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Minutes of the Trade Facilitation Committee Meeting (TFC) held on 23.01.2019 at 1200 Hrs in the Board Room of Custom House, Kolkata

The Trade Facilitation Committee Meeting was held in the Board Room of Custom House, Kolkata on 23.01.2019. The meeting was presided over by the Commissioner of Customs (Port).

The Commissioner of Customs (Port) welcomed all the members.

Following issues were discussed in the meeting:

A. Agenda Points submitted by CCHAA:

1. The representative of CCHAA informed that clarification is required as whether submission of documents per E-Sanchit, in reply to a query, is to be considered as amendment to a Bill of Entry or not.

Response/Decision:

It was informed that it is not an amendment of Bill of Entry.

2. The representative of CCHAA informed that all consignments of buff leather are being referred to WLA but not other consignments like cow leather etc. Hence, the CHAs have to visit Wild Life Authority in case of export of items made of buff leather.

Response/Decision:

The SCP, Export informed that buff leather is among the items categorically identified for WLA inspection. The Commissioner inquired if the Shipping Bills are being referred to WLA through SWIFT. The SCP, Docks could not give clear reply in this matter. The Commissioner said that all consignments are forwarded through SWIFT. There should not be manual reference to WLA authorities, unless

there is such direction from their HQs. He also directed DC, Exports and DC/AC, Docks to examine the issue and take corrective measures if required. This issue will also be referred to Nodal Officer, SWIFT.

[Action: DC/AC, EDI]

3. The representative of CCHAA informed that examination and LEO of Export cargo may be done by only one wing i.e. either Appraising or Preventive.

Response/Decision:

The Commissioner stated that which cadre does the examination work should not be the concern of Exporters/CBs. However, he directed that the examination process should be conducted at one time by EO/PO and Superintendent. The Commissioner directed the ACs of Docks and CFSs to look into this matter.

[Action: DC/AC, CFSs and Docks]

B. Agenda Points submitted by FIEO:

1. The representative of FIEO informed that for ref. Shipping Bill no. 2433977 dated 25 Nov 2016, samples were drawn from the consignment for assessment of DBK. Thereafter, since GST was to be introduced, the shipment was purged from ICEGATE and DBK for this shipment has not been cleared.

Response/Decision:

The Commissioner stated that TFC meetings are not the proper forum for discussion of individual cases. The matter will be taken up separately. Drawback section will reply to FIEO on this case.

[Action: DC/AC, DBK]

2. The representative of FIEO informed that clarification is needed on procedure for centralized AD code registration for exporters who are having single AD for multiple ports/places of export.

Response/Decision:

The Commissioner stated that the AD code registration is done Port wise. DG (Systems) had informed that centralized AD code registration may be introduced for single AD users but there is no update on that. The representative of CCHAA informed that AD code is given by local Bank branches and hence AD codes would be different in a different location. Hence, the AD code procured in a location cannot be used in a different port of Export. The Commissioner (Port) directed DC (EDI) to take up the matter with DG (Systems).

[Action: DC/AC, EDI]

C. Agenda Points raised by ASIC discussed during the course of meeting:

The representative of ASIC informed that SCMT Regulation will come into force from 1st March, 2019. He requested the Commissioner to hold a meeting with all the stakeholders to have feedbacks on the Regulation.

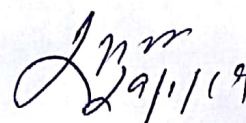
Response/Decision:

The Commissioner stated that a meeting would be held next week.

[Action: DC/AC, SPS]

The meeting ended with the vote of thanks to the Chair.

This issues with the approval of the Commissioner of Customs (Port).



(Amrendra Narayan)

Addl. Commissioner of Customs (Port)
Custom House, Kolkata

Annexure: Attendance list.

