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OFFICE OF THE PR.COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS (NS- I),
मूल्यनिरूपण मुख्य (आयात)/**APPRAISING MAIN (IMPORT)**

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दिनांक **29/07/2021** को सम्पन्न 'स्थायी व्यापार सुविधा समिति' (आयात) की बैठक का कार्यवृत्त

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PERMANENT TRADE FACILITATION COMMITTEE (IMPORT) HELD ON 29.07.2021

The PTFC meeting held through video conference on 29.07.2021 was chaired by Shri U. Niranjan, Pr. Commissioner of Customs (NS-I), Shri. Ishtikar Baig, Commissioner of Customs (General & NS-Audit), Shri. N V Kulkarni, Commissioner of Customs (NS-II & III) and Shri. D.S. Garbyal, Commissioner of Customs (NS-V). The meeting was attended by the following members/participants of trade:-

क्रमसं./ Sr. No.	नाम(सर्वश्री/सुश्री/श्रीमती) Names(S. Shri /Ms./Mrs.)	(संगठन/संघ/ पदनाम) Organization/Association/Designation
1.	P.G. Rao	JNPT
2.	Rajsekhar	United Phosphorous Ltd.
3.	Hiren Ruparel	BCBA
4.	Manohar Patyane	BCBA
5.	Maruti Gadge	MCMA
6.	Ganpat Korade	BCBA
7.	Umesh Grover	CFSAI
8.	V.K. Agarwal	Mirc Electronics Ltd. (ONIDA)
9.	Capt. Ram Iyer	MANSA
10.	Manish Kumar	CSLA
11.	V. Rajappan	CDSCO
12.	Shyam	CSLA
13.	Vinayak Baparaj	BCBA
14.	Srinivas Subramanian	CFSAI
15.	Tej contractor	BCBA
16.	Mrs. Ganguly	AWCBA
17.	Hanif Bakshi	CSLA
18.	Kiran Rambhia	BCBA
19.	Paresh Thakkar	BCBA
20.	Nimish Desai	WISA
21.	Neelesh Datir	AILBIEA
22.	Shankar Shinde	FFFAI
23.	Avinash Satardekar	BMCT
24.	Sheetal Ahluwalia	AWCBA
25.	Subhash Rajkumar	CSLA
26.	Salim Shikalgar	CFSAI
27.	Dushyant Mulani	BCBA

28.	Manoj Nair	CFSAI
29.	Jacob Thomas	CFSAI
30.	Jeetendra Kadu	CFSAI
31.	Roshan	AWCBA
32.	Shyam Nemiro	CSLA
33.	Sandeet Tawade	
34.	Paresh Vaivade	
35.	Vasant	
36.	Subhash Shinde	
37.	Santosh Sawant	
38.	Dayanand. Kotian	

2. विभाग की ओर से निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों ने बैठक में भाग लिया :-
Following Officers from the department attended the meeting :-

क्रमसं./ Sr.No.	नाम(सर्वश्री/सुश्री/श्रीमती) Names(S. Shri/Ms./Mrs.)	पदनाम Designation
1.	Rajiv Ranjan	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
2.	D.M. Tripathi	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
3.	T. Arivazhagan	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
4.	S. K. H. Meshram	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
5.	Manish Thapliyal	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
6.	Pankaj Kumar	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
7.	Pandurang Chate	Joint Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
8.	Ajit Dan	Joint Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
9.	Shailesh Kumar Dattatray Jambotkar	Joint Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
10	G. Manigandasamy	Joint Commissioner of Customs, JNCH

3. Shri Rajiv Ranjan, Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH started the discussion on the agenda points of the meeting related to the import.

4. कार्यविन्दु / AGENDA POINTS:

सी.एस.एल.ए. के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यविन्दु / Agenda Point raised by CSLA

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 01/Agenda Point 01: IGM Amendment: When IGM is filed by the VOA and after entry inwards is sanctioned the customs system in version 1.0 used to be able to transmit the IGM data to all stakeholders, in the present scenario this is not happening thus making it mandatory for all line to pass on to the CFS/CTO's the boxes assigned to them for movement by sending them the Import advance lists. This should be resolved on top priority, the topic was highlighted before also last year and it was promised it will be done but many CFS's confirm not getting such a message from the customs for boxes assigned to their CFS's or the CTO.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: Trade is advised to submit a detailed representation to EDI section JNCH for consideration and onward submission to DG system.

