F.No.S/26-Misc-83/08 V-B

Date: 14.07.2008

STANDING ORDER No 28/2008

1. A number of representations have been received from the manufacturer- Importers of new motor of cars classifiable under CTH 87.03 (except 8703.10) regarding the difficulties faced by them in examination of vehicles of same model imported in bulk vide a single Bill of Entry.

2. At present all imported vehicles, whether new or old, are subjected to 100% examination to check the Chassis No./Engine No. and also to ascertain LHD/RHD controls, photometry, speedometer in Kms etc. as required under the provisions of Import Licencing Notes appended to Chapter 87 ITC (HS) classification and CMVR Rules 1989.
3. The matter regarding examination of new motor cars/vehicles imported by manufacturer-importer and then hassle free clearance has been examined and it has been decided to introduce the following procedure for manufacture importers as trade facilitation measure.

i) The manufacturer-importers shall declare the complete details of the new cars like Engine No., Chassis No., model, YOM, ARAI Certificate/Type Approval Certificate No. and C.C. etc. in the description of each individual vehicle on the Bill of Entry.

ii) The manufacturer importer submit Type Approval Certificates in original, alongwith an English version of the same, if it is in any other Foreign language, duly notarized.

iii) The facility of examination at 5% of total containers (minimum one container) after random selection, shall be extended to manufacturer-importers of new vehicles covered under a particular Bill of Entry, whether facilitated under RMS or not.

iv) Difficulties in the implementation of this Standing Order may be brought to the notice of the undersigned.

CORRIGENDUM TO STANDING ORDER NO. 28/08 DATED 07.07.08
COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS (IMPORT)

NHAVA SHEVA

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