

# CUSTOMER ADVISORY

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- [\*\*U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission \(CPSC\) Issues Updated Guidance & eFiling on Harmonized Tariff Schedule \(HTS\) list to be flagged in ACE beginning July 8, 2026\*\*](#), to support importers & customs brokers in preparing for full implementation of CPSC's Electronic Filing requirement for Certificates of Compliance. This includes a list of approximately 600 HTS codes CPSC believes are likely to include products subject to a mandatory standard or are otherwise deemed high risk. Responsibility for submitting an eFiled certificate, when required, **rests with the importer**. Visit the above link to access this newly published list, along with info on related guidance and supporting materials.
- [\*\*U.S. Customs and Border Patrol \(CBP\) Outlines in Federal Register Notice\*\*](#) plan for implementing electronic bond process. Industry comments regarding this proposed rule are due by April 14.
- [\*\*Pay Now or Pay Later\*\*](#) - CBP trade violations can quickly escalate into criminal investigations if willful fraud is suspected or reported by third parties. [\*\*U.S. CBP\*\*](#), [\*\*Tobacco Tax & Trade Bureau \(TTB\)\*\*](#), [\*\*U.S. Department of Justice \(DOJ\)\*\*](#), [\*\*U.S. Treasury\*\*](#), can work together on suspicion of tax evasion, false statements, money laundering or schemes to avoid duties or import restrictions or engage in exports restricted by the [\*\*U.S. Bureau of Industry and Security \(BIS\)\*\*](#) under the [\*\*Export Administration Regulations \(EAR\)\*\*](#).
- [\*\*CSMS # 67747060 - ACE Duty Calculations for up to 32 Harmonized Tariff Schedule \(HTS\) Codes Set to Deploy February 17, 2026\*\*](#)



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### Upcoming February Webinars:

- [Forced Labor Portal Overview](#) — Wednesday, February 18, 2026, 1:00 p.m. EST
- [Wood Packaging Materials \(WPM\): Navigating Compliance](#) — Thursday, February 19, 2026, 12:00 p.m. EST
- [Agriculture Permits Overview](#) — Wed., Feb.25, 2026, 1:00 p.m. EST
- [New World Screwworm Impact](#) — Thurs., Feb.26, 2026, 12:00 p.m. EST

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