

- (a) only those materials that are provided for in the specific tariff provisions identified as providing for those materials in that rule and that are used in the production of the good shall be considered as materials for the purpose of determining whether that requirement is satisfied;
- (b) a category of identical or similar materials shall consist of a single material only if no other material used in the production of the good is identical or similar to that single material; and
- (c) the specific tariff provisions referred to in subparagraph (a) shall not include the tariff provision which provides for the good itself.

2. For purposes of determining whether a good is an originating good under Article 3.1(c), where the rule for a good in Annex 3.1 specifies that no change in tariff classification is required and specifies the requirement that at least one category of identical or similar materials used in the production of the good be originating:

- (a) only the materials that are provided for in the same tariff provision as the good and that are used in the production of the good shall be considered as materials for the purposes of determining whether the requirement that at least one category of identical or similar materials be originating is satisfied; and
- (b) a category of identical or similar materials shall consist of a single material only if no other material used in the production of the good is identical or similar to that single material.

#### **Article 3.11: Applying Article 3.1(e) When Goods and Parts Are Classified Together**

For purposes of determining whether a good is an originating good under Article 3.1(e):

- (a) only the parts that are provided for in the same tariff provision as the good and that are used in the production of the good shall be considered as parts for the purposes of determining whether the requirement that at least one category of identical or similar materials be originating is satisfied;
- (b) the determination of whether a heading or subheading under the Harmonized System provides for and specifically describes both a good and its parts shall be made on the basis of the nomenclature of the heading or subheading and the relevant Section or Chapter Notes, in accordance with the General Rules for the Interpretation of the Harmonized System;