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## THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL

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To,

All Members of Plexconcil

Dear Sir / Madam,

## Subject: Feedback on Vessel Sharing Agreement (VSA) Exemption Renewal

The Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways is finalizing the draft notification concerning Vessel Sharing Agreements (VSAs) exemptions under the Competition Act, 2002. In this regard, Directorate General Shipping nominated the Indian Institute of Foreign Trade to conduct a stakeholder consultation - may refer to attached draft notification. This consultation is crucial to gather diverse views from the relevant industry players, ensuring that the final notification adequately addresses the concerns of all stakeholders.

Please find the link to the questionnaire below. It will address and facilitate the structured discussion on stakeholders' concerns (Indian shipping lines, NVOCCs, exporters, port authorities, and others). The prompt response from all stakeholders can expedite the VSA exemption renewal process in India.

Questionnaire Link: https://forms.gle/ue2HptbQHG7oHhrX6

We highly appreciate your prompt response and contribution. Click Hear

Thanks & Regards,

**Bharti Parave** 

**Deputy Director (Trade & Policy)** 

The Plastics Export Promotion Council