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#### CPC NOTICE OF CHANGES 1099

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# The following classification changes will be effected by this Notice of Changes:

| Action            | Subclass | Group(s) |  |
|-------------------|----------|----------|--|
| SCHEME:           |          |          |  |
| Warnings Deleted: | A23K     | 10/40    |  |
| -                 | A23K     | 20/168   |  |
|                   | A23K     | 20/184   |  |
|                   | A23K     | 20/20    |  |
|                   | A23K     | 40/20    |  |
|                   | A23K     | 40/25    |  |

No other subclasses/groups are impacted by this Notice of Changes.

This Notice of Changes includes the following [Check the ones included]:

| 1. | 1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES |             |  |  |  |  |
|----|----------------------------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|
|    |                                  |             | A. New, Modified or Deleted Group(s)                       |  |  |  |
|    |                                  | $\boxtimes$ | B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning(s)                     |  |  |  |
|    |                                  |             | C. New, Modified or Deleted Note(s)                        |  |  |  |
|    |                                  |             | D. New, Modified or Deleted Guidance Heading(s)            |  |  |  |
| 2. | 2. DEFINITIONS                   |             |  |  |  |  |
|    |                                  |             | A. New or Modified Definitions (Full definition template)  |  |  |  |
|    |                                  |             | B. Modified or Deleted Definitions (Definitions Quick Fix) |  |  |  |
| 3. |                                  | REV         | ISION CONCORDANCE LIST (RCL)                               |  |  |  |
| 4. |                                  | CHA         | NGES TO THE CPC-TO-IPC CONCORDANCE LIST (CICL)             |  |  |  |
| 5. |                                  | CHA         | NGES TO THE CROSS-REFERENCE LIST (CRL)                     |  |  |  |

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## 1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES

# B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning(s)

## SUBCLASS A23K-FODDER

| Type* | <u>Location</u>    | Old Warning  | New/Modified Warning |
|-------|--------------------|--|----------------------|
| D     | A23K10/40          | Group A23K10/40 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents                | Delete the Warning.  |
|       |                    | from A23K20/20. Groups<br>A23K10/40 and A23K20/20<br>should be considered in order |                      |
| _     |                    | to performa complete search.   |                      |
| D     | A23K20/168         | Group A23K20/168 is  | Delete the Warning.  |
|       |                    | impacted by reclassification   |                      |
|       |                    | into group A23K20/184.<br>Groups A23K20/168 and                                    |                      |
|       |                    | A23K20/184 should be   |                      |
|       |                    | considered in order to perform   |                      |
|       |                    | a complete search.   |                      |
| D     | A23K20/184         | Group A23K20/184 is  | Delete the Warning.  |
|       |                    | incomplete pending   |                      |
|       |                    | reclassification of documents  |                      |
|       |                    | from group A23K20/168.   |                      |
|       |                    | Groups A23K20/184 and  |                      |
|       |                    | A23K20/168 should be   |                      |
|       |                    | considered in order to perform   |                      |
| D     | A23K20/20          | a complete search. Group A23K20/20 is impacted                                     | Delete the Warning.  |
| D     | A23K20/20          | by reclassification into group   | Delete the warning.  |
|       |                    | A23K10/40. Groups  |                      |
|       |                    | A23K20/20 and A23K10/40  |                      |
|       |                    | should be considered in order  |                      |
|       |                    | to performa complete search.   |                      |
| D     | A23K40/20          | Group A23K40/20 is impacted  | Delete the Warning.  |
|       |                    | by reclassification into group   |                      |
|       |                    | A23K40/25. Groups  |                      |
|       |                    | A23K40/20 and A23K40/25  |                      |
|       |                    | should be considered in order  |                      |
| D     | A23K40/25          | to perform a complete search.  | Dalata tha Wamin a   |
| ۵ ا   | A23 <b>N</b> 40/23 | Group A23K40/25 is incomplete pending  | Delete the Warning.  |
|       |                    | reclassification of documents  |                      |
|       |                    | from A23K40/20. Groups   |                      |
|       |                    | A23K40/25 and A23K40/20  |                      |
|       |                    | should be considered in order  |                      |
|       |                    | to performa complete search.   |                      |

<sup>\*</sup>N = new warning, M = modified warning, D = deleted warning

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NOTE: The ``Location'' column only requires the symbol PRIOR to the location of the warning. No further directions such as ``before'' or ``after'' are required.