | **(973) 368-6781** |
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| **Team** | **Supervisor** | | | **CEE** |
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| (718) 487-2558 | (718)487-2473 | | |
| 214 | Dolores Nisbett | | | Textiles |
| (718) 487-2530 | (718) 487-2467 | | |
| 224 | Louise Cambero | | | Men's Apparel |
| (973) 368-6040 | (973) 368-6943 | | |
| 234 | Nicole Rosso | | | Footwear |
| (973) 368-6060 | (973) 368-6783 | | |
| 205 | Suzana Mikulka | | | Base Metals |
| (973) 368-6070 | (973) 368-6851 | | |
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| **Team** | **Supervisor** | | | **CEE** |
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| 213 | Christopher Polashock | | | Automotive & Aerospace |
| (973) 368-6110 | (973) 368-6869 | | |
| 206 | Laurie Young | | | Petroleum & Natural Gas |
| (973) 368-6090 | (973) 368-6784 | | |
| 210 | Nathaniel Lewis | | | Machinery |
| (973) 368-6150 | (973) 368-6938 | | |
| 220 | Joseph Perone | | | Machinery |
| (718) 487-2518 | (718) 487-2583 | | |
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| (973) 368-6050 | | (973) 368-6842 |  | | |
| 217 | | Antoinette Cordi | Electronics | | |
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| 202 | | George Dunn | Agriculture & Prepared Products | | |
| (718) 487-2466 | | (718)487-2584 |
| 212 | | Caryn Wise | Agriculture & Prepared Products: HTS 1, 2, 3, 5, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24 | | |
| (973) 368-6140 | | (973) 368-6779 |
| 222 | | Roslyn Skyles | Agriculture & Prepared Products: HTS 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21 | | |
| (973) 368-6120 | | (973) 368-6846 |
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| **Team** | | **Supervisor** | **CEE** | | |
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| (718) 487-2499 | | (718) 487-2472 |
| 211 | | Santos Perez | Pharmaceuticals & Health Products | | |
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| 208 | | Michelle Torres | Consumer Products & Mass Merchandising | | |
| (718) 487-2524 | | (718) 487-2582 |
| 218 | | Roseanne Murphy | Consumer Products & Mass Merchandising | | |
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