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Only 111 Mega Power Projects to be Listed under Project Imports Till 19 July 2012

Ntfn 49 In exercise of the powers conferred by
10.09.2012 sub-section (1) of section 25 of the
(DoR) Customs Act, 1962 (52 of 1962), the Central
Government, on being satisfied that it is

necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby makes the following further amendments in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No. 12/2012- Customs, dated the 17th March, 2012, published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section (i), vide number G.S.R. 185(E), dated the 17th March, 2012, namely:-

In the said notification, -

(A) in the **Table**, -

(i) against S. No. 507, in the entries under column (3), for the words "Mega Power Project, so certified by an officer not below the rank of a Joint Secretary to the Government of India in the Ministry of Power", the words, figures and letters " Mega Power Project **specified in List 32A**, so certified by an officer not below the rank of a Joint Secretary to the Government of India in the Ministry of Power **before the 19th day of July, 2012**" shall be **substituted**;

(ii) against S. No. 508, for the entry in column (3), the following entry shall be **substituted**, namely :-

"Goods required for the expansion of Mega Power projects, namely, Vindhyachal STPP Stage-V (Expansion Unit)- 500 MW (NTPC Ltd.) and UNOSUGEN CCPP, Gujarat (An expansion unit of Sugen CCPP of 1147.5 MW)- 382.5(1) (M/s. Torrent Power Ltd.), so certified by an officer not below the rank of a Joint Secretary to the Government of India in the Ministry of Power before the 19th day of July, 2012.

Explanation.- For the purposes of this entry, Mega Power Project means a project as defined in S. No 507";

(B) in the **ANNEXURE**, after **List 32** and the entries relating thereto, the following List and entries shall be **inserted**, namely:-

"List 32A (See S. No. 507 of the Table)

- 1 Parbati-II, Himachal Pradesh - 4x200=800 MW (NHPC)
- 2 Teesta- V, Sikkim - 3x170=510 MW (NHPC)
- 3 Sipat-II, Chhattisgarh - 2x500=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 4 Vindhyachal-III, Madhya Pradesh - 2x500=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 5 Talcher-II, Orissa - 4x500=2000 MW (NTPC)
- 6 Rihand-II, Uttar Pradesh - 2x500=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 7 Sipat-I, Chhattisgarh - 3x660=1980 MW (NTPC)

- 8 Kahalgaon-II Phase-I & II Bihar - 3x500=1500 MW (NTPC)
- 9 Barh, Bihar - 3x660=1980 MW (NTPC)
- 10 Koldam, Himachal Pradesh - 4x200=800 MW (NTPC)
- 11 Tuticorin, Tamil Nadu- 2x500=1000 MW (NLC)
- 12 Parbati-III, Himachal Pradesh - 4x130=520 MW (NHPC)
- 13 Jhanor Gandhar CCPP-II, Gujarat - 2x650=1300MW (NTPC)
- 14 Kawas CCPP-II, Gujarat - 2x650=1300 MW (NTPC)
- 15 RGPPL, Maharashtra - 2150 MW (JV of NTPC/ GAIL/ Govt. of Maharashtra)



- 16 Tapovan Vishnugad HEP, Himachal Pradesh - 4x130=520 MW (NTPC)
- 17 Simhadri-II, Andhra Pradesh - 2x500=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 18 Indira Gandhi STPP-JV project, Haryana - 3x500=1500 MW (NTPC)
- 19 Bongaigaon, Assam - 3x250=750 MW (NTPC)
- 20 Barh-II, Bihar - 1320 MW (NTPC)
- 21 Koderma TPS St-I, Jharkhand -

- 1000 MW (DVC)
- 22 Durgapur Steel TPS, West Bengal - 2x500=1000 MW (DVC)
- 23 Tehri Pump Storage Project - 4x250=1000 MW (THDC)
- 24 Mauda, Maharashtra - 2x500=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 25 Rihand- III, Uttar Pradesh - 2 x 500=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 26 Nabinagar- JV with Railways, Bihar - 4 x 250=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 27 Vallur Stage- I Phase I & II, Tamil Nadu - 3 x 500=1500 MW (NTPC-Tamil Nadu Energy Co. Ltd.)
- 28 Raghunathpur TPS Phase 1, West Bengal - 2 x 600=1200 MW (DVC)
- 29 Tanda- II, Uttar Pradesh-2 x 660=1320 MW (NTPC)
- 30 Meja, Uttar Pradesh - 2 x 660=1320 MW (NTPC)
- 31 Vindhyachal-IV, Madhya Pradesh - 2 x 500=1000 MW (NTPC)
- 32 Solapur STPP, Maharashtra - 2x660=1320 MW (NTPC)
- 33 Nabinagar STPP, JV with Bihar, Bihar-3x660=1980 MW (NTPC)
- 34 Mouda STPP-II, Maharashtra- 2x660= 1320 MW (NTPC)
- 35 Raghunathpur TPS (Ph-II), West Bengal- 2x660=1320 MW (DVC)
- 36 North Karanpura STPP, Jharkhand- 3x660=1980 MW (NTPC)
- 37 Kudgi STPP stage-I, Karnataka- 3x800=2400 MW (NTPC)

