



THE PLASTICS EXPORT
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To

All Members of the Council

Dear Sir / Madam,

Subject : Regarding Reduction of Import Tax to 0% on medical products and suspension of anti-dumping on plastic tubes for vacuum blood Collection etc by Brazil up to 30 June, 2021

We wish to inform you that FT (LAC) section, Department of Commerce has communicated us regarding Reduction of Import Tax to 0% on medical products and suspension of anti-dumping on plastic tubes for vacuum blood Collection etc by Brazil up to 30 June, 2021.

They also have informed us that the attached list of 258 items received through email from Embassy of India in Brazil informing that the Executive Management Committee of the Chamber of Foreign Trade (CAMEX) under the Ministry of Economy, Republic of Brazil in its meeting held on 15th January, 2021, has **approved temporary reduction of the import duty to 0% on these 258 products which include vital sign monitors, oxygen sensors, cylinders for storing medical gases and various other medical supplies that are essential to fight against the COVID- 19 pandemic.**

CAMEX has also stated that the Brazilian government has been carrying out **temporary tariff reductions and suspending anti-dumping duties on plastic tubes for vacuum blood collection in order to increase the supply of items required to deal with the Covid-19 pandemic**. Currently, the list of tariff reduction includes a total of 561 products. The measures will come into effect from 16th January, 2021 after publishing into the Official Gazette and shall remain in effect until 30th June, 2021.

Concern members are requested to take note of this opportunity of relaxation made by Brazilian Government and do the needful.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

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