

Section XIII

**ARTICLES OF STONE, PLASTER, CEMENT, ASBESTOS, MICA OR SIMILAR MATERIALS;
GLASS AND GLASSWARE**

Chapter 68

Articles of stone, plaster, cement, asbestos, mica or similar materials

Notes.

I.- This Chapter does not cover :

- (a) Goods of Chapter 25;
- (b) Coated, impregnated or covered paper and paperboard in each case. of heading 48.10 or 48.11 (for example, paper coated with mica powder or graphite, bituminised or asphalted paper);
- (c) Coated impregnated or covered textile fabric of Chapter 56 or 59 (for example, fabric coated or covered with mica powder, bituminised or asphalted fabric);
- (d) Articles of Chapter 71 ;
- (e) Tools or parts of tools, of Chapter 82;
- (f) Lithographic stones of heading 84.42;
- (g) Electrical insulators (heading 85.46) or fittings of insulating material of heading 85.47;
- (h) Dental burrs (heading 90.18);
- (ij) Articles of Chapter 91 (for example, clocks and clock cases);
- (k) Articles of Chapter 94 (for example, furniture, lamps and lighting fittings, prefabricated buildings);
- (l) Articles of Chapter 95 (for example, toys, games and sports requisites);
- (m) Articles of heading 96.02, if made of materials specified in Note 2 (b) to Chapter 96 or of heading No. 96.06 (for example, buttons), No. 96.09 (or example, slate pencils) or No. 96.10 (for example, drawing slates); or
- (n) Articles of Chapter 97 (for example, works of art).

2.- In heading 68.02 the expression " worked monumental or building stone " applies not only to the varieties of stone referred to in heading 25.15 or 25.16 but also to all other natural stone (for example, quartzite, flint, dolomite and steatite) similarly worked; it does not, however, apply to slate.

HEADING NO	H.S CODE	DESCRIPTION	UINT	DUTY RATE
68.01		Setts, curbstones and flagstones, of natural stone (except slate).		
	68 01 00 10	- - - Of sandstone	Value	5%
	68 01 00 20	- - - Of granite	Value	5%
	68 01 00 30	- - - Of porphyry	Value	5%
	68 01 00 40	- - - Of marble	Value	5%
	68 01 00 90	- - - Of other natural stones	Value	5%
68.02		Worked monumental or building stone (except slate) and articles thereof, other than goods of heading 68.01; mosaic cubes and the like, of natural stone (including slate), whether or not on a backing; artificially coloured granules, chippings and powder, of natural stone (including slate).		
	68 02 10 00	- Tiles, cubes and similar articles whether or not rectangular (including square), the largest surface area of which is capable of being enclosed in a square the side of which is less than 7 cm; artificially coloured granules, chippings and powder	Value	5%
		- Other monumental or building stone and articles thereof, simply cut or sawn, with a flat or even surface :		
	68 02 21 00	- - Marble, travertine and alabaster	Value	5%
	68 02 23 00	- - Granite	Value	5%
	68 02 29 00	- - Other stone	Value	5%
		- Other :		
		- - Marble, travertine and alabaster :		
	68 02 91 10	- - - Steps, cornices, balustrades, doors or windows frames and lintels, thresholds, boundary stones and milestones and the like	Value	5%
		- - - Fixed bathroom equipment:		
	68 02 91 21	- - - - Bathtubs	Value	5%
	68 02 91 22	- - - - Wash basins	Value	5%
	68 02 91 23	- - - - Fountain basins	Value	5%
	68 02 91 29	- - - - Other	Value	5%

