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Sub: Collection of Service tax from trade reg

It is brought to the notice of all Importers, exporters/CHAs and Members of the trade that Government of India has issued notification on 25.4.2006 regarding charging of Service tax on the Customs EDI Service Centres. As per the notification, the Service tax on the services provided by CMC at Customs EDI Centres becomes payable @ 12.24% w.e.f. 1st May 2006. It is therefore binding on the CMC to collect and deposit the Service tax as per law.

These changes will be in addition to the charges applicable vide P.N. No. 42/2004 dated 12.8.2004 on this subject.

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Commissioner of Customs (Import)