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Dated: 29.01.2019

Copy to:-

1. Chief Commissioner of Customs, Kolkata.
2. Principal Commissioner of Customs (A&A)
3. Commissioner of Customs (Port)
4. Commissioner of Customs (Preventive)
5. All Additional Commissioners CCO/(A&A)/Port
6. All JCs (A&A)/Port/Preventive
7. ACs/DCs, Port/Airport/Preventive
8. D. C (EDI) – for uploading in the Kolkata Customs website
9. President, CCHAA
10. President, WBCHAS
11. Bengal National Chamber of Commerce & Industry, 23, R. N. Mukherjee Road, Kol-1
12. ICCI, ICCI Tower, 4 India Exchange Place, N. S. Road Kolkata-700 001
13. FIEO, Express Tower, 42A, Shakespeare Sarani, 6th Floor, Kolkata- 17
14. Bharat Chamber of Commerce, 9/1, Syed Amir Ali Avenue, Kolkata-17
15. Agriculture & Processed Food Products Export Development Authority, 4thFloor, Mayukh Bhavan, Bidhan Nagar, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-91.
16. Chemical & Allied Products Export Promotion Council, Vanjiya Bhavan, International Trade Facilitation Centre, 1/1, Wood Street (3rd Floor), Kol-10.
17. Shellac Export Promotion Council, ITFC Building, 2nd Floor, Left, 1/1, WoodStreet, Kol- 16.

18. Council for Leather Exports, 1B, 1st Floor Duckback House, 41 Shakespeare Sarani, Kol-17.
19. EEPC, Vanijya Bhavan, 2nd Floor, ITFC Build, 1/1, Wood Street, (3rd Floor), Kolkata-16
20. EPCH, 53/1, Sambhunath Pundit Street, First Floor, Kolkata, West Bengal-25
21. MPEDA, 4B Maruti Buildings, 12 Loudon Street, Kol-17
22. Century Plyboards (I) Ltd., 4. Fairlie Place, HMP House, 2nd Floor Kol-1.
23. Balmer Lawrie and Co. Ltd., P-3/1, Transport Depot Road, Kolkata-1
24. CONCOR, Metro Rail Bhavan, 10th Floor, 33/1, J.L.Nehru Road, Kol-71.
25. CWC, CMC Building, 6th Floor, New Mkt Complex, Phase-1.15N, Nellie Sengupta Sarani, Kol-87
26. A. L. Logistics Pvt. Ltd., Rawdon Chambers, 1st Floor, 13A, Rawdon Street, Kol-17.
27. Association of Shipping Interests in Kolkata, Shipping House, 13, Strand Road, Kol-1
28. NACFS, 2 ,N. C. Dutta Sarani, Sagar Estate, 4th Floor, Kolkata-700001

The following Officers / members were present during the meeting.

Sl. No.	Name of the Officer(s)/ representatives S/Shri	Designation & Department/Organization
1.	Manish Chandra	Commissioner of Customs (Port)
2.	Amrendra Narayan	Addl. Commissioner of Customs
3.	Jitendra Singh	Joint Commissioner of Customs
4.	Basant Kumar	Dy. Commissioner of Customs
5.	Santosh Sharan	Dy. Commissioner of Customs
6.	Upendra Dhruv	Dy. Commissioner of Customs
7.	L. P. Singh	Dy. Commissioner of Customs
8.	Vivekananda Maurya	Dy. Commissioner of Customs
9.	Pauzakham Ngaihte	Dy. Commissioner of Customs
10.	Chandra Nath Das	Asst. Commissioner of Customs
11.	Alokenath Mallick	Asst. Commissioner of Customs
12.	Subrata Mukherjee	Asst. Commissioner of Customs
13.	Kaushik Das	Asst. Commissioner of Customs
14.	Manoj Kumar	Appraiser
15.	Anusha Medikonda	Appraiser
16.	Y. S Rawat	SCP
17.	Bibhas Ghosh	SCP
18.	Santosh Jha	SCP
19.	Murli Alok	SCP
20.	Kalyan Chowdhuri	EO
21.	Arnab Chakraborty	ME, FIEO
22.	Samidha Gupta	AGM, APEDA
23.	Farid Zamal	Hony. Secretary, CCHAA
24.	Sudip Dey	VP, CCHAA
25.	S. K. Koley	President, WBCHAS
26.	Felix Thakur	ExCo, ASIC
27.	Probir Kr. Chakraborty	ExCo, ASIC
28.	Dhirit Ekka	AD, MPEDA