38	Darlipalli STPP, Stage-I Orissa- 2x800=1600 MW (NTPC)	MW (M/s. Jindal Power Ltd.)	1&6) Janjgir Champa, Chhattisgarh-2x600 MW
39	Barethi STPP, Madhya Pradesh- 6x660=3960 MW (NTPC)	70 Akhakhhol GBPP, Gujarat- 3x382.5= 1147.5 MW (M/s. Jindal Power Ltd.)	90 Thermal Powertech Corporation Ltd. Pynampuram Andhra Pradesh- 2x660 MW
40	Lara STPP, Chhattisgarh -2x800=1600 MW (NTPC)	71 Udupi (Nagarjuna) Power Project, Karnataka- 2x600= 1200 MW (M/s. Udupi (Nagarjuna) Power Corp. Ltd.)	91 KVK Neelanchal Power Pvt. Ltd Cuttak, Orissa-3x350 MW
41	Gajmara STPP Stage-I - 2x800= 1600MW (NTPC)	72 IPP project Haryana- 2x660= 1320 MW (M/s. Jhajjar Power Ltd.)	92 East-Coast Energy Pvt. Ltd Srikakulam, Andhra Pradesh.-2x660 MW
42	Rajiv Gandhi CCPP Stage- II Phase-I, Kerala- 3x350 =1050 MW (NTPC)	73 726 MW CCGT being developed by ONGC-Tripura Power Company Ltd. (OTPC) at Palatana, Tripura-(2x250)(2x113.3)= 726 MW	93 Monnet Power Corporation Ltd. Malibrahmani, Orissa-2x525 MW
43	Gidderbha STPP, Punjab - 4x660= 2640 MW (NTPC)	74 Salaya TPP, Gujarat- 2x600= 1200 MW (M/s. Essar Power Gujarat Ltd.)	94 Hinduja National Power Corporation Ltd. Vishakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh-2x520 MW
44	Khargone Super TPP, M.P. - 2x660= 1320 MW (NTPC)	75 Tiroda TPP, Maharashtra-5x660=3300 MW (M/s. Adani Power Maharashtra Ltd.)	95 Corporate Power Ltd. Chandwa, Jharkhand-4x270 MW
45	Gadarwara Super TPP, M.P. - 2x660= 1320 MW (NTPC)	76 Kawai TPP, Rajashtan - 2x660=1320 MW (M/s. Adani Power Rajasthan Ltd.)	96 Lanco Power Ltd. (U-3,4) Pathadi, Chhattisgarh-2x660 MW
46	Katwa Super TPP, West Bengal - 2x800= 1600MW (NTPC)	77 Teesta-VI, Sikkim - 4x125= 500 MW (M/s. Lanco)	97 Lalitpur Power Generation Company Ltd. Lalitpur, U.P.-3x660 MW
47	Bilhapur STPP, Uttar Pradesh-2x660= 1320 MW (NTPC)	78 Teesta-III Sikkim- 6x200= 1200 MW (M/s. Teesta Urja Ltd.)	98 Lanco Vidarbha Thermal Power Ltd. Wardha, Maharashtra-2x660 MW
48	Talcher STPP Stage-III, Orissa - 2x660=1320 MW (NTPC)	79 KSK Mahanadi Power Company Ltd.(U-3 & 4) Janjgir- Champa, Chhattisgarh- 2x600=1200 MW (M/s KSK Mahanadi Power Co Ltd.)	99 Lanco Babandh Power Ltd. Dhenkanal, Orissa-2x660 MW
49	Khedar (Hissar), Haryana - 1000 (+200) MW (HPGCL)	80 Rajpura TPP in the State of Punjab- 2x700= 1400 MW (M/s. Nabha Power Ltd.)	100 DB Power Ltd. Vadodarha TPP Janjgir – Champa Chattisgarh-2x660 MW
50	Khandwa, Madhya Pradesh - 2x500= 1000 MW (MPPGCL)	81 Talwandi Sabo power project at Banawala, Punjab.- 3x660=1980 MW (M/s. Talwandi Sabo Power Ltd. (TSPL))	101 Athena Chhattisgarh Power Ltd. Singhitari TPS Janjgir-Champa, Chattisgarh- 2x600 MW
51	Gas based CCPP Pragati-III, Delhi-1371.6 MW (Pragati Power Corp. Ltd.)	82 TPP at Nandgaonpeth, MIDC, Amravati Dist., Maharashtra.- 5x270= 1350 MW (M/s. Indiabulls Power Ltd.)	102 Essar Power Jharkhand Ltd. Tori, Jharkhand- 2x600 MW
52	Sri Damodaran Sanjeevaiah, Nellaturu, Andhra Pradesh - 2x800=1600 MW (APPDCL)	83 TPP at Karachhana, Allahabad, UP- 2x660= 1320 MW (M/s. Sangam Power Gen Company Ltd.)	103 MB Power (MP) Ltd. Anuppur, Madhya Pradesh-2x600 MW
53	Chandrapur Expansion, Maharashtra- 2x500= 1000 MW (MSPGCL)	84 TPP at Bara, Allahabad, UP. -3x660=1980 MW (M/s. Prayagraj Power Gen. Company Ltd.)	104 RKM Powergen Pvt. Ltd. Uchpinde TPP Janjgir- Champa, Chattisgarh-4x360 MW
54	Koradi Expansion, Maharashtra- 3x660= 1980 MW (MSPGCL)	85 TPP at Surguja, Chhattisgarh- 2x660 = 1320 MW (M/s. IFFCO Chhattisgarh Power Ltd.)	105 IL & FS Tamil Nadu Power Company Ltd. Cuddalore, Tamil Nadu-2x600 MW
55	Bhusawal Expansion, Maharashtra- 2x500= 1000 MW (MSPGCL)	86 TPP at Dhenkanal, Orissa-3x350=1050 MW (M/s. GMR Kamalanga Energy Ltd.)	106 Meenakshi Energy Pvt. Ltd Thamminapatnam, Andhra Pradesh-Ph-1:2x 150 Ph-II 2x350 MW
56	Supercritical TPP at STPS Stage-V at Suratgarh, Rajasthan- 2x660)= 1320 MW (RRVUNL)	87 GMR Chhattisgarh Energy Ltd. Raipur, Chhattisgarh-2x685 MW	107 SKS Power Generation (Chhattisgarh) Ltd. Binj Kote TPP Raigarh, Chhattisgarh-4x300 MW
57	Supercritical TPP at Chhabra, Rajasthan - 2x660= 1320 MW (RRVUNL)	88 KSK Mahanadi Power Corporation Ltd. (U-2&5) Janjgir Champa, Chhattisgarh-2x600 MW	108 Jindal India Thermal Power Ltd. Angul, Orissa- 2x600 MW
58	North Chennai, Tamil Nadu-2x600=1200 MW (TNEB)	89 KSK Mahanadi Power Corporation Ltd. (U-	109 NCC Power Projects Nellore AP-2x660 MW
59	Purulia Pump Storage Hydrel Project, West Bengal- 4x225= 900 MW (State Sector)		110 Samalkot Power Ltd. Samalkot, Andhra Pradesh-2400 MW
60	Sagardighi TPP Ext. Unit 3&4, West Bengal- 2x500=1000 MW (WBPDCCL)		111 Torrent Energy Ltd. Dahej, Gujarat-1200 MW"
61	Shree Singaji TPP-2x660 (MP Power Generating Company Ltd MW (MPPGCL)		[F.No. 354/78/2010-TRU(Pt-1)]
62	Krishnapatnam UMPP, Andhra Pradesh- 6x660= 3960 MW (Coastal Andhra Power Ltd.)		
63	Mundra UMPP, Gujarat- 5x800= 4000 MW (Coastal Gujarat Power Ltd.)		
64	Sasan, Madhya Pradesh- 6x660= 3960 MW (Sasan Power Ltd.)		
65	Tilaiya UMPP, Jharkhand- 5x800= 4000 MW (Jharkhand Integrated Power Ltd.)		
66	Orissa UMPP, Orissa- 5x800= 4000 MW		
67	Chhattisgarh UMPP, Chhattisgarh- 5x800= 4000 MW		
68	Cheyur UMPP,- 5x800= 4000MW		
69	Raigarh TPP, Chhattisgarh- 4x250= 1000		

China Imports Unexpectedly Drop as Exports Rise Less than 3%

China's exports rose less than 3 percent for a second month while imports had the first non-holiday decline since 2009 as the nation's slowdown and Europe's debt crisis curbed demand at home and abroad.

