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CPC NOTICE OF CHANGES 1730

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PROJECT RP0735-F

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

<u>Action</u>	<u>Subclass</u>	<u>Group(s)</u>
SCHEME:		
Warnings Deleted:	C12P	7/62, 7/6427, 7/6431, 7/6432, 7/6434, 7/6436, 7/6445, 7/6454, 7/6458, 7/6472, 7/6481, 7/649

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

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

1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES

- A. New, Modified or Deleted Group(s)
- B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning(s)
- C. New, Modified or Deleted Note(s)
- D. New, Modified or Deleted Guidance Heading(s)

2. DEFINITIONS

- A. New or Modified Definitions (Full definition template)
- B. Modified or Deleted Definitions (Definitions Quick Fix)

3. REVISION CONCORDANCE LIST (RCL)

4. CHANGES TO THE CPC-TO-IPC CONCORDANCE LIST (CICL)

5. CHANGES TO THE CROSS-REFERENCE LIST (CRL)

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1. CLASSIFICATION SCHEME CHANGES

B. New, Modified or Deleted Warning(s)

SUBCLASS C12P--FERMENTATION OR ENZYME-USING PROCESSES TO SYNTHESISE A DESIRED CHEMICAL COMPOUND OR COMPOSITION OR TO SEPARATE OPTICAL ISOMERS FROM A RACEMIC MIXTURE {(brewing of beer C12C; producing vinegar C12J; producing specific peptides or proteins C07K; producing enzymes C12N 9/00; DNA or RNA concerning genetic engineering, vectors, e.g. plasmids, or their isolation, preparation or purification C12N 15/00; measuring or testing processes involving enzymes or microorganisms C12Q; measuring or testing processes involving nucleic acid amplification reactions C12Q 1/6844; fermentation processes to form a food composition, A21 or A23; compounds in general, see the relevant compound class, e.g. C01, C07)}

<u>Type*</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Old Warning</u>	<u>New/Modified Warning</u>
D	C12P7/62	Groups C12P7/62 and C12P7/625 are incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group C12P7/6436. Groups C12P7/6436, C12P7/62, and C12P7/625 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6427	Group C12P7/6427 is impacted by reclassification into groups C12P7/6431, C12P7/6432 and C12P7/6434. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6431	Group C12P7/6431 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group C12P7/6427. Groups C12P7/6431 and C12P7/6427 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6432	Group C12P7/6432 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group C12P7/6427. Groups C12P7/6432 and C12P7/6427 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6434	Group C12P7/6434 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from group C12P7/6427. Groups C12P7/6434 and C12P7/6427 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6436	Group C12P7/6436 is impacted by reclassification into groups C12P7/62 and C12P7/625. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6445	Group C12P7/6445 is impacted by reclassification into groups C12P7/6458. Groups C12P7/6445 and C12P7/6458 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.

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<u>Type*</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Old Warning</u>	<u>New/Modified Warning</u>
D	C12P7/6454	Group C12P7/6454 is impacted by reclassification into groups C12P7/6458. Groups C12P7/6454 and C12P7/6458 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6458	Group C12P7/6458 is incomplete pending reclassification of documents from groups C12P7/6445, C12P7/6454, C12P7/6472, C12P7/6481 and C12P7/649. All groups listed in this Warning should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6472	Group C12P7/6472 is impacted by reclassification into groups C12P7/6458. Groups C12P7/6472 and C12P7/6458 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/6481	Group C12P7/6481 is impacted by reclassification into groups C12P7/6458. Groups C12P7/6481 and C12P7/6458 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.
D	C12P7/649	Group C12P7/649 is impacted by reclassification into groups C12P7/6458. Groups C12P7/649 and C12P7/6458 should be considered in order to perform a complete search.	<u>Delete</u> the entire warning.

*N = new warning, M = modified warning, D = deleted warning

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.