## PUBLIC NOTICE NO.18/ 2013

## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE, DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS (IMPORT) JAWAHARLAL NEHRU CUSTOM HOUSE, NHAVA SHEVA, TALUKA – URAN, DIST. – RAIGAD, MAHARASHTRA STATE – 400 707. F. No. S/26-Misc- 08/2013-14 CRC IIA JNCH Date: 16 /05/2013 PUBLIC NOTICE NO.18/2013

## Subject: Refund of 4% CVD (SAD) – Extension of time up to 30th September 2013, for using re-credited 4% CVD (SAD) amount in DEPB-regarding.

- Attention of all importers, Custom House Agents, members of the trade and all concerned is invited to the <u>Circular No. 27/2010</u>-Customs, dated 13.08.2010, regarding procedure on refund of 4% Special Additional Duty (SAD). The above circular provides the facility of manual filling of Bill of Entry for utilizing the amount of re-credited 4% SAD refunds for payment of duty in case of re-credited DEPB/Reward Scheme scrips up to 31.03.2012. <u>Circular No. 10/2012</u>-Customs dated 29.03.2012 further extended the time upto 30.06.2012 utilizing the amount of re-credited 4% SAD refunds for payment of duty in case of re-credited DEPB/Reward Scheme scrips.
- In pursuance to reference received from trade in the Board that importers have not been above to utilize the re-credited amount of 4% SAD. The matter had been examined in consultation with Director General of Foreign Trade (DGFT) and it has been decided by the Board vide Circular No. 18/2012-Customs, dated 29.04.2013, issued vide <u>F.No.</u> 401/16/2012-Cis.III to extend the time limit for using re-credited DEPB scrips/Reward Scheme scrips in case of 4% CVD(SAD) upto 30.09.2013.
- Board has also directed all the Commissionerate to ensure that all pending applications for refund of 4% of SAD paid through DEPB/reward scrips are disposed of by 30.06.2013. In this connection a special team is constituted for liquidation of these refund claims.
- 4. It is once again reiterated that as per Para 8 of Board's <u>Circular No. 27/2010</u>-Customs, dated 13.08.2010 in the interest of ensuring expeditious grant of refund of 4% SAD, the importers are advised to make the initial payment of 4% CVD in cash. DGFT has also informed that no re-crediting shall be done if such payment is made by means of scrip's. In other words, future exporters should pay SAD component in cash if they want a refund.
- 5. It is emphasized that this is the final extension of time limit for reusing recredited DEPB Scrips/Reward Scheme Scrips
- 6. Difficulties faced if any may be brought to the notice of undersigned.

Sd/-(SEEMA J. BISHT) Commissioner of Customs (Import) To :-All officers/ staff concerned

## **Copy for information to:**

1) Chief Commissioner of Customs, JNCH, Mumbai-II.

2) The Commissioner of Customs (Export), JNCH, Mumbai-II