Overseas shipments gained 2.7 percent in August from a year earlier, China's customs administration said on 9 September in Beijing. Imports fell 2.6 percent, leaving the country with a trade surplus of \$26.7 billion.

The data increase pressure on Chinese Premier Wen Jiabao to roll out more stimulus to support

growth after reports showed industrial production slowed further and producer-price declines accelerated. Bank of America Corp. and UBS AG forecast economic expansion will decelerate this quarter for a seventh straight period.

Companies including China Cosco Holdings Co. (1919), China's largest listed shipper, are bearing the brunt of weakness in exports. The company lost 4.87 billion yuan (\$768 million) in the first half and its top two executives have

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Pak Duties under SAFTA Revised

- Fixed Vegetable Fats (1515), Margarine (1517), Cotton Seed Oils, Groundnut Oils (1516), Raw Sugar (1701), Silk (Ch. 50) at 8%
- Cotton Waste, Woven Fabrics and Textile Materials Raised to 8% from 6%
- Negative List Cut to 614 from 878
- No Change in ISFTA on Zero Duty

Ntnf 48 In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section 06.09.2012 (1) of section 25 of the Customs Act, 1962 (52 of (DoR) 1962), the Central Government, on being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, hereby makes the following amendments in the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), No.125/2011-Customs, dated the 30th December, 2011 published in the Gazette of India, vide number G.S.R. 929 (E), dated the 30th December, 2011, namely:-

(i) In the said notification, for the **Table**, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

Table

SNo.	Chapter, Heading, Sub-heading or Tariff item	Description of Goods	Rate
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1	1 to 3	All goods	8.00%
2	4	All goods	8.00%
3	5	All goods	8.00%
4	0603	All goods	8.00%
5	0604	All goods	8.00%
6	7	All goods	8.00%
7	8 (except 0802 11 00, 0802 12 00)	All goods	8.00%
8	0802 11 00	All goods	28 per kg
9	0802 12 00	All goods	52 per kg
10	0810 60 00 to 0810 90	All goods	6.40%
11	0813 20 00	All goods	8.00%
12	9 to 12	All goods	8.00%
13	1209, 1211 30 00, 1211 40 00, 1211 90	All goods other than liquorice roots	6.40%
14	13	All goods	8.00%
15	1302 19 and 1302 20 00	All goods other than vegetable saps and extracts of pyrethrum or of the roots of plants containing rotenone	6.40%
16	14	All goods	8.00%
17	1501	All goods	8.00%
18	1502	All goods	6.40%
19	1503 00 00 to 1506	All goods	8.00%
20	1505	All goods	6.40%
21	1507 90 90	All goods	8.00%
22	1508 90 10 or 1508 90 99	All goods	8.00%
23	1509 10 00	All goods	8.00%
24	1509 90	All goods	8.00%
25	1510	All goods	8.00%
26	1511 90	All goods	8.00%
27	1512 29 90	All goods	8.00%
28	1507, 1508, 1509, 1510, 1511, 1512 29 90	All goods (except crude palm oil), other than edible grade, having Free Fatty Acid (FFA) 20 percent or more	8.00%
29	1508, 1509 or 1510	Refined vegetable oils of edible grade, in loose or bulk form	8.00%
30	1511	Fractions of crude palm oil (other than crude palmolein), of edible grade, having an acid value of 2 or more and total carotenoid (as beta carotene) in the range of 500mg/kg. to 2500mg/kg., in loose or bulk form	8.00%

Explanation-For the purposes of this exemption, "Crude palm oil" means fixed vegetable oils, fluid or solid, obtained by pressure, if they have undergone no processing other than decantation, centrifugation or filtration, provided that, in order to separate the oils from solid particles only mechanical force, such as gravity, pressure or centrifugal force, has been employed, excluding any absorption filtering process, fractionalization or any other physical or chemical process. If obtained by extraction oil shall continue to be considered as "crude", provided it has undergone no change in colour, odour or taste when compared with corresponding oil by pressure.

31	1515	All goods	8.00%
32	1516, 1517, 1518, 1520 00 00, 1521 and 1522	All goods	8.00%
33	16	All goods	8.00%
34	17 (except 1703)	All goods	8.00%
35	1703	All goods	5.60%
36	18 to 20	All goods	8.00%
37	1806 90	Food preparations, meant for infant use and put up for retail sale, of-(i) flour, meal, starch or malt extract containing cocoa in a proportion by weight 40% or more but less than 50%, calculated on a totally de-fatted basis; or(ii) goods of headings 04.01 to 04.04 containing cocoa in a proportion by weight 5% or more but less than 10%, calculated on a totally de-fatted basis	6.40%
38	21	All goods (except compound alcoholic preparations of a kind used for the manufacture of beverages, of an alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 0.5% by volume, determined at a temperature of 20 degrees centigrade falling under 2106 90)	8.00%
39	2106 90	Compound alcoholic preparations of a kind used for the manufacture of beverages, of an alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 0.5% by volume, determined at a temperature of 20 degrees centigrade	8.00%
40	2201 and 2202	All goods	8.00%
41	2207 20 00	All goods	5.60%
42	2209	All goods	8.00%
43	23	All goods	8.00%
44	25	All goods	6.00%
45	2620 11 00, 2620 19 00 and 2620 30	All goods	5.60%
46	2701 20	All goods	6.00%
47	2702 to 2708	All goods	6.00%
48	2710 to 2715	All goods, other than Naphtha, Aviation turbine fuel & fuel oil and Liquefied petroleum gases(LPG)	5.60%
49	2710	Naphtha	8.00%
50	271019	Aviation turbine fuel & fuel oil	8.00%
51	2711	Liquefied petroleum gases(LPG)	8.00%
52	28 (except 2801, 2802, 2803, 2804, 2805, 2814 and 2823 00 10)	All goods	5.50%
53	2823 00 10	All goods	6.00%
54	2801, 2802, 2803, 2804, 2805 and 2814	All goods	5.00%
55	2901 to 2904	All goods	5.60%
56	2905 to 2942 (except 2905 43 00 and 2905 44 00)	All goods	6.00%
57	2905 43 00 and 2905 44 00	All goods	7.20%
58	29	2,3,5,6-Tetrachloropyridine	5.50%
59	30 to 32	All goods	6.00%
60	3207 40 00	Glass frit	5.00%
61	33 (except 3301 and 3302 10)	All goods	6.00%
62	3301	All goods	7.20%
63	3302 10	All goods (Excluding compound alcoholic preparations of a kind used for manufacture of beverages of an alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 0.5% determined at 20 degree	6.00%

