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<u>Sub: DGFT launches Pilot Phase of 'Bharat Aayat Niryat Lab Setu' to digitise</u> <u>testing and certification for Exports and Imports</u>

Dear Member,

To strengthen India's trade facilitation ecosystem, DGFT vide Trade Notice No.14/2025-26 dated 27.10.2025 (enclosed) has launched pilot phase of **Bharat Aayat Niryat Lab Setu**, a single-window digital platform integrating accredited testing and inspection agencies nationwide. Accessible at https://trade.gov.in/ - LabSetu or https://trade.gov.in/pages/labsetu it will enable exporters/importers to search, apply, track and obtain digital test reports/certifications across product categories.

Objective:

To streamline testing and certification, reduce delays, improve transparency and traceability and enhance global trust in India's quality infrastructure. During the pilot phase, existing offline processes may continue in parallel to ensure smooth transition and system refinement.

Key Dates for implementation:

- **04.11.2025** Pilot phase begins; onboarding of testing/inspection agencies
- 11.11.2025 Exporters/importers may start submitting testing applications

Support Channels:

- Helpdesk Ticket: Lab Setu >>> Helpdesk >>> Create New Request >>> LabSetu
- **DGFT Toll-Free Helplin**e: <u>011-23061495</u> / <u>011-23061499</u>
- · Email: dgftedi@nic.in

For detailed information on (a) Specific Instructions for Applicants, Testing & Inspection Agencies and (b) Verification of Test Reports, members may refer to Trade Notice No.14/2025-26 dated 27.10.2025. A User Guide in this regard is **enclosed**.

Members may kindly make a note of the above facility.

Regards,

Dr. Siddhartha Rajagopal **Executive Director**

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