[विन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 02/Agenda Point 02: Group appraising officer to be guided to consider short landing certificate issued by boarding officer as proof of short landing: These days a Bill of entry is filed by the importer well in advance and even in RMS cases out of charge is granted within a few hours of arrival of the container. In case of short landing of import containers, when short landing is informed by the terminal, the out of charge / bill of entry is already granted /filed in many of the cases. For out of charge / bill of entry filed in short landing cases, the NOC from the concerned group appraising officer is required by the import noting department for further processing of short landing approval. The group appraising officer again asks the shipping line's representative to arrange all the documents which were

already submitted to the boarding office & import noting department. The group appraising officer should be guided to consider a short landing certificate issued by the boarding officer as proof of short landing to avoid delay in amendment of short landing containers.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The Appraising Groups are already in the practice of considering the short landing certificates issued by boarding officer as proof of short landing.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 03/Agenda Point 03: Approx 800 longstanding containers pending for adjudication should be fast tracked in line of HMS containers which have been cleared recently within one month of time only:

There are approx. 7000 longstanding containers at Nhava Sheva port, Out of them approx. 800 containers are pending for adjudication with various group officers of JNCH. Recently JNCH had fast tracked HMS containers which were cleared within one month itself. In the current situation where there is shortage of containers for exports, a similar drive should be initiated in case of approx. 800 longstanding containers pending for adjudication & other cases which will help in getting these boxes released for exports.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: With respect to the files forwarded to the Appraising Groups for adjudication, necessary action is being taken by the group to adjudicate the case by giving opportunity of personal hearing to the concerned party. All groups have been advised to complete this process expeditiously.

बी.सी.बी.ए. के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यविन्दु/Agenda Point raised by BCBA

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 01/Agenda Point 01: Bill of Entries forwarded from FAG to PAG for assessment: Many instances have been noticed that Bill of Entries are forwarded to PAG for assessment. However, Status on ICEGATE shows at FAG. We request you to update ICEGATE status module.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The AC/DC of Appraising Groups will be sensitized to view the B/E pending to be pushed from FAG to PAG on regular interval and sent the same for assessment.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 02/Agenda Point 02 Advisory No 17 for Country of origin same can be used for one Bill of Entry only: Members are facing issues regarding part shipments are being brought at JNCH, COO has to be utilized for part shipments, and Trade will face difficulties in clearances.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: As per para. 03 of Advisory No. 17 is only with respect to those FTAs/PTAs which specify that a COO shall be valid only for one import or importing operation and may include one or more goods. In other cases COO is issued for entire consignment, is considered for part shipment too by the officers of Appraising groups.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 03/Agenda Point 03: First time imports and exports procedure are still continued. We request you to please review and withdraw PN at earliest.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: First Time import procedure needs to be continued. However, documents can be submitted in advance to avoid delay after arrival of the goods.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 04/Agenda Point 04: Centralized KYC cell shall be created by CFSAI : To avoid multiple documents and duplication of works with each 28+ CFSAI members CFS, we request CFSAI to create a centralized KYC cell and the CFS registration details of members be forwarded to all the CFS.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: This point was discussed during last meeting with BCBA, CFSAI finance committee & IT colleagues are examining the issue and shall revert back in about 2 weeks.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 05/Agenda Point 05: Easy access of EIR Copy: EIR copy should be electronically available on CFS Portal with easy accessibility on CFS website at user level.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: Some of our members have tested this application on successful trials we would request our other Members also to utilise the application or else develop their own systems to get the required info and also make scan copies available to trade.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 06/Agenda Point 06: Empty container offloading charges to be incorporated in the DO Invoice. : There is no official receipt, GST numbers etc mentioned on the Invoices given at the empty yard.

शिपिंग लाइन्स की प्रतिक्रिया/Response of the shipping lines: Since the shipping lines do not own the empty storage yards, the lines would not be in a position to mention the off-loading charges of the empty storage yards on their respective DOs / invoices. These charges are payable directly by the consignees/ CHAs to the empty storage yards and the lines have nothing to do with this.

Also, the CHAs / consignees should insist for receipts with GST details from the empty storage yards issuing official. In case any of the yards refuse to do so the matter could be reported the GST authorities.

If the CBS/ Importers face genuine difficulties in following the above procedure, a detailed proposal may be submitted by the CB Association.

[विन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 07/Agenda Point 07: Integrate of ICEGATE data to CFS, PGA, Shipping Lines, and Port etc.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: Trade is advised to wait till SCMTR is implemented in full flow.

