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To,
All Members of Plexconcil/
COA Members

Dear Sir/Madam,

<u>Subject: Regarding members inputs on underutilization/non-utilization of AITIGA with ASEAN</u> countries.

We wish to inform you that the (EP CAP) Section of the Department of Commerce (DoC) has received a request from the FT-ASEAN Division to provide inputs on a set of queries formulated for exporters.

These queries aim to identify and understand the **possible reasons behind the underutilization or non-utilization of the ASEAN-India Trade in Goods Agreement (AITIGA)** by Indian exporters when trading with ASEAN member countries.

The insights collected through this exercise will help in evaluating the operational challenges, procedural bottlenecks, or market-related barriers that may be preventing optimal use of the AITIGA framework. This will further assist the government in developing policy recommendations or support measures to enhance the utilization of the agreement and improve India's trade engagement with ASEAN nations.

Accordingly, you are requested to kindly review the queries and provide your considered responses or relevant inputs at the earliest convenience.

Should you require any clarification or further information, please feel free to reach out at bharti@plexconcil.org; research@plexconcil.org

Please find below the google form link of queries:

https://forms.gle/QxE1qUssC3eE2Z1eA

Regards,
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