HEADING NO	H.S CODE	DESCRIPTION	UINT	DUTY RATE
	68 02 91 30	- - - Flower pots and artificial fruits and foliages	Value	5%
	68 02 91 40	- - - Columns, pedestrals, bases and capitals for columns	Value	5%
	68 02 91 50	- - - Cups, boxes and ash trays	Value	5%
	68 02 91 60	- - - Paper weights and writing aid	Value	5%
	68 02 91 70	- - - Stone slabs forming the tops of articles of furniture (for buffets, sinks, tables etc)	Value	5%
	68 02 91 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
	68 02 92 00	- - Other calcareous stone	Value	5%
	68 02 93 00	- - Granite	Value	5%
	68 02 99 00	- - Other stone	Value	5%
68.03		Worked slate and articles of slate or of agglomerated slate.		
	68 03 00 10	- - - Tiles and blocks for buildings or road paving	Value	5%
	68 03 00 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
68.04		Millstones, grindstones, grinding wheels and the like, without frameworks, for grinding, sharpening, polishing, trueing or cutting, hand sharpening or polishing stones, and parts thereof, of natural stone, of agglomerated natural or artificial abrasives, or of ceramics, with or without parts of other materials.		
	68 04 10 00	- Millstones and grindstones for milling, grinding or pulping	Value	5%
		- Other millstones, grindstones, grinding wheels and the like :		
	68 04 21 00	- - Of agglomerated synthetic or natural diamond	Value	5%
	68 04 22 00	- - Of Other agglomerated abrasives or of ceramics	Value	5%
	68 04 23 00	- - Of natural stone	Value	5%
	68 04 30 00	- Hand sharpening or polishing stones	Value	5%

HEADING NO	H.S CODE	DESCRIPTION	UINT	DUTY RATE
68.05		Natural or artificial abrasive powder or grain, on a base of textile material, of paper, of paperboard or of other materials, whether or not cut to shape or sewn or otherwise made up.		
	68 05 10 00	- On a base of woven textile fabric only	Value	5%
	68 05 20 00	- On a base of Paper or paperboard only	Value	5%
	68 05 30 00	- On a base of other materials	Value	5%
68.06		Slag wool, rock wool and similar mineral wools exfoliated vermiculite, expanded clays, foamed slag and similar expanded mineral materials; mixtures and articles of heat-insulating, sound-insulating or sound-absorbing mineral materials, other than those of heading 68.11 or 68.12 or of Chapter 69.		
	68 06 10 00	- Slag wool, rock wool and similar mineral wools (including intermixtures thereof), in bulk, sheets or rolls	Value	5%
	68 06 20 00	- Exfoliated vermiculite, expanded clays, foamed Slag and similar expanded mineral materials (including intermixtures thereof)	Value	5%
	68 06 90 00	- Other	Value	5%
68.07		Articles of asphalt or of similar material (for example, petroleum bitumen or coal tar pitch).		
	68 07 10 00	- In rolls	Value	5%
		- Other :		
	68 07 90 10	- - - Tiles, bricks and tiling stones	Value	5%
	68 07 90 20	- - - Ceiling and building boards	Value	5%
	68 07 90 30	- - - Pipes and fittings thereof	Value	5%
	68 07 90 40	- - - Cast or moulded tableware	Value	5%
	68 07 90 90	- - - Other	Value	5%

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68.08	68 08 00 00	Panels, boards, tiles, blocks and similar articles of vegetable fibre, of straw or of shavings, chips, particles, sawdust or other waste, of wood, agglomerated with cement, plaster or other mineral binders.	Value	5%
68.09		Articles of plaster or of compositions based on plaster .		
		- Boards, sheets, panels, tiles and similar articles, not ornamented :		
	68 09 11 00	- - Faced or reinforced with paper or paperboard only	Value	5%
	68 09 19 00	- - Other	Value	5%
		- Other articles :		
	68 09 90 10	- - - Boards,sheets, panels, tiles and similar articles, ornamented	Value	5%
	68 09 90 20	- - - Ornamental moulded articles such as patterns,columns, bowls, flower pots, vases and similar articles	Value	5%
	68 09 90 30	- - - Industrial moulds	Value	5%
	68 09 90 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
68.10		Articles of cement, of concrete or of artificial stone, whether or not reinforced.		
		- Tiles, flagstones, bricks and similar articles :		
	68 10 11 00	- - Building blocks and bricks	Value	5%
		- - Other :		
	68 10 19 10	- - - Roofing bricks	Value	5%
		- - - Tiles :		
	68 10 19 21	- - - - Paving blocks and slabs	Value	5%
	68 10 19 22	- - - - Tiles covered with a layer of ground stone for flooring or roofing	Value	5%
	68 10 19 23	- - - - Crushed marble tiles	Value	5%
	68 10 19 29	- - - - Other	Value	5%
	68 10 19 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
		- Other articles :		
	68 10 91 00	- - Prefabricated structural components for building or civil engineering	Value	5%