[विन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 08/Agenda Point 08: FAG Assessment issues

- Small location issues: Delayed for assessment of more than 4 to 5 days to be monitored.
- 100% Examination orders given in case of RMS facilitation of B/E's.
- High number of unwanted / repeated queries. Queries need to be monitored since considerable time is lost in clearance due to unwanted queries.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The Appraising Groups are in the practice of raising at most two queries and after that, the Bill of Entry is either assessed or pushed to PAG for further action. Recently some changes have been brought in FAG assessment limiting the queries to three, first decision is to be given within 3 hrs etc. These measures will speed up FAG Assessment.

[विन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

सी.एफ.एस.ए.आई. के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यविन्दु/Agenda Point raised by CFSAI

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 01/Agenda Point 01: Awaiting Disposal Order for Confiscated Longstanding goods – We draw your kind attention towards *disposal of Longstanding Confiscated cargo of 138 containers* (as per attached list) which are awaiting disposal order pending in various appraising Groups. Our Member CFS auction team have been regularly following up with disposal section on this matter but as on date Our Member CFSs are still awaiting disposal order for disposal of such containers. Seek your immediate intervention in instructing your officers to address the issue.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: With respect to the files forwarded to the Appraising Groups for disposal orders, necessary action required are being taken on priority basis if the documents submitted found in order.

[विन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 02/Agenda Point 02: Awaiting Group NOC – CFSAI had compiled list of 457 containers that are awaiting NOC from various Groups and had addressed to Shri G. Manigandasamy, Joint Commissioner, JNCH and the disposal team. We request to kindly give necessary instructions to the Group officer in granting the NOC at the earliest to enable our Member CFSs put up the required files for auction approval and disposal of the cargo at the earliest. Seek your prompt intervention in addressing the issue.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: With respect to the file forwarded to the Appraising Groups for NOC, necessary action is being taken by the group officers after going through the documents/case and NOC is granted if documents are found in order.

[विन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 03/Agenda Point 03: Longstanding un-cleared/unclaimed goods pending for Adjudication at Appraising Groups- There are approximately 568 containers awaiting Show Cause Notice and 130 containers awaiting Order in Original longstanding un-

cleared/unclaimed cargo pending by adjudicating authorities at Appraising Groups. We are enclosing the list of such containers. We request to give required directions to officers at various Groups in expediting the adjudication process and speedy disposal of longstanding cargo.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: All the cases of longstanding containers pending for adjudication received in the sections are under process.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

5. The members of the meeting were informed that the date and mode of conducting next PTFC meeting shall be informed well in advance. **All the Association members were requested to forward their agenda points, if any, at least 07 working days in advance by e-mail to Appraising Main (Import) Section on appraisingmain.jnch@gov.in for taking up the issue in the upcoming PTFC meeting.**

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

7. This issues with the approval of the Commissioner of Customs, NS-I.

8. Minutes are placed on JNCH website and also being sent through emails to the members.

Sd/-

(राजीव जी काकेरी/Rajiv G Kakeri)

सहायक आयुक्त, सीमाशुल्क /Asstt. Commissioner of Customs,
मूल्यनिरूपण मुख्य(आयात)/Appraising Main (I),
जेएनसीएच, न्हावा शेवा / JNCH, Nhava Sheva.

सेवा में /To,

पीटीएफसी के सभी सदस्यों को ई मेल के माध्यमसे /All the Members of PTFC(through email)

प्रतिलिपि/Copy to :(ई मेल के माध्यम से)

- 1) मुख्य आयुक्त, सीमाशुल्क, मुंबई अंचल-II/Chief Commissioner of Customs, MUM Zone-II;
- 2) प्रधान अपर महा निदेशक, करदाता सेवा महानिदेशालय, मुंबई/The Principal Add. Director General, Directorate General of Tax Payers Services, Mumbai Zonal Unit, room No 138/139, New Custom House, Mumbai-400001(mzu-dgtps@gov.in);
- 3) लोकपाल , अप्रत्यक्ष कर, मुंबई/The Ombudsman, Indirect Taxes, Mumbai;
- 4) सीमाशुल्क आयुक्त, मुंबई अंचल-II/ Commissioner of Customs,MUM Zone-II;
- 5) सभी अपर/संयुक्त आयुक्त, जेएनसीएच, न्हावा शेवा /All ADCs/JCs JNCH, Nhava Sheva;
- 6) सभी उप/सहा.आयुक्त, जेएनसीएच, न्हावा शेवा /All DCs/ACs JNCH, Nhava Sheva;
- 7) सहा/उप आयुक्त, ईडीआई, जेएनसीएच, न्हावा शेवाको अविलंब वेबसाइट में अपलोड करने के लिए/AC/DC, EDI, JNCH, Nhava Sheva, for uploading in JNCH website;
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