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OFFICE OF THE PR.COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS (NS-I),
मूल्यनिरूपण मुख्य (आयात)/APPRAISING MAIN (IMPORT)
जवाहरलाल नेहरू सीमाशुल्क भवन/JAWAHARLAL NEHRU CUSTOM HOUSE, शेवा/SHEVA,
तालुका/ TAL-उरण/URAN.; जिला/DISTRICT- रायगड/RAIGAD, महाराष्ट्र/MAHARASHTRA-400707, (ई-मेल/email :
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दिनांक 26/03/2021 को सम्पन्न 'स्थायी व्यापार सुविधा समिति' (आयात) की बैठक का कार्यवृत्त
MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PERMANENT TRADE FACILITATION COMMITTEE (IMPORT) HELD
ON 26.03.2021

The PTFC meeting held through video conference on 26.03.2021 was chaired by Shri U. Niranjan, Pr. Commissioner of Customs (NS-I), Shri S.K. Vimalanathan, Pr. Commissioner of Customs (NS-III), Shri R. K. Mishra, Commissioner of Customs (NS-V) and Shri Sunil Kumar Mall, Commissioner of Customs (NS-Audit, NS-II & General). 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.	Nimish Desai	WISA
4.	Hiren Ruparel	BCBA
5.	Manohar Patyane	BCBA
6.	Maruti Gadge	MCMA
7.	Ganpat Korade	BCBA
8.	Umesh Grover	CFSAI
9.	Dushyant Mulani	BCBA
10.	Jacob Thomas	CFSAI
11.	Rekha	CSLA
12.	Paresh Thakkar	BCBA
13.	V.K. Agarwal	Mirc Electronics Ltd. (ONIDA)
14.	Capt. Ram Iyer	MANSA
15.	Manish Kumar	MANSA
16.	V. Rajappan	CDSCO
17.	Shyam	CSLA
18.	Paresh	J.M. Baxi & Co
19.	Sunil Vaswani	CSLA
20.	Neelesh Datir	AILBIEA
21.	R K Rubin	AMTOI
22.	Shailendra Penkar	MANSA
23.	Paresh Vaivade	MANSA
25.	Shankar Shinde	FFFAI
26.	Paras Shah	BCBA
27.	Bakshi Md Hanif	MANSA
28.	Vinayak Baparaj	BCBA
29.	Vasant	

30.	Salim	
31.	Prashant Satish Mhatre	
32.	Atul Jahagirdar	
33.	Karunakar Shetty	
34.	Jeetendra	
35.	Mark Savio Fernandes	
36.	Capt. Rakesh Prashad	
37.	Srinivas Subramanian Srini	

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.	S. K. H. Meshram	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
3.	Manish Thapliyal	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
4.	T. Arivazhagan	Addl. Commissioner of Customs, JNCH
5.	Raghuram	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. **कार्यबिन्दु/AGENDA POINTS:**

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

कार्यबिन्दु संख्या01/Agenda Point 01: DPD/CFS ISSUES:

Shipping lines have been receiving invoices from the terminals towards storage of DPD/CFS mode of delivery, as a result of which, the lines end up chasing customers, many of whom are unresponsive. As requested earlier too, any such charges should be debited directly by the terminals to the PDA account of the respective customers for which we request your kind intervention with the terminals.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: Regarding invoices raised by Terminals against storage charge or any other charge for any DPD/CFS mode of delivery, P.N. 11/2020 dated 17.01.2020 has already been issued by JNCH, wherein, it was decided that importers having AEO status and/or those who are availing DPD facility for containerized cargo may be allowed the facility of paying Terminal Handling Charges (THC) from their PD accounts directly to the terminal operators instead of paying through Shipping Lines. On the same line, Shipping Lines may request the Terminal Office to debit any such charges directly from the PD account of importers.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

वी.आई.एस.ए. के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यबिन्दु/Agenda Point raised by WISA

कार्यबिन्दु संख्या01/Agenda Point 01: Amendment Issue:

Facility for filing of online amendment to a Bill of Entry is available through icegate, however, departmental officers are still insisting upon physical written request for amendment, taking file number, uploading the request under e-Sanchit and taking physical approval from AO and DC manually for requested amendment.

It may be noted that Importer/CB is applying for an amendment online through icegate by uploading a digitally signed flat file mentioning amendment being sought and reason for the same, if any. Effectively, submission of physical request letter is being replaced with traceable digitally signed request in electronic form and in that case putting up manual request letter and all manual processes being followed presently be done away with.

