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The Ministry of Commerce and the General Administration of Customs issued Announcement No. 50 of 2026, announcing the decision to impose export controls on items such as tunnel boring machines.

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In accordance with the relevant provisions of the Export Control Law of the People's Republic of China, the Foreign Trade Law of the People's Republic of China, the Customs Law of the People's Republic of China, and the Regulations on Export Control of Dual-Use Items of the People's Republic of China, and with the approval of the State Council, in order to safeguard national security and interests, it has been decided to impose export controls on the following items:

I. Items related to tunneling machines

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(a) 2B906. Full-face tunnel boring machine.

a. Earth pressure balance shield tunneling machines, slurry balance shield tunneling machines and other types of shield tunneling machines (refer to customs commodity code: 8430313010);

b. Open-type, single-shield, double-shield rock tunnel boring machines and other types of rock tunnel boring machines (refer to Customs Commodity Code: 8430313010).

(ii) 2A906. Components specifically designed for items regulated under item 2B906:

a. Cutting tools and cutting discs (refer to customs commodity code: 8431499910);

b. Screw conveyor (refer to customs commodity code: 8428310010);

c. Segment assembly machine (refer to customs commodity code: 8479899959);

d. Main drive system and other key units (refer to customs commodity code: 8431499910).

(iii) 2E906. Remanufacturing techniques specifically designed for items regulated under 2A906 or 2B906.

II. Items related to walking excavators

(a) 2B904. Walking excavators with any of the following characteristics (refer to Customs Com modity Code: 8429521920):

a. Crossing a vertical obstacle with a height exceeding 1.2 m;

b. Wading depth exceeds 1.5 m;

c. Crossing a trench with a width exceeding 3 m;

d. Walking uphill slopes exceeding 40°.

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Technical Description: A walking excavator is a mechanical device that uses the combined movements of its working device, outriggers, or wheels to achieve self-propelled movement, thereby enabling multi-functional excavation in all types of terrain.

(ii) 2E904. Electro-hydraulic proportional control technology for hydraulic systems specifically designed for items regulated under 2B904.

III. Items related to high-altitude wet spraying machines

(a) 2B903. High-altitude wet spraying machine with all of the following characteristics, used in areas above 3000 m altitude (refer to Customs Commodity Code: 8479109010):

a. The engine has a maximum power output exceeding 75 kW and a torque exceeding 680 N·m;

b. The maximum power of the motor exceeds 55 kW;

c. The material suction efficiency of the pumping system is higher than 95%;

d. The air compressor's discharge capacity exceeds 15 m^3 / min;

e. Low-temperature hydraulic oil that can be used in hydraulic systems at -20°C.

Technical Description: A high-altitude wet spraying machine is a device used in high-altitude areas to transport mixed materials (such as concrete) to the nozzle and spray them onto the work surface by adding air and accelerator.

(ii) 2A903. Components specifically designed for items regulated under item 2B903:

a. High-altitude engines with a maximum power exceeding 75 kW and a torque exceeding 680 N·m (refer to customs commodity codes: 8408909240, 8408909330).

b. Engine auxiliary oxygen supply device (refer to customs commodity code: 8421399030);

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c. High-altitude electric motors with a maximum power exceeding 55 kW (refer to customs com modity codes: 8501520020, 8501530020);

d. Two-stage compressed air compressors with a displacement exceeding 15 m^3 / min (refer to Customs Commodity Code: 8414804110);

e. High-altitude chassis (refer to customs commodity code: 8479909030);

f. Folding arm (Refer to customs commodity code: 8479909030).

(iii) 2E903. Hydraulic and pumping technologies specifically designed for items regulated unde r 2B903.

Exporters exporting the aforementioned items to sensitive countries and regions with whom C hina has disputes must apply for a license from the Ministry of Commerce under the State Council i n accordance with the relevant provisions of the Export Control Law of the People's Republic of Chi na and the Regulations on Export Control of Dual-Use Items of the People's Republic of China. Ex ports to these countries and regions are prohibited without a license. For exports to other countries and regions worldwide, export certificates are obtained through registration and information submis sion. Exporters and end-users must commit that they will not transfer or provide the aforementione d items originating in China to countries and regions with whom China has disputes without a licen se. Organizations and individuals outside of China are prohibited from transferring or providing the aforementioned items originating in China to sensitive countries and regions with whom China has disputes without a license.

Exporters are responsible for the authenticity of the declared goods and must strengthen the id entification of exported items. For controlled items, they must indicate "dual-use item" in the remark s column of the customs declaration and list the dual-use item export control code. For items not co ntrolled but with similar parameters, indicators, or performance, they must indicate "not controlled it em" in the remarks column of the customs declaration and fill in the specific parameters and indicat ors. If there are doubts about the completeness, accuracy, or authenticity of the above-mentioned i nformation, the customs will raise questions in accordance with the law, and the exported goods wil l not be released during the period of questioning.

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This announcement will take effect on November 18, 2026. The "Export Control List of Dual-Use Items of the People's Republic of China" will be updated accordingly.

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