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11 April 2023

Excellency,

On behalf of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006), I have the honour to refer to your letter dated 4 April 2023, conveying to the Committee a request for a further adjustment of the timeframe for the exemption granted to the Republic of Korea on 13 August 2020 and extended until 22 February 2023, pursuant to paragraph 25 of resolution 2397 (2017), on behalf of the nongovernmental organization Medical Aid for Children (MAC), to engage in humanitarian activities in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, in particular for a medical equipment assistance project aimed at providing healthcare services to children and other vulnerable groups, for an exceptional 12 months, due to challenges related to the shipment of goods as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

I wish to inform you that, following due consideration of the information provided, the Committee has decided to further adjust the timeframe for the exemption until 10 April 2024, to allow for the shipment to the DPRK of the abovementioned items, in accordance with paragraph 25 of Security Council resolution 2397 (2017).

The Committee would like to thank the Republic of Korea for its diligence.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed)

Pascale Baeriswyl
Chair
Security Council Committee established
pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)

His Excellency Mr. Joonkook Hwang Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea to the United Nations New York

Attachment:

-List of Items and Services for Transfer to the DPRK

Exemption Requests of the goods and/or services

Attachment 2 contains the detailed account of the goods/services to be provided within the next twelve months

Planned shipment date: as stated in the application

No.	HS Code	Product name	Standard	Unit	Volume	Value	Manufacturer	Purpose	Beneficiaries	Other Information
1	9018498000	CAD/CAM Milling Machine (DWX-52D)	*Except for computer *Loadable workpiece shape: External Diameter 98.5mm/Max Height 60mm/Step 10mm/Pin Type Diameter 6mm *Operating Speed: XYZ axis, 6 to 1,800 mm/min *Number of burs housed 15 *Attachable bur: Shank Diameter 4mm/Length 40-55mm *Weight 147.7 lbs.(67kg) *Installation environment: Attitude up to 6,525 ft.(2,000m) / Temperature 41 to 104 °F, 5 to 40 °C / Humidity 35 to 80% / Ambient pollution degree 2 (as specified by IEC 60664-1)	EA	12			The purpose of this project is provide medical equipment to improve the oral health and nutrition of the vulnerable groups such as pregnant women, children and the elderly	The periodontal disease patients	
2	8207909000	Milling Bur (Roland)	20set *Overall Length: 50, Shank 4	EA	12			As above	As above	
3	8474809000	Zubler Vairo S400 Sintering Furnace	Dimension(W x H x D) : 330mm x 830mm x 570mm Weight : 55kg Voltage: 220V -240V~50/60hz Power: 1900W Control accuracy at 1500 °C +/- 3°C	EA	12			As above	As above	
4	8471601040	Model Scaaner (Medit T300)	*Camera Resolution 2 x 2 MP cameras *Scanning Volume: 90mm x 72mm x 60mm *Dimensions: 290mm x 290mm x 340mm *Impression Scanning 2-axis manual *Weight: 12kg *Scan Speed: 24sec	EA	12			As above	As above	
Total										



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22 February 2022

Excellency,

On behalf of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006), I have the honour to refer to your letter dated 17 February 2022, conveying to the Committee a request for a further adjustment of the timeframe for the exemption granted to the Republic of Korea on 13 August 2020 and extended until 9 February 2022, pursuant to paragraph 25 of resolution 2397 (2017), on behalf of the nongovernmental organization Medical Aid for Children (MAC), to engage in humanitarian activities in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, in particular for a medical equipment assistance project aimed at providing healthcare services to children and other vulnerable groups, for an exceptional 12 months, due to challenges related to the shipment of goods as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

I wish to inform you that, following due consideration of the information provided, the Committee has decided to further adjust the timeframe for the exemption until 22 February 2023, to allow for the shipment to the DPRK of the abovementioned items, in accordance with paragraph 25 of Security Council resolution 2397 (2017).

The Committee would like to thank the Republic of Korea for its diligence.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed)

Mona Juul Chair Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)

His Excellency
Mr. Cho Hyun
Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea
to the United Nations
New York

Attachments: List of Items for transfer to DPRK

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9 February 2021

Excellency,

On behalf of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006), I have the honour to refer to your letter dated 2 February 2021, conveying to the Committee a request for an adjustment of the timeframe for the exemption granted to the Republic of Korea on 13 August 2020 pursuant to paragraph 25 of resolution 2397 (2017), on behalf of the nongovernmental organization Medical Aid for Children (MAC), to engage in humanitarian activities in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, in particular for a medical equipment assistance project aimed at providing healthcare services to children and other vulnerable groups, in accordance with Implementation Assistance Notice No. 7, for an exceptional 12 months to procure and transfer the approved goods, due to delays as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

I wish to inform you that, following due consideration of the information provided, the Committee has decided to adjust the timeframe for the exemption until 9 February 2022, to allow for the shipment to the DPRK of the abovementioned items, in accordance with paragraph 25 of Security Council resolution 2397 (2017).

The Committee would like to thank the Republic of Korea for its diligence.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed)

Mona Juul
Chair
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13 August 2020

Excellency,

On behalf of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006), I have the honour to refer to your letter dated 5 August 2020, conveying to the Committee an exemption request pursuant to paragraph 25 of resolution 2397 (2017) from the nongovernmental organization Medical Aid for Children (MAC), for a medical equipment assistance project aimed at providing healthcare services to children and other vulnerable groups, in accordance with Implementation Assistance Notice No. 7.

I have the further honour to inform you that, following due consideration, the Committee has decided to approve the requested exemption in the abovementioned letter, in accordance with paragraph 25 of Security Council resolution 2397 (2017), to transfer the items and services outlined in your letter within the next six months, which is enclosed in this letter as an attachment. The items are requested to be shipped once together or in a consolidated manner, with a view to increasing efficiency of shipping and custom clearance.

The Committee reiterates that the sanctions measures imposed by the Security Council through its resolutions with respect to the DPRK are not intended to bear a negative impact on the people of the DPRK, and the note verbale it issued to all Member States, as well as its press release SC/13113 of 8 December 2017, offer clarifications as regards humanitarian aid to the DPRK. The note verbale further recalls that each Member State must fully implement relevant Security Council measures, while keeping in mind the need to clarify to public and private sector entities in their jurisdiction that, while properly implementing United Nations sanctions, humanitarian activities should not be unduly restricted.

The Committee further supports and approves the Republic of Korea engaging in necessary business and financial transactions only for the purchase of goods and services exempted by the Committee and found in the attachment without prejudice to the relevant commercial decisions.

His Excellency Mr. Cho Hyun Permanent Representative of the Republic of Korea to the United Nations New York At the same time, the Committee requests relevant organizations delivering humanitarian assistance to the DPRK to adhere to the exemption time limit approved by the Committee and fully respect and abide by relevant national laws, regulations, and licensing requirements governing financial and commercial transactions, and shipping and custom clearance conducted in the jurisdictions of affected Member States.

I wish to inform you that this letter and its annex will be published on the 1718 Committee website for the public, including relevant national authorities involved in reviewing the exempted transfers to the DPRK, for a period of six months.

The Committee would like to thank the Republic of Korea for its diligence.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed)

Christoph Heusgen
Chair
Security Council Committee established
pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)

Attachment:

- List of Goods and Services for Transfer to the DPRK