64	3302 10	centigrade falling under 3302 10) Compound alcoholic preparations of a kind used for manufacture of beverages of an alcoholic strength by volume exceeding 0.5% determined at 20 degree centigrade	8.00%	610459	62 to 71 (except 6902 or 6903)	All goods	6.00%
65	34	All goods	6.00%	102	6902 or 6903	All goods	5.60%
66	3501 to 3505	All goods	7.20%	103	72	All goods other than seconds and defectives	5.60%
67	3506 and 3507	All goods	6.00%	104	72	Seconds and defectives	6.00%
68	35	Isolated Soya protein	6.40%	105	73	All goods	6.00%
69	36 and 37	All goods	6.00%	106	7401 to 7410	All goods	5.00%
70	38 (except 3809 10 00, 3823 11 11, 3823 11 12, 3823 11 19 and 3824 60)	All goods	6.00%	107	7411 to 7419	All goods	6.00%
71	3809 10 00	All goods	7.20%	108	7601 to 7607	All goods	5.00%
72	3815	All goods	5.60%	109	7608 to 7616	All goods	6.00%
73	3823 11 11, 3823 11 12, 3823 11 19 and 3824 60	All goods	7.20%	110	7806	All goods other than lead bars, rods, profiles and wire	5.60%
74	38	Dipping oil, Paclobutrazol (Cultar)	6.00%	111	7901 to 7905	All goods	5.60%
75	39	All goods	6.00%	112	7907	All goods	6.00%
76	3901	Low density polyethelene, Linear Low density polyethelene, High density polyethelene, Linear medium density polyethelene and Linear High density polyethelene	5.00%	113	8001 to 8003	All goods	5.60%
77	3902 (except 3902 20 00), 3903	All goods	5.00%	114	8007 00 90	Tin plates, sheets and strip, of a thickness exceeding 0.2mm; tin foil (whether or not printed or backed with paper, paperboard, plastics or similar backing materials) of a thickness (excluding any backing) not exceeding 0.2mm; tin powders and flakes	5.60%
78	3904	Polymers of vinyl chloride	5.00%	115	8007	All goods	6.00%
79	39	Ethylene vinyl acetate (EVA)	5.00%	116	8101, 8104, 8105, 8107, 8108 (except 8101 99 10, 8101 99 90, 8104 90 90, 8105 90 00, 8107 90 90, 8108 90 90)	All goods	5.60%
80	40 to 45	All goods	6.00%	117	8101 99	Bars and rods, other than those obtained simply by sintering, profiles, plates, sheets, strip and foil	5.60%
81	4707	All goods	6.00%	118	8101 99 10, 8101 99 90, 8104 90 90, 8105 90 00, 8107 90 90, 8108 90 90	All goods	6.00%
82	48, 49, 51	All goods	6.00%	119	8102, 8103, 8106, 8109, 8110, 8111, 8112	(1) All goods (other than articles thereof) (2) Articles	5.60%
83	50	All goods	8.00%	120	82, 83, 84	All goods	6.00%
84	52 (except 5201, 5202, 5203, 5205, 520624, 520645)	All goods	6.00%	121	8443 91 00 or 8443 99	Parts of printing presses	5.60%
85	5201	All goods	5.60%	122	8472 90	Cash dispensers	5.60%
86	5202, 5203, 5205, 520624, 520645	All goods	8.00%	123	8473 40	Cash dispensing mechanism and deposit modules for Automatic Teller Machines	5.60%
87	53 (except 5302)	All goods	6.00%	124	85	All goods	6.00%
88	5302	All goods	8.00%	125	86	All goods	5.60%
89	54 (except 540773 and 540821)	All goods	6.00%	126	87 (Except 8703 , 8711)	All goods	6.00%
90	540773 and 540821	All goods	8.00%	127	8703, 8711	All goods	8.00%
91	55 (except 551221, 551291, 551611, 551621, 551631, 551632, 551633, 551634, 551641, 551691, 551692), 56	All goods	6.00%	128	8703	Motor cars and other motor vehicles principally designed for the transport of persons (other than those of heading 87.02), including station wagons and racing cars, new, which have not been registered anywhere prior to importation (1) If imported as completely knocked down (CKD) unit; (2) If imported in any other form	6.00%
92	551221, 551291, 551611, 551621, 551631, 551632, 551633, 551634, 551641, 551691, 551692	All goods	8.00%	129	8703	Golf Cars	6.00%
93	57 (except 570220, 570231, 570241, 570249, 57025031, 57025032, 57025033, 57025039, 570291, 570310, 570390, 570410)	All goods	6.00%	130	8704	Refrigerated motor vehicles for transport of goods	5.60%
94	570220, 570231, 570241, 570249, 57025031, 57025032, 57025033, 57025039, 570291, 570310, 570390, 570410	All goods	8.00%	131	8711	Motor cycles (including mopeds) and cycles fitted with an auxiliary motor, with or without side cars, and side cars, new, which have not been registered anywhere prior to importation (1) If imported as completely knocked down (CKD) unit; (2) If imported in any other form	6.00%
95	58, 59 (except 590310, 590320)	All goods	6.00%	132	88 to 90	All goods	6.00%
96	590310, 590320)	All goods	8.00%	133	9001 10 00	All goods	5.60%
97	60 (except 600192 and 600621)	All goods	8.00%	134	91 to 97 (except 9508)	All goods	6.00%
98	600192, 600621	All goods	6.00%	135	9508	Roundabouts, swings, shooting galleries and other fairground amusements	5.60%
99	61 (except 610120, 610130, 610220, 610230, 610441, 610444, 610449, 610451, 610459)	All goods	8.00%				
100	610120, 610130, 610220, 610230, 610441, 610444, 610449, 610451,	All goods	6.00%				

(ii) In the said notification, for the **Annexure**, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

