



सीमाशुल्क प्रधान आयुक्त कार्यालय (एन. एम. -I)
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS (NS-I),

मूल्यनिरूपण मुख्य (आयात) **APPRAISING MAIN (IMPORT)**
जवाहरलाल नेहरू सीमाशुल्क भवन/JAWAHARLAL NEHRU CUSTOM HOUSE, शेवा SHEVA,
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फा. सं./F.N.:S/22-Gen-44/2017-18 AM(I)Pt. IX

दिनांक/Date: - .07.2022

दिनांक 4/07/2022 को सम्पन्न 'स्थायी व्यापार सुविधा समिति' (आयात) की बैठक का कार्यवृत्त

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PERMANENT TRADE FACILITATION COMMITTEE
(IMPORT) HELD ON 4/07/2022**

The PTFC meeting held through video conference as well as through physical attendance on 4/07/2022 was chaired by Shri U. Niranjan Pr. Commissioner of Customs (NS-I), Shri. D. S. Garbyal Commissioner of Customs (NS-V), Shri Istikhar Baig, Commissioner of Customs (NS-General & Audit), and Shri Sonal Bajaj, Commissioner of Customs (NS-III) and Shri N. V. Kulkarni Commissioner of Customs (NS-II).

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	Mode of attendance in PTFC
1.	Ganpat Korade	BCBA	Physical
2.	Hiren Ruparel	BCBA	Virtual
3.	Nimesh Desai	BCBA	Physical
4.	Mark S Fernandes	IMC Chambers of Commerce and Industry	Physical
5.	V K Agarwal	Mirc Electronics Ltd	Physical
6.	Vinayak B. Aparaj	BCBA	Physical
7.	Kiran Rambhia	BCBA	Physical
8.	Maruti R Gadge	BCBA	Physical
9.	Javed Mehmood	MRAI	Physical
10.	Salim S	CFSAI	Physical
11.	R K Rubin	AMTOI	Virtual
12.	Anand	Importer	Virtual
13.	S Srinivas	CFSAI	Physical
14.	Avinash Satardekar	BMCT	Virtual
15.	Nishikant Chogule	Mirc Electronics	Virtual
16.	Paresh Shah	WISA	Physical
17.	Nilesh Datir	AILBEIA	Virtual

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.	Hemlata Rai	Addl. Commissioner, Customs
2.	Suresh Murugu	Addl. Commissioner, Customs
3.	M K Agarwal	Addl. Commissioner, Customs
4.	V R Reddy	Addl. Commissioner, Customs
5.	R S Bhati	Joint Commissioner, Customs
6.	S Nandkumar	Joint Commissioner, Customs

3. Ms Hemlata Rai, Addl. Commissioner of Customs, AM (Imp) JNCH started the discussion on the agenda points of the meeting relating to the import. Before going to the Agenda Points for the present month, she informed the members about the status of the agenda points discussed in of the PTFC (Import) meeting held on 30.05.2022.

4. कार्यविन्दु/AGENDA POINTS:

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

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 01/Agenda Point No.01: Test report being communicated to customs broker as per board circular 30/2017 dt. 18.7.2017:- We refer to CBIC Circular No 30/2017 dated 18.7.2017 regarding Detailed guidelines for re-testing of samples wherein it clearly states;

Quote:

Customs officers may draw the samples from import consignments for testing in case of consignments wherever needed. The results of all test reports, adverse or otherwise, shall be communicated to the importer or his authorized representative/ Customs Broker immediately on its receipt.

Unquote:

We wish to inform you that there is a provision given by FSSAI where members can download the test report from respective web site. Animal Quarantine/PQ also provides copy of test report being tested by them.

Suggestions:-

In view of above, we request you to issue necessary guidelines to DYCC and Textiles Committee to share the test report to customs broker for future shipments which are valid for 6 months.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response:-

At JNCH the CBIC Circular No. 30/2017 is followed and a copy of test report from DYCC/Textile Committee is provided to the concerned CHA/Importer and record of the same is maintained in a register.

BCBA's request for the TC report to Importer via mail, was taken on record and Commissioner NS-III further informed that he will look into the matter and discuss it with Textile Committee.

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 02/Agenda Point No.02: First time import/export documents:- We wish to inform you that this point was already taken up in earlier PTFC meeting where it was informed that public notice will be issued for sublimation of documents in advance or through JNCH web site.

Suggestions:- We request you to kindly issue necessary public notice in larger interest of EXIM Trade at JNCH.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response:-

Manual first time import files are being processed immediately as per extant instructions and all the instruction/Public Notice is being followed by Group offices related to first time import. Further it is also stipulated in PN 33/2022 dated 21.06.2022 at Para 3 "Once an AD code is registered against an IEC at any Port, the same can be used for all ports. There is no requirement of separate registration at other ports for filing documents."

Trade has been asked to report specific cases if any to the Commissioner.

एम.ए.एन.एस.ए.के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यविन्दु / Agenda Points raised by Western India Shippers Association

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 01/Agenda Point No.01: Scanning hold for LCL container cargo: If any LCL import container is selected for scanning and is found to be suspicious (which most likely is bound to be reported so since there will be divergent nature of goods and packaging arousing suspicion), the container is allowed to be DE stuffed in CFS and every single consignment in that container, irrespective of being facilitated or not, is subjected to 100% examination under DC Docks supervision. That is not all, every single importer / CB when they come for taking delivery, are made to visit the concerned DC (who could be located in any other CFS or in field carrying examination) who routinely marks it for examination. This has been discussed several times in the past and everyone in the department has agreed the practice is wrong and needs correction. Sadly, however, it still remains the same in absence of directives / intervention from higher authorities.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response:-

In case of Containers marked "Suspicious" by CSD or placed on Hold by CSD, the procedures as laid down in PN 31/2021 dated 30.03.2021 is being duly followed. Since, the Docks Officers have been mandated to examine the container 100% under DC Docks Supervision to rule out any possibility of concealment/mis-declaration, the same is being followed even for LCL cargo (contained in the said suspicious containers) as per the hold from CSD Division. It may be noted that the Scanning/Hold pertains to entire container and the same needs to be examined, irrespective of whether it comprises of LCL/FCL cargo. Further, examination of a container is being done only once as mandated.

कार्यविन्दु संख्या 02/Agenda Point No.02: Not honouring SO 65/2016: This SO (copy attached) is very clear and was issued after diverge assessment practices were being followed by different appraising groups of JNCH for facilitated Bills of Entry which was set right with issuance of said SO. However, post introduction of faceless assessment, same problem is recurring and many officers of FAG are giving examination orders even for facilitated Bills of Entry which should have been ignored by RMS facilitation cell and grant OOC but the same is not being done. Kindly ensure the said SO is followed in letter and spirits as far as all departments of JNCH are concerned.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response:-

All the Group offices are scrupulously following SO 65/2016 and are not giving any open and Examination Orders in RMS Facilitated Bill of Entry.

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 Pr. Commissioner of Customs, NS-I.

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


(Yogesh Chitte)

उप आयुक्त, सीमाशुल्क / Dy. 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, Mumbai 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;
- 8) कार्यालय प्रति/Office Copy.