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Sub: Extension of Export Incentives for Exports Made through Postal Mode

Dear Member,

We wish to inform you that CBIC has issued Circular No. 01/2026-Customs dated 15 January 2026 ([copy enclosed](#)) extending export incentives for exports made through the postal mode, by enabling electronic processing and seamless integration with ICEGATE.

In this regard,

Key Highlights of the Circular

1. Integration of Systems

The Postal Bill of Export (PBE) Automated System of the Department of Posts has now been integrated with ICES, enabling exporters to electronically claim export incentives for postal exports. This resolves earlier issues arising due to lack of system integration.

2. Eligible Export Incentives

Exporters making exports through the postal route can now claim the following benefits electronically:

- Duty Drawback
- RoDTEP
- RoSCTL

3. Mandatory ICEGATE Registration

Exporters intending to claim export incentives through the postal route must:

- Be registered on ICEGATE
- Ensure that bank account details are updated on ICEGATE and correspond with the DNK (Dak Niryat Kendra) portal

4. Filing of Postal Bill of Export (PBE). Please refer the CBIC Notification No.

07/2026-Customs (N.T.) dated 15-01-2026 ([copy enclosed](#)) along Official Gazette ([copy enclosed](#)).

- Exporters claiming electronic drawback must file PBE-III or PBE-IV on the DNK portal.

- The PBE forms have been enhanced to capture additional details required for export incentive claims.
- The procedure for non-electronic drawback claims remains unchanged.

5. Supporting Documents

For each Postal Bill of Export where incentive is claimed electronically, supporting documents must be uploaded on the e-Sanchit/ICEGATE portal.

6. Updated Portal Links

The Department of Posts has updated the portal links for DNK and postal customs operations, which are now accessible through the India Post Customer Self-Service Portal.

Members are advised to take note of the above changes.

Regards,

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