Annexure

SNo.	Heading, Sub-Heading or Tariff item to the First Schedule	Description									
(1)	(2)	(3)									
1	0204 10	All Goods	63	1206	All Goods	126	2306 10	All Goods	182	3506 91	All Goods
2	0204 30	All Goods	64	1207 40	All Goods	127	2306 20	All Goods	183	3605	All Goods
3	0204 50	All Goods	65	1207 50	All Goods	128	2306 30	All Goods	184	3806 10	Gum
4	0207 11	All Goods	66	1207 99	All Goods	129	2306 41	All Goods	185	3812 20	All Goods
5	0207 12	All Goods	67	1507 10	All goods excluding palm nuts and kernels other than of seed quality	130	2306 49	All Goods	186	3915 10	All Goods
6	0207 13	All Goods	68	1507 90 10	All Goods	131	2306 50	All Goods	187	3915 20	All Goods
7	0207 14	All Goods	69	1508 10	All Goods	132	2306 60	All Goods	188	3915 30	All Goods
8	0207 43	All Goods	70	1508 90	Edible grade groundnut oil	133	2306 90	All Goods	189	3915 90	All Goods
9	0207 53	All Goods	71	1511 10	All Goods	134	2309 90	All Goods	190	3916 10	All Goods
10	0302 89 10	All Goods	72	1511 90	Refined Palm Oil/Palmolein	135	2401 10	All Goods	191	3916 20	All Goods
11	0303 89 10	All Goods	73	1512 11	All Goods	136	2401 20	All Goods	192	3916 90	All Goods
12	0303 89 30	All Goods	74	1512 19	All Goods	137	2401 30	All Goods	193	3917	Artificial guts (sausage castings) of hardened protein or of cellulosic materials.
13	0303 89 60	All Goods	75	1512 21	All Goods	138	2402 10	All Goods	194	3917 21	All Goods
14	0303 89 80	Croacker	76	1512 29 10	All Goods	139	2402 20	All Goods	195	3917 22	All Goods
15	0304 89 10	All Goods	77	1513 11	All Goods	140	2402 90	All Goods	196	3917 23	All Goods
16	0306 16	Prawns	78	1513 19	All Goods	141	2403 11	All Goods	197	3917 29	All Goods
17	0306 17	Prawns	79	1513 21	All Goods	142	2403 19	All Goods	198	3917 31	All Goods
18	0306 14	All Goods	80	1513 29	All Goods	143	2403 91	All Goods	199	3917 32 10	All Goods
19	0401 30	All Goods	81	1514 11	All Goods	144	2403 99	All Goods	200	3917 32 20	All Goods
20	0402 10 10	All Goods	82	1514 19	All Goods	145	2515 11	Crude or roughly trimmed Marble	201	3917 32 90	All Goods
21	0402 21	All Goods	83	1514 91	All Goods	146	2515 12	All Goods	202	3917 33	All Goods
22	0402 29 10	All Goods	84	1514 99	All Goods	147	2515 20	All Goods	203	3917 39	All Goods
23	0404 10	Whey powder	85	1515 11	All Goods	148	2522 10	All Goods	204	3917 40	All Goods
24	0405 10	All Goods	86	1515 19	All Goods	149	2530 90	All Goods	205	3918 10	All Goods
25	0405 90 10	All Goods	87	1515 50	All Goods	150	2817 00 10	All Goods	206	3918 90	All Goods
26	0405 90 20	All Goods	88	1701 11	All Goods	151	3003 90 11	All Goods	207	3919 10	All Goods
27	0409 00	All Goods	89	1701 91	All Goods	152	3004 10	All Goods	208	3919 90	All Goods
28	0506 10 19	Crushed bone	90	1701 99	All Goods	153	3004 20	All Goods	209	3920 10	All Goods
29	0701 10	All Goods	91	1905 90 10	All Goods	154	3006 10	Sterile absorbable surgical or dental yarn; sterile surgical or dental adhesion barriers, whether or not absorbable.	210	3920 20	All Goods
30	0701 90	All Goods	92	2002 90	Tomato concentrate	155	3006 91	All Goods	211	3920 30	All Goods
31	0702 00	All Goods	93	2008 30	All Goods	156	3204 11	All Goods	212	3920 43	All Goods
32	0703 10 10	Fresh onions	94	2008 40	All Goods	157	3204 12	Acid dyes and preparation based thereon	213	3920 49	All Goods
33	0703 20	All Goods	95	2008 50	All Goods	158	3204 13	All Goods	214	3920 51	All Goods
34	0712 20	All Goods	96	2008 60	All Goods	159	3204 14	All Goods	215	3920 59	All Goods
35	0804 50 20	All Goods	97	2008 91	All Goods	160	3204 16	All Goods	216	3920 61	All Goods
36	0806 10	All Goods	98	2008 93	All Goods	161	3204 17	Pigments	217	3920 62	All Goods
37	0806 20	All Goods	99	2008 99	All Goods	162	3204 19	All Goods	218	3920 63	All Goods
38	0808 10	All Goods	100	2009 50	All Goods	163	3206 49	Other-Red Oxide	219	3920 69	All Goods
39	0910 11	All Goods	101	2203 00	All Goods	164	3301 19 10	Citronella Oil (java type)	220	3920 71	All Goods
40	0910 12	All Goods	102	2204 10	All Goods	165	3301	Other Essential oils	221	3920 72	All Goods
41	0910 20	All Goods	103	2204 21	All Goods	166	3303 00	All Goods	222	3920 73	All Goods
42	0910 30	Turmeric, fresh or powder	104	2204 29	All Goods	167	3304 10	All Goods	223	3920 79	All Goods
43	1001 11	All Goods	105	2204 30	All Goods	168	3304 20	All Goods	224	3920 91	All Goods
44	1001 19	All Goods	106	2205 10	All Goods	169	3304 30	All Goods	225	3920 92	All Goods
45	1001 91	Wheat	107	2205 90	All Goods	170	3304 91	All Goods	226	3920 93	All Goods
46	1001 99	Wheat	108	2206 00	All Goods	171	3304 99	All Goods	227	3920 94	All Goods
47	1005 90	All Goods	109	2207 10	All Goods	172	3305 10	All Goods	228	3920 99	All Goods
48	1006 10	All Goods	110	2208 20	All Goods	173	3305 90	Hair oils	229	3921 11	All Goods
49	1006 20	All Goods	111	2208 30	All Goods	174	3306 10	Toothpowder, toothpaste	230	3921 12	All Goods
50	1006 30	All Goods	112	2208 40	All Goods	175	3307 10	All Goods	231	3921 13	All Goods
51	1006 40	All Goods	113	2208 50	All Goods	176	3307 30	All Goods	232	3921 14	All Goods
52	1007	All Goods	114	2208 60 93	All Goods	177	3307 41	All Goods	233	3921 19	All Goods
53	1008 21	All Goods	115	2208 70	All Goods	178	3307 90	All Goods	234	3921 90	All Goods
54	1008 29	All Goods	116	2208 90	All Goods	179	3401 11	All Goods	235	3922 10	Baths, shower-baths and wash-basins
55	1101 00	All Goods	117	2302 10	All Goods	180	3401 19	House hold and laundry soap	236	3922 20	All Goods
56	1102 90 10	All Goods	118	2302 30	All Goods	181	3505 10	All Goods	237	3922 90	All Goods
57	1102 20	All Goods	119	2302 40	All Goods				238	3923 10	All Goods
58	1102 90 90	All Goods	120	2302 50	All Goods				239	3923 21	All Goods
59	1201 10	All Goods	121	2303 10	All Goods				240	3923 29	All Goods
60	1203 00	All Goods	122	2303 20	All Goods				241	3923 30	All Goods
61	1205 10	Rape Seeds	123	2303 30	All Goods				242	3923 40	All Goods
62	1205 90	All Goods	124	2304	All Goods				243	3923 50	All Goods
			125	2305 00 10	All Goods				244	3923 90	All Goods

