Skimmed milk powder for use as animal feed may be exported to third countries:

(a) either after being denatured in the customs territory of the Community in accordance with Article 2 of Regulation (EEC) No. 990/72, as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No. 304/76:

"Skimmed milk powder shall be denatured by the addition, per 100 kgs. of skimmed milk powder, of 2.5 kgs. of lucerne meal or grass meal, containing not less than 70 per cent of particles not exceeding 300 microns, uniformly distributed throughout the mixture."

This product falls within sub-heading 04.02 A II (b) 1 of the common customs tariff;

(b) or after being incorporated in "sweetened forage; other preparations of a kind used for animal feeding", falling within sub-heading ex 23.07 B of the common customs tariff, containing skimmed milk powder;

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1 O.J. No. L 115 of 17 May 1972, page 1
2 O.J. No. L 93 of 3 April 1976, page 22
(c) or in an unaltered state, in accordance with Regulation (EEC) No. 196/76\(^1\) and Regulation (EEC) No. 231/76\(^2\), as last amended by Regulation (EEC) No. 500/76\(^3\). Regulation 196/76 provides in particular that an official organization of the country of destination must issue an attestation certifying that the product imported will be subject to a control to ensure that it will be used exclusively for animal feed and will not be re-exported.

This product falls within sub-heading 04.02 A II (b) of the common customs tariff.

Approved by the Management Committee and recorded on 10 May subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Committee's decision of 10 May 1976.

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\(^1\) O.J. No. L 23 of 31 January 1976, page 40
\(^2\) O.J. No. L 28 of 3 February 1976, page 9
\(^3\) O.J. No. L 59 of 6 March 1976, page 20