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	मूल्य-निरूपण मुख्य (निर्यात)/APPRAISING MAIN (Export)
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	शेवा/SHEVA,
	तालुका/ TAL-उरण/URAN, जिला/DISTRICT- रायगड/RAIGAD,
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दिनांक/Date:- 19-02-2025

दिनांक 30.01.2025 को सम्पन्न 'स्थायी व्यापार सुविधा समिति' (निर्यात & सामान्य आयुक्तालय) की बैठक का कार्यवृत्त

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PERMANENT TRADE FACILITATION COMMITTEE (EXPORT & GENERAL COMMISSIONERATE) HELD ON 30.01.2025

The PTFC meeting held in physical mode on 30.01.2025 was chaired by **Shri D. S. Garbyal**, Commissioner of Customs (NS-General) and attended by **Shri Sanjeev Kumar Singh**, Commissioner of Customs (NS-II) and **Shri Sonal Bajaj**, Commissioner of Customs (NS-V).

2. The meeting was attended by the following members/participants of the trade: -

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3. विभाग की ओर से निम्नलिखित अधिकारियों ने बैठक में भाग लिया: -

Following Officers from the department attended the meeting: -

क्रम सं./ Sr. No.	नाम(सर्वश्री/सुश्री/श्रीमती) Names(Shri/Ms./Mrs.)	पदनाम Designation
1.	Sh. Prasanna V. Pattanashetti	Addl. Commissioner of Customs
2.	Sh. Vinay Kr. Kantheti	Addl. Commissioner of Customs
3.	Dr. Chittaranjan Wagh	Addl. Commissioner of Customs
4.	Sh. Mahesh M. Leuva	Asstt. Commissioner of Customs
4.	Sh. Dharmender Singh	Asstt. Commissioner of Customs

All participants were welcomed by Shri. D. S. Garbyal, Commissioner of Customs.

4. **BCBA के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यबिन्दु /AGENDA POINTS RAISED BY BCBA :**

- कार्यबिन्दु संख्या-1/ Agenda Point No.-1: Priority for Reefer Containers

We refer to PN No 35/2017 dated 17.3.2017 regarding Export of Factory Stuffed refrigerated container further clarification regarding. It has been observed that Provisions of PN No 35/2017 dated 17.3.2017 (JN Customs) is not being implemented at grassroot level. Given the seasonal / perishable nature of refrigerated export cargo movements, this segment requires special attention for priority processing in larger interest of EXIM Trade.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The Chair stated that instructions have already been provided to the officers stationed at CPP to prioritize the export clearance of refrigerated containers and containers containing perishable goods, a practice that is currently being followed at CPP. In addition, Exporters, CHAs, and Trade representatives are advised to clearly mark/mention "Refrigerated Containers" on the top right corner of the Shipping Bills for such containers, and similarly, to indicate "Perishable Goods" on Shipping Bills for goods that are perishable. These Shipping Bills will be given priority for export clearance.

-कार्यबिन्दु संख्या-2/ Agenda Point No.2: Timeline Monitoring under XMAS

We seek your assistance in expediting/monitoring the timeline in the process of alert removal in the larger interest of EXIM Trade under XMAS.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The Chair stated that alerts are promptly removed once the pending licenses for IECs/Authorization holders are updated in the X-MAS system. There is no longer any need to visit the EPSMMC Section at JNCH for NOC requests in person. Authorization holders can now simply send their requests or submissions via email to epsmmc-jnch@gov.in. Additionally, any change such as the insertion or removal of alerts requires the approval of the Commissioner of Customs (Export). However, the alert removal process generally takes just two days. In cases where alerts remain active, despite the submission of all supporting documents, concerned parties can escalate the issue via the aforementioned email or through other grievance mechanisms. The Chair also informed with the advent of the X-MAS, on the eve of year 2024 itself, total fifty thousand licenses (50,000) have already been cancelled, a stark contrast to just 1,900 cancellations in 2022.

-कार्यबिन्दु संख्या-3/ Agenda Point No.3: Real-Time Grant of LEO (Let Export Order) for facilitated Shipping Bills

The LEO for RMS (Risk Management System) facilitated Shipping Bills gets delayed due to manual interventions or procedural bottlenecks. We request you to kindly implement real-time processing of LEO for RMS-facilitated Shipping Bills to enhance operational efficiency and reduce dwell time of export shipments.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The Chair stated that the system instructs for goods to be inspected even when the Shipping Bill is facilitated by RMS. This inspection introduces manual intervention in the process of clearance of such Shipping Bills. Inspection is mandatorily to be carried out in all the Shipping Bills irrespective of whether they are RMS facilitated or others and hence, the LEO (Let Export Order) can not be given without manual intervention.

5. GOODRICH INDIA के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यबिन्दु /AGENDA POINTS RAISED BY GOODRICH INDIA :

-कार्यबिन्दु संख्या-1/ Agenda Point-1: Restow permission

As of now boarding officer issued restow permission, but now a days boarding officers refusing such permission & suggesting to approach at PSO. But PSO officer asking for the Notification. Also note that if Reefer container malfunction due to technical reason (e.g. Compressor defective) and need to restow for repair on ROB basis. Also a problem in obtaining permission.

The question is that, if the vessel berth in night hours let us say 10 pm & sailing will be on 6 am early morning. Also, a question of obtaining permission.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The chair stated that the matter has already been discussed in meeting dated 09.01.2025, which was attended by representatives of CSLA, Port Terminal, JNPA and other stakeholders. The Boarding Office has already been directed by competent authority to follow the due procedures and to grant restow permission as per extant provisions.

6. CSLA के द्वारा उठाया गया कार्यबिन्दु /AGENDA POINTS RAISED BY CSLA :

-कार्यबिन्दु संख्या-1/ Agenda Point No.-1. Light Dues

Validity field should be optional field in online port clearance applications. The light dues payment is required for arrival of the vessel and need to be updated at the time of inward entry of the vessel. Light dues once paid remain valid for 30 days from the day when it becomes payable. Sometimes the validity of the light dues gets expired on the arrival date of the next voyage of the vessel, however the inward entry process is successfully completed as light dues payment for such cases remain valid on the arrival date. Earlier port clearance permission was issued basis on arrival validity, but in the online port clearance process the certificate is issued either with 3 days or till the validity date of any of the mandatory documents including that of light dues payment. This is causing problems in online port clearance certificate especially when light dues payment validity is till the arrival of the vessel but expected to sail on the next day. We were not facing this issue in manual port clearance permission. As light dues payment is required for arrival of the vessel / inward entry process, the validity date field of light dues payment should be optional field and port clearance certificate should be issued basis on validity period of other mandatory documents or 3 days period.

प्रतिक्रिया/Response: The Chair stated that during verification of Post Clearance Certificate, the Customs follows the provisions of the Customs Act or Allied Act. The light dues payment related issues are out of purview of this department. Light dues are collected and managed by the Directorate of Lighthouses & Lightships and hence, whatever clarification/extension of validity or waiver of light dues payment etc. may be sought from the concerned department i.e. Directorate of Lighthouses & Lightships.

7 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 (Export) Section on apmainexp@jawaharcustoms.gov.in for taking up the issue in the upcoming PTFC meeting.**

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

9. This issues with the approval of the Commissioner of Customs, NS-II.

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

Mahesh M Leuva

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER

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जेएनसीएच, न्हावा शेवा-II/ JNCH, Nhava Sheva-II.

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)

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