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PUBLIC NOTICE NO.62/2026

Subject: Conversion of DPD-CFS status containers to DPD-DPD status containers and availability of transport support by JNPA - regarding.

Attention of all Importers, Customs Brokers, Shipping Lines/Agents, Terminal Operators, Container Freight Stations (CFSs) and other stakeholders is invited to CBIC Circular No. 14/2021-Customs dated 07th July, 2021, Public Notice No. 13/2020 dated 23rd January, 2020 and Public Notice No. 57/2018 dated 10th April, 2018 issued by JNCH, whereby the procedure for movement of DPD containers, to designated Container Freight Stations (CFSs) as selected by the importer through OTDI on the JNCH DPD Portal was delineated.

2. Due to the temporary shortage of trailer drivers being faced by the CFSs, the evacuation process of containers from terminals to CFSs has been adversely affected. In this regard, attention is invited to **Trade Notice No. 04/2026 dated 23rd May, 2026** issued by Jawaharlal Nehru Port Authority (JNPA), whereby JNPA has stated that those importers or their agents willing to lift cargo directly from the import yard may apply to the Customs Department for

conversion of their Bill of Entry Port Delivery (DPD-CFS) status to Direct Port Delivery (DPD-DPD) status.

3. In this regard, it is brought to the attention of the stakeholders that those importers or their agents willing to avail the aforementioned facility may email their request for conversion of DPD-CFS status containers to DPD-DPD status containers to the DPD-RMS Cell at **dpd-jnch@gov.in**, subject to the condition that the said Bills of Entry are fully facilitated Bills of Entry and the containers, if selected for scanning, are not found suspicious.

4. All such requests for conversion of the status from DPD-CFS to DPD-DPD will be dealt with on top priority the same day and approval will be granted promptly to deserving cases in order to facilitate the smooth evacuation of containers from terminals. It may be noted that the said approval will get updated on the JNCH website and the information will be accessible to the importers, terminal operators, shipping lines/agents and CFS.

5. These guidelines remain in effect until further notice. JNCH may modify or withdraw them based on operational requirements.

6. Any operational challenges encountered must be promptly communicated to the Additional Commissioner of Customs (DPD, JNCH) via email at dpd-jnch@gov.in.

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Copy to:

1. The Chief Commissioner of Customs, Mumbai Zone-II, JNCH.
2. The Commissioner of Customs, NS-G/ NS-I/ NS-II / NS-IV/ NS-V, JNCH.
3. All Additional/ Joint Commissioners of Customs, JNCH.
4. All Deputy/ Assistant Commissioner of Customs, JNCH.
5. All Sections/ Groups of NS-G, NS-I, NS-II / NS-III/ NS-IV/ NS-V, JNCH.
6. The AC/DC, EDI for uploading on JNCH website immediately.
7. All CFSs, Terminal Operators, Shipping Lines, Transporters and other stakeholders.
8. Notice Board, JNCH.