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Part 3: Requirements for silver-plated table and decorative holloware

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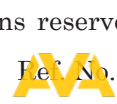
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Foreword

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- *Part 2: Requirements for stainless steel and silver plated cutlery;*
- *Part 3: Requirements for silver-plated table and decorative holloware;*
- *Part 4: Requirements for gold-plated cutlery.*

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- *Part 5: Specific cutting test;*
- *Part 6: Lacquered lightly silver-plated table and decorative holloware;*
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