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All Members/All Members of the COA

Dear Members,

Subject : Regarding charging of fees for REX Registration

We would like to inform you that the O/o DGFT, New Delhi has issued Trade Notice No. 32/2018 dated 14.09.2018 (<http://dgft.gov.in/sites/default/files/TN-32%20dt-14.09.2018.pdf>) regarding Charging of Fees for REX Registration.

As you are aware that the European Union (EU) had introduced a self-certification scheme for certifying the rules of origin under GSP from 01.01.2017 onwards. In this regard, DGFT had brought out a Public Notice No. 51 dated 30.12.2016 (https://dgft.gov.in/sites/default/files/PN5116_1.pdf) regarding registration of exporters under EU GSP Registered Exporter System (REX) System and assigning them a REX number enabling them to self-certify the origin of product through Statement of Origin for duty preference under European Union Generalised System of Preferences. For doing the REX registration, some agencies had been identified and details of these agencies were given in the Public Notice No. 51 dated 30.12.2016.

However, it has been brought to the notice of the Department of Commerce that some of the agencies are charging exporters for REX registration, which is not correct and in violation of the instructions laid down in Public Notice No. 51 dated 2016. *It is reiterated that REX registration under EU GSP Scheme is free and no fees can be charged from Exporters for REX registration.*

It has also been noted that RAs of DGFT and Local Authorities for REX are not registering some applicants under REX as they are under DEL. *In this regard, it is clarified that registering an applicant under REX is not a benefit being granted under the FTP. Registration under REX enables an exporter to export to EU under the EU-GSP Scheme and get a preferential tariff. Accordingly, applicant's, even if under DEL, may be registered under REX for exports to EU-GSP.*

Members exporting to EU are requested to take note of this clarification and do the needful accordingly.

Best Regards,

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