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Fwd: Request for views /suggestions and data for review of All India Rates (AIR) of Duty Drawback for the year 2023-reg

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Dear Sir/Madam,

As you are aware the Duty Drawback Committee, chaired by Shri. G.K Pillai has made a visit to Kochi, wherein the committee has requested to provide the inputs from the Spices sector in the attached template, so as to enable them to revise the Duty Drawback rates in a harmonious and serviceable manner.

In this regard, it is requested to share the inputs in the attached format and in excel mode, sector-wise and exporterwise, latest by 31st March 2023, for onward transmission to the Duty Drawback committee. As informed by the committee, the data shall be crisp and clear so as to enable them to assess it hassle-free. Accordingly, the committee has suggested the following points to be taken care of, while filling in the data.

- 1. The data shall be filled in drawback code-wise/HS Code wise, which would enable the committee in easily computation. For each exported product, an exclusive Annexure II may be given
- 2. Data provided should be complete for the exports made during the period April 2022 to September 2022.
- 3. For a particular item, the details of the inputs that are used in the manufacture of the particular product shall be indicated (even if the inputs are procured domestically, the details shall be mentioned and duty shall be mentioned as zero). Also, the details of imported packaging materials may be provided in Table I
- 4. The incidence of duty shall be furnished only for customs duty on the inputs and central excise duty on the petroleum products as other duties/taxes are covered under RoDTEP scheme.
- 5. Data should be certified by the exporters as well as the CA and shall contain the relevant document supports.
- 6. Domestic supply of the end products may be avoided for calculation and the components shall be bifurcated accordingly.
- 7. If there is more than one end product from the same raw material, the calculation may be made proportionally.
- 8. If diesel / petrol is used for both domestic production as well as for export production, the usage of the same may be calculated and added in the proper proportion.
- 9. If an exporter is dealing with multiple products under multiple drawback codes, the exporter has to furnish a separate sheet for each item under the code. Accordingly, an exporter needs to submit multiple sheets to cover their entire products.
- 10. Table 3 of the format need not be filled as the same is not required for the spices sector.
- 11. UQC shall be mentioned uniformly to the maximum extent possible.
- 12. For a better revision of the rates, it is requested to include the data from small, medium as well as large exporters and also from all verticals (powder,oil,oleoresin,neutraceuticals etc)

Accordingly, it is requested to disseminate the same among the distinguished members of your association, so as to submit the maximum inputs to the drawback committee, which would enable them work out the revised rates for the Spices sector.

सादर/Regards, नितिन जो /Nithin Joe, उप निदेशक /Deputy Director, मसाला बोर्ड/Spices Board, (वाणिज्य और उद्योग मंत्रालय)/(Ministry of Commerce & Industry), भारत सरकार / Govt. of India.