For sake of clarity, it may also be noted that all such amendments which are allowed presently, are all in the nature of revenue neutral category and are not affecting value or classification or duty. Therefore, it is requested that suitable instructions be issued to appraising groups by way of a PN.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: Amendment request can be submitted on-line. Valid online amendments are being attended by the group officers. The list of Bills of Entry pending in Amendment queue is available in the Dashboard of the officer. Additionally, periodical SMS Alerts are also being received by the officers for timely action. Amendments are allowed only in those cases where documentary evidences are available on e-sanchit.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

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

कार्यबिन्दु संख्या 01/Agenda Point 01: Final print issue: In case of registration done before payment of duty and out of charge taken before payment of duty, the final print does not come in the registered office or CMC. Custom Brokers have to go for the reprint with the concern DC and then print is generated in the registered CB/ Importer's office or CMC.

सुझाव/Suggestion: We request that the final print should be made available in CB / Importer office or CMC after out of charge and payment of the duty.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The issue represented will be flagged to DG System.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यबिन्दु संख्या 02/Agenda Point 02: Difficulties faced in debiting the bond in case of Advance license: In case of multiple items and multiple license in one Bill of Entry, there is an issue that the bond amount is not split up as per actual duty saved amount. Full amount of items is debited in all items for which we have to recall the B/E for the rectification of each item.

सुझाव/Suggestion: We request that necessary rectifications are required to be done in the system.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The issue will be flagged to DG System.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यबिन्दु संख्या 03/Agenda Point 03: Amendment in Container Status: Trade is facing an issue in amendment in container number for LCL or FCL.

सुझाव/Suggestion: We request that the amendment can be done on DC level after verification of the related documents and without recall or reassessment of B/E as there is no revenue implication.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: At present also, online request for amendment of container status from LCL to FCL or vice-versa can be made. The PAG will decide its approval.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यबिन्दु संख्या 04/Agenda Point 04: Faceless Issues: Delay in assessment is taking more than 5 to 6 days even for the first check request, query reply also. Therefore, in order to improve the dwell time for clearance and speedy clearance we request the following:-

सुझाव/Suggestion: We request for monitoring the assessment to improve dwell time and for trade facilitation.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: Assessment and Examination are monitored at senior level and the impediments/glitches are being resolved proactively.

[बिन्दु समाप्त/Point Closed]

कार्यबिन्दु संख्या 04/Agenda Point 05: One time intimation: This was great initiative by JN Customs for intimation to be given onetime for choice of CFS which is honored by CSLA but not by NVOCC, Freight forwarders and for every shipment they want mail from importer of customs broker for choice of CFS.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: In this regard, it is to inform that directions have already been issued vide PN 36/2018 dated 09.03.2018 wherein it was clarified that instead of requirement to submit advance intimation by DPD importers in consultation with shipping lines and CSLA each time before arrival of the vessel "one time default intimation" may be obtained from DPD importers and submitted to shipping Lines through CSLA(csla@bombaychamber.com) so that default stacking code indicated in the said "intimation" can be treated as default stacking code by shipping line.

Moreover, vide PN 156/2018 dated 11.12.2018, it was decided to discontinue the practice of sharing the one time default intimation every time to the shipping lines through CSLA. Now it became incumbent upon the shipping lines to move the containers as per the "one time default intimation details" published on the website of Jawaharlal Nehru Customs House (i.e. www.jawaharcustoms.gov.in).

Further, vide PN 13/2020 dated 23.01.2020, an online module was also introduced on DPD JNCH website (i.e. www.dpdjnch.com) which enabled DPD importers to give 72 hours prior intimation request for change of CFS and to submit / change OTDI. It was made mandatory for the DPD importers to submit their request of 72 hrs. Prior intimation and submission/change of 'One Time Default Intimation' of CFS through online OTDI module only. No other mode of communication, either manual or electronic, was to be entertained w.e.f. 11.02.2020. After submission of required details, same will get updated on real time basis in the data file on JNCH website and it will be accessible to the importers and shipping lines / agents.

However, some shipping lines, NVOCC, Freight Forwarders are not following the instructions laid vide above said Public Notice. Details of all such stakeholders may be sought from BCBA in order to analyse the issue and to take necessary action in this regard.

[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.

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(शान्तनु/Shantanu)

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 वैबसाइट में अपलोड करने के लिए/AC/DC, EDI, JNCH, Nhava Sheva, for uploading in JNCH website immediately;
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