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		- - Other :		
	68 10 99 10	- - - Fixed bathroom articles	Value	5%
	68 10 99 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
68.11		Articles of asbestos-cement, of cellulose fibre-cement or the like.		
	68 11 40 00	- Containing asbestos	PROHIBITED	
		- Not containing asbestos :		
	68 11 81 00	- - Corrugated sheets	Value	5%
	68 11 82 00	- - Other sheets, panels, tiles and similar articles	Value	5%
		- - Other articles:		
	68 11 89 10	- - - Tanks	Value	5%
	68 11 89 20	- - - Basins and fixed bathroom fittings	Value	5%
	68 11 89 30	- - - Vases	Value	5%
	68 11 89 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
68.12		Fabricated asbestos fibres; mixtures with a basis of asbestos or with a basis of asbestos and magnesium carbonate; articles of such mixtures or of asbestos (for example, thread, woven fabric, clothing, headgear, footwear, gaskets), whether or not reinforced, other than goods of heading 68.11 or 68.13.		
	68 12 80 00	- Of crocidolite	PROHIBITED	
		- Other :		
	68 12 91 00	- - Clothing, clothing accessories, footwear and headgear	Value	5%
	68 12 92 00	- - Paper, millboard and felt	Value	5%
	68 12 93 00	- - Compressed asbestos fibre jointing, in sheets or rolls	PROHIBITED	
	68 12 99 00	- - Other	Value	5%

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68.13		Friction material and articles thereof (for example, sheets, rolls, strips, segments, discs, washers, pads), not mounted, for brakes, for clutches or the like, with a basis of asbestos, of other mineral substances or of cellulose, whether or not combined with textile or other materials.		
	68 13 20 00	- Containing asbestos	PROHIBITED	
		- Not containing asbestos :		
	68 13 81 00	- - Brake linings and pads	Value	5%
	68 13 89 00	- - Other	Value	5%
68.14		Worked mica and articles of mica, including agglomerated or reconstituted mica, whether or not on a support of paper, paperboard or other materials.		
	68 14 10 00	- Plates, sheets and strips of agglomerated or reconstituted mica, whether or not on a support	Value	5%
		- Other :		
	68 14 90 10	- - - Pipes, ducts and similar moulded articles	Value	5%
	68 14 90 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
68.15		Articles of stone or of other mineral substances (including carbon fibres, articles of carbon fibres and articles of peat), not elsewhere specified or included.		
		- Non-electrical articles of graphite or other carbon :		
	68 15 10 10	- - - Filter tubes and discs	Value	5%
	68 15 10 20	- - - Axial ignots	Value	5%
	68 15 10 30	- - - Worked bricks and tiles	Value	5%
	68 15 10 40	- - - Moulds for the manufacture of articles of delicate design (e.g., coins, medals, lead soldiers for collections)	Value	5%
	68 15 10 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
		- Articles of peat :		
	68 15 20 10	- - - Plates	Value	5%
	68 15 20 20	- - - Cylindrical shapes	Value	5%

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	68 15 20 30	- - - Plant pots	Value	5%
	68 15 20 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
		- Other articles :		
		- - Containing magnesite, dolomite or chromite :		
	68 15 91 10	- - - Unfired bricks and other forms of dolomite agglomerated with tar	Value	5%
	68 15 91 20	- - - Bricks and other shapes of unfired magnesite or chrome-magnisite	Value	5%
	68 15 91 90	- - - Other	Value	5%
		- - Other :		
	68 15 99 10	- - - Unfired pots of silice or alum (e.g., those used for melting glass)	Value	5%
	68 15 99 20	- - - Touchstone for testing precious metals	Value	5%
	68 15 99 30	- - - Paving blocks and slabs	Value	5%
	68 15 99 40	- - - Filter tubes of finely 'Chapter 69'!crushed and agglomerated quartz or flint	Value	5%
	68 15 99 50	- - - Other blocks, slabs or sheets of melted basalt	Value	5%
	68 15 99 90	- - - Other	Value	5%