249	3925	30	All Goods	302	4817	30	All Goods	365	6107	11	All Goods	439	6205	20	All Goods
250	3925	90	All Goods	303	4821	10	All Goods	366	6107	12	All Goods	440	6205	30	All Goods
251	3926	10	All Goods	304	4821	90	All Goods	367	6107	19	All Goods	441	6205	90	All Goods
252	3926	20	All Goods	305	4823	61	All Goods	368	6107	21	All Goods	442	6206	10	All Goods
253	3926	30	All Goods	306	4823	69	All Goods	369	6107	29	All Goods	443	6206	30	All Goods
254	3926	40	Bangles, beads and imitation jewellery	307	4901		All Goods	370	6107	91	All Goods	444	6206	40	All Goods
				308	5201	00	All Goods	371	6108	21	All Goods	445	6206	90	All Goods
				309	5202	10	All Goods	372	6108	22	All Goods	446	6207	11	All Goods
				310	5202	99 00	All Goods	373	6108	29	All Goods	447	6207	21 10	All Goods
255	3926	90	All Goods	311	5203	00	All Goods	374	6108	31	All Goods	448	6207	22	All Goods
256	4001	10	All Goods	312	5205	11	All Goods	375	6108	39	All Goods	449	6207	29	All Goods
257	4001	21	All Goods	313	5205	28	All Goods	376	6108	91	All Goods	450	6207	91	All Goods
258	4001	22	All Goods	314	5205	47	All Goods	377	6109	10	All Goods	451	6207	99	Of man-made fibres
259	4001	29	All Goods	315	5206	11	All Goods	378	6109	90	All Goods				
260	4001	30	All Goods	316	5407	71	All Goods	379	6110	11	All Goods	452	6208	11	All Goods
261	4003	00	All Goods	317	5407	72	All Goods	380	6110	19	All Goods	453	6208	21	All Goods
262	4004	00	All Goods	318	5407	74	All Goods	381	6110	20	All Goods	454	6208	22	All Goods
263	4005	10	All Goods	319	5512	11	All Goods	382	6110	30	All Goods	455	6208	29	All Goods
264	4005	20	All Goods	320	5513	11	All Goods	383	6110	90	All Goods	456	6208	92	All Goods
265	4005	91	All Goods	321	5513	12	All Goods	384	6111	20	All Goods	457	6208	99	All Goods
266	4005	99	All Goods	322	5513	13	All Goods	385	6111	90	All Goods	458	6209	20	All Goods
267	4006	10	All Goods	323	5513	19	All Goods	386	6112	11	All Goods	459	6209	30	All Goods
268	4006	90	All Goods	324	5513	41	All Goods	387	6112	12	All Goods	460	6209	90	All Goods
269	4007	00	All Goods	325	5514	11	All Goods	388	6112	19	All Goods	461	6210	10	All Goods
270	4008	11	All Goods	326	5514	12	All Goods	389	6114	20	All Goods	462	6210	20	All Goods
271	4008	19	All Goods	327	5514	19	All Goods	390	6114	30	All Goods	463	6210	40	All Goods
272	4008	21	All Goods	328	5516	42	All Goods	391	6114	90	All Goods	464	6210	50	All Goods
273	4008	29	All Goods	329	5701	10	All Goods	392	6115	22	All Goods	465	6211	11	All Goods
274	4012		Retreaded tyres	330	5701	90	Carpets and other floor coverings of jute and coir, knotted, whether or not made up	393	6115	29	All Goods	466	6211	12	All Goods
								394	6115	30	All Goods	467	6211	20	All Goods
275	4012	20	All Goods					395	6115	94	All Goods	468	6211	32	All Goods
276	4012	90	All Goods					396	6115	95	All Goods	469	6211	33	All Goods
277	4016	10	All Goods					397	6115	96	All Goods	470	6211	39	All Goods
278	4016	92	All Goods					398	6115	99	All Goods	471	6211	49 10	All Goods
279	4016	93	All Goods					399	6116	10	All Goods	472	6211	49 90	All Goods
280	4016	95	All Goods	331	5702	10	All Goods	400	6116	91	All Goods	473	6212	10	All Goods
281	4016	99	All Goods	332	5702	99	All Goods	401	6116	92	All Goods	474	6212	20	All Goods
282	4017	00	All Goods	333	5705	00	All Goods	402	6116	93	All Goods	475	6212	30	All Goods
283	4601	21	All Goods	334	5806	31	All Goods	403	6116	99	All Goods	476	6212	90	All Goods
284	4601	22	All Goods	335	5807	90	All Goods	404	6117	10	All Goods	477	6213	20	All Goods
285	4601	29	All Goods	336	5903	90	All Goods	405	6117	80	All Goods	478	6213	90	All Goods
286	4601	92	All Goods	337	6006	21	All Goods	406	6117	90	All Goods	479	6214	30	All Goods
287	4601	93	All Goods	338	6101	90	All goods other than of wool or fine animal hair	407	6201	19	All Goods	480	6214	40	All Goods
288	4601	94	All Goods					408	6201	99	All Goods	481	6216		All Goods
289	4601	99	All Goods					409	6202	13	All Goods	482	6217	10	All Goods
290	4602	11	All Goods					410	6202	19	All Goods	483	6217	90	All Goods
291	4602	12	All Goods	339	6102	90	All Goods	411	6202	93	All Goods	484	6302	10	All Goods
292	4602	19	All Goods	340	6103	10	All Goods	412	6202	99	All Goods	485	6304	19	All Goods
293	4602	90	All Goods	341	6103	22	All Goods	413	6203	19	All Goods	486	6304	92	All Goods
294	4803	00	All Goods	342	6103	23	All Goods	414	6203	29	All Goods	487	6304	93	All Goods
295	4808	10	All Goods	343	6103	29	All Goods	415	6203	32	All Goods	488	6310	10 20	All Goods
296	4809	90	Carbon or similar copying paper	344	6103	32	All Goods	416	6203	33	All Goods	489	6310	90 20	All Goods
				345	6103	33	All Goods	417	6203	39	All Goods	490	6401	10	All Goods
				346	6103	39	All Goods	418	6203	41	All Goods	491	6401	92	All Goods
297	4811	10	All goods other than floor coverings on a base of paper or paperboard, whether or not cut to size	347	6103	42	All Goods	419	6203	42	All Goods	492	6401	99	All Goods
				348	6103	43	All Goods	420	6203	49	All Goods	493	6402	12	All Goods
				349	6103	49	All Goods	421	6204	12	All Goods	494	6402	19	All Goods
				350	6104	19	Of wool or fine animal hair or of cotton	422	6204	13	All Goods	495	6402	20	All Goods
								423	6204	19	All Goods	496	6402	91	All Goods
								424	6204	21	All Goods	497	6402	99	Incorporating a protective metal toe-cap
								425	6204	22	All Goods				
								426	6204	23	All Goods				
								427	6204	29	All Goods	498	6403	12	All Goods
								428	6204	33	All Goods	499	6403	19	All Goods
								429	6204	39	All Goods	500	6403	40	All Goods
								430	6204	42	All Goods	501	6403	91	Footwear made on a base or platform of wood, not having an inner sole or protective metal toe-cap
								431	6204	43	All Goods				
								432	6204	44	All Goods				
								433	6204	52	All Goods				
								434	6204	53	All Goods				
								435	6204	59	All Goods				
								436	6204	62	All Goods				
300	4817	10	All Goods	351	6104	22	All Goods	437	6204	63	All Goods				
301	4817	20	All Goods	352	6104	32	All Goods	438	6204	69	All Goods				
				353	6104	39	All Goods								
				354	6104	42	All Goods								
				355	6104	52	All Goods								
				356	6104	62	All Goods								
				357	6104	63	All Goods								
				358	6104	69	All Goods								
				359	6105	10	All Goods								
				360	6105	20	All Goods								
				361	6105	90	All Goods								
				362	6106	10	All Goods								
				363	6106	20	All Goods								
				364	6106	90	All Goods								

