STANDING ORDER NO. 37/2008

As per the Circular 52/05-Cus dated 09/12/2005 which prescribes the procedure for disposal of unclaimed / uncleared cargo of less than one year category, the Reserve Price is to be approved by Customs. As a matter of practice the R.P. is being approved by the A.O. & A.C. (Disp).

However, as per Board Circular 12/2006 dated 20/02/2006 which prescribes procedure for disposal of seized / confiscated / time expired goods, the valuation of goods for the purpose of fixing Reserve Price is to be done by J.P.C. headed by the Addl. Commr. / Joint Commr. (Disposal). In other words the Reserve Price is approved at the level of Addl. Commr. / Joint Commr. (Disposal).
It is therefore directed that while fixing Reserve Price for disposal of unclaimed / uncleared cargo of less than one year category also the Reserve Price shall be approved by the Addl. Commr. / Joint Commr. (Disposal).

( K. L. GOYAL )

Commissioner of Customs (Export)

J.N.C.H., Mumbai II

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