Exchange Rates for Customs Valuation

Rupee Rate for Customs Valuation Falls to Rs. 56.20 on Imports w.e.f. 7 September 2012

80-Cus(NT) In exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 of 06.09.2012 the Customs Act, 1962 (52 of 1962), and in super session of the notification of the Government of India in (DoR) the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) No. 75/2012-CUSTOMS (N.T.), dated the 16th August, 2012 vide number S.O.1851(E), dated the 16th August, 2012, except as respects things done or omitted to be done before such super session, the Central Board of Excise and Customs hereby determines that the rate of exchange of conversion of each of the foreign currency specified in column (2) of each of Schedule I and Schedule II annexed hereto into Indian currency or *vice versa* shall, **with effect from 7th September, 2012** be the rate mentioned against it in the corresponding entry in column (3) thereof, for the purpose of the said section, relating to imported and export goods.

SNo.	Currency	Imported Goods		Exported Goods	
		Current	Previous	Current	Previous
Schedule I – Rate of exchange of one unit of foreign currency equivalent to Indian rupees					
1.	Australian Dollar	57.60	59.05	56.35	57.75
2.	Bahrain Dinar	152.05	151.45	143.95	143.35
3.	Canadian Dollar	57.20	56.65	55.90	55.25
4.	Danish Kroner	9.50	9.35	9.25	9.05
5.	EURO	70.65	69.40	69.05	67.80
6.	Hong Kong Dollar	7.25	7.20	7.15	7.10
7.	Kenya Shilling	67.75	68.25	64.00	64.30
8.	Kuwait Dinar	203.40	202.45	191.90	191.30
9.	Newzeland Dollar	44.95	45.60	43.75	44.40
10.	Norwegian Kroner	9.75	9.50	9.45	9.20
11.	Pound Sterling	89.35	88.10	87.60	86.30
12.	Singapore Dollar	45.10	45.10	44.20	44.10
13.	South African Rand	6.85	7.00	6.40	6.60
14.	Saudi Arabian Riyal	15.30	15.25	14.45	14.40
15.	Swedish Kroner	8.40	8.40	8.15	8.15
16.	Swiss Franc	58.85	57.70	57.50	56.40
17.	UAE Dirham	15.60	15.55	14.75	14.70
18.	US Dollar	56.20	55.95	55.35	55.15
Schedule II – Rate of exchange of 100 units of foreign currency equivalent to Indian rupees					
1.	Japanese Yen	72.00	71.75	70.20	69.95

[F.No.468/15/2012-Cus.V]

Spelling Mistake Correction in the Import Item "Hydrocal Cement"

Subject: Modification in the description of import item under SION A2337.

15-PN(RE) In exercise of the powers conferred under Paragraph 06.09.2012 2.4 of the Foreign Trade Policy, 2009-14 and (DGFT) Paragraph 1.1 of the Handbook of Procedures (Vol.1), the Directorate General of Foreign Trade hereby modifies the existing SION No.A 2337 by correcting the typing error in the description of import item "Hydrocol Cement". Earlier, it was typed as "Hydrocol Cement" and it is now being corrected to read as "Hydrocal Cement". The revised SION would be, as under:-

Sl. No.	Export Item	Quantity	Import Item	Qty. Allowed
A2337	Plaster of Paris (Dental Grade)	1 kg.	1 Hydrocal Cement OR Gypsum (Calcium Sulfate Dihydrate)	0.975 kg. 1.24 kg.

2. Effect of Public Notice

The spelling error in the name of import item presently appearing as Hydrocol Cement is corrected to read as Hydrocal Cement. There is no other change.

502	6403	99	Footwear made on a base or platform of wood, not having an inner sole or protective metal toe-cap	567	7318	14	All Goods
				568	7318	19	All Goods
				569	7403	11	All Goods
				570	7403	12	All Goods
				571	7403	13	All Goods
				572	7407	10	All Goods
				573	7408	11	All Goods
				574	7408	19	All Goods
503	6404	11	All Goods	575	7608	10	All Goods
504	6404	19	All Goods	576	7802	00	All Goods
505	6405	20	All Goods	577	8414	30	All Goods
506	6405	90	All Goods	578	8414	51	All Goods
507	6802	21	All Goods	579	8418	21	All Goods
508	6810	11	10	580	8428	10	All Goods
509	6901	00	Bricks/blocks/tiles	581	8450	11	All Goods
				582	8501	10	Micro and AC Motor
510	6906	00	Ceramic pipes	583	8501	20	All Goods
511	6911	10	All Goods	584	8501	40	10
512	6912	00	10	585	8501	52	Electric Motor 1 HP to 10 HP - AC - excluding special types
513	6914		Other ceramic articles				
514	7010	10	All Goods	586	8504	40	All Goods
515	7013	28	All Goods	587	8504	90	All Goods
516	7013	37	All Goods	588	8509	40	All Goods
517	7202	11	All Goods	589	8516	10	Storage water heaters/geysers upto 100 litres capacity/ upto 3 KW
518	7202	19	All Goods				
519	7202	21	All Goods	590	8516	29	All Goods
520	7202	29	All Goods	591	8516	40	Electric Irons - other than steam irons
521	7202	30	All Goods				
522	7202	41	All Goods	592	8516	60	All Goods
523	7202	49	All Goods	593	8528	71	Colour TVs - Set Top Box (Satellite Receivers)
524	7202	50	All Goods				
525	7202	60	All Goods	594	8528	72	Colour TVs - Set Top Box (Satellite Receivers)
526	7202	70	All Goods				
527	7202	80	All Goods	595	8536	20	All Goods
528	7202	91	All Goods	596	8536	30	Voltage stabilisers - domestic type
529	7202	92	All Goods				
530	7202	93	All Goods	597	8537	10	All Goods
531	7202	99	All Goods	598	8537	20	All Goods
532	7209	18	All Goods	599	8539	29	All Goods
533	7209	28	All Goods	600	8539	31	All Goods
534	7210	30	All Goods	601	8544	11	All Goods
535	7210	41	All Goods	602	8544	19	Insulated plastic and rubber Wires - domestic types
536	7210	49	All Goods				
537	7210	61	All Goods	603	8544	20	All Goods
538	7210	70	All Goods	604	8544	49	All goods for a voltage not exceeding 80V
539	7212	20	All Goods				
540	7212	30	All Goods	605	8701	10	All Goods
541	7212	40	All Goods	606	8701	20	All Goods
542	7212	50	All Goods	607	8701	30	All Goods
543	7213	10	All Goods	608	8701	90	All Goods
544	7213	20	All Goods	609	9028	30	All Goods
545	7213	91	All Goods	610	9030	33	All Goods
546	7213	99	All Goods	611	9404	21	All Goods
547	7214	10	All Goods	612	9603	10	Hill grass/broom
548	7214	20	All Goods				
549	7214	30	All Goods	613	9608	10	All Goods
550	7214	91	All Goods	614	9619		All Goods
551	7214	99	All Goods				
552	7217	20	All Goods				
553	7222	20	All Goods				
554	7222	40	All Goods				
555	7227	10	All Goods				
556	7227	20	All Goods				
557	7227	90	All Goods				
558	7228	10	All Goods				
559	7228	20	All Goods				
560	7228	30	All Goods				
561	7228	40	All Goods				
562	7228	50	All Goods				
563	7228	60	All Goods				
564	7228	70	All Goods				
565	7228	80	All Goods				
566	7315	82	All Goods				

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CBEC Asks for Check on Water and Electricity Bills for EPCG Machine Installation

Sub: Verification mechanism and monitoring of export obligation under duty exemption/ reward Schemes.

25-CBEC Reference is invited to Board's
06.09.2012 Circular No. 5/2010-Cus dated
(DoR) 16.03.2010. Para 2(c) of the
Circular provides that Customs
authorities cause random address verification
[for some of the authorizations issued under
EPCG/ DFIA/ Advance Authorization schemes
registered at their port to check correctness of
address shown in the authorization] preferably
through jurisdictional Central Excise authorities,
during validity of the authorization. As far as the
EPCG Scheme is concerned, the provision in
Para 2(c) of the Circular is in addition to ensuring
submission of Installation Certificates (ICs) for
capital goods imported and randomly checking
correctness of ICs through Central Excise au-
thorities, when the ICs have been issued by
other than Central Excise authorities. The Com-
missioners would be ensuring that above re-
quirements are followed.

2. The C&AG of India in Audit Report No. 22 of
2011-12 observed that authentication of

licencee premises is an important check which
makes it possible to verify at any time that
imported goods are installed and operated at the
declared location. In this connection the Audit
has noted that utility bills containing the address
can also be used for checks relating to instal-
lation and operation of the imported Capital
goods.

3. Keeping the foregoing in view, Board has
decided to prescribe that when address verifi-
cations or Installation Certificate verifications
are requested by the Customs authorities in
respect of EPCG authorizations, the Central
Excise authorities should include, in their veri-
fication, a check of the periodical utility bills
(containing the address) as one of the means
enabling verification of installation/ operation/
licencee premises.

4. This Circular may be bought to the notice of
all concerned by way of issuing standing order/
instructions/trade notice.

F. No. 603/03/2011-DBK

recession and delay global recovery.

The "India Show" from 10-14 September,
2012 is being organized jointly by the Ministry of
Commerce and Industry and Engineering Export
Promotion Council (EEPC) India. The show has
exhibits from various sectors of Indian engi-
neering showcasing the engineering transfor-
mation that is currently in process in India.

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pledged to waive their salaries until profits
resume.

Aid Measures

China's Commerce Minister Chen Deming said
specific measures to support and stabilize
foreign trade will be announced soon, accord-
ing to an interview broadcast on 8 September
by China Central Television. He also said the
nation's foreign trade situation in the fourth
quarter will be better than in the third.

Economists' estimates for exports in August
ranged from a drop of 1.9 percent to an 8.2
percent gain. The median forecast for imports
was for 3.5 percent growth, while analysts
predicted a trade surplus of \$19.5 billion.

China has allowed the yuan to weaken about
0.7 percent against the U.S. dollar in 2012,
helping exporters after the currency gained 4.7
percent in 2011.

Officials in China have refrained from easing
monetary policy since cutting interest rates in
June and July and lowering banks' reserve
requirements three times from November to
May. Authorities have shied away from stimu-
lus near the scale of the 4 trillion yuan package
announced in 2008, amid a global crisis when
20 million migrant workers lost their jobs.

Downward Pressure

Even so, President Hu Jintao said Sept. 8 that
economic expansion faces "notable downward
pressure," some small and mid-sized compa-
nies are "facing a hard time and exporters are
facing more difficulties."

Production increased 8.9 percent in August
from a year earlier and fixed-asset investment
growth in the first eight months eased to 20.2
percent, the statistics bureau said on 8 Septem-
ber. Consumer inflation last month accelerated
to 2 percent from a year earlier, while producer
prices fell 3.5 percent.

Wen said in late August that the country needs
targeted measures to promote steady growth in
overseas sales, including speedier payment of
tax rebates. China may expand exporters' tax
rebates on products including shoes and toys.

Countries across Asia are seeing declines in
their exports. South Korea's shipments abroad
fell 6.2 percent in August from a year earlier,
while Malaysia's dropped 1.9 percent and India's
slid 14.8 percent in July.

Anand Sharma Inaugurates India Show in Brno, Czech Republic

The Union Minister for Commerce, Industry &
Textiles of India, Anand Sharma, and Minis-
ter of Industry & Trade of the Czech Republic,
Mr. M Kuba jointly inaugurated the "India Show"
in Brno, Czech Republic at the MSV Fairground
on the morning of September 10, 2012. Minister
Anand Sharma led a high level business delega-
tion participating in the India Show. Over 135
companies belonging primarily to India's engi-
neering sector are participating, showcasing
their strengths and capabilities with respect to
Indian products, technologies and services
during this entire week. These companies rep-
resent the entire scale of India's engineering
strengths; encompassing large, medium and
the small scale sectors.

Later in the evening, Anand Sharma partici-
pated at the Opening Ceremony of the MSV

International Engineering Fair alongwith Czech
President and senior members of the Czech
government and dignitaries. Addressing the
ceremony, Minister Anand Sharma said, 'India
enjoys the unique advantage of having multiple
drivers of growth-demographic, investment
(backed by domestic savings), domestic con-
sumption, as well as exports and ample scope
for FDI - all within a pluralistic and democratic
system. Minister Anand Sharma state that India's
plans for mammoth infrastructure investments
in the immediate future offers huge opportuni-
ties for Czech expertise in power generating
equipment, mining, automotive and transport
sectors. He also stated that at a time when the
world is in the midst of a global slowdown,
countries must desist the temptation of erecting
newer trade barriers which will further deepen

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