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To: Members of the Council

Sub: Exports of PPE Medical Coveralls for COVID-19

Dear Member,

DGFT has issued Notification No. 16/2015-20 dated June 29, 2020 to allow exports of "PPE Medical Coveralls for COVID-19". The product has been classified as "Restricted" for exports and, therefore, exports will be allowed against an Export Authorization. A monthly quota of 50 lakhs "PPE Medical Coveralls for COVID -19" has been fixed for the issue of Export Authorizations.

DGFT has also issued another Trade Notice No. 17/2020-21 dated June 29, 2020 to prescribe the procedures and criteria for submission and approval of applications for Export Authorizations.

Some of the requirements as per the above Trade Notice are as follows:

- Exporters are required to apply online through DGFT's ECOM system for Export Authorization.
- The application will have to be filed from 1st to 3rd of every month, which will be considered for the quota of that month. All such applications will be examined by the 10th of that month. Only one application per IEC will be considered during a month.

- Export Authorizations will be issued only to the manufacturer of "PPE Medical Coveralls for COVID-19". Even fabrics used in the manufacture of "PPE Medical Coveralls for COVID-19" should be produced in India.
- A copy of Testing / Accredition of "PPE Medical Coveralls for COVID-19" issued to the exporter from laboratories notified / recognized by the Ministry of Textiles for this purpose will be required to export.

Copies of DGFT Notification No. 16/2015-20 dated June 29, 2020 (click here) and DGFT Trade Notice No. 17/2020-21 dated June 29, 2020 (click here) are enclosed herewith.

You are requested to please go through the above Notification / Trade Notice carefully and do the needful. In case, you need any clarification or guidance in the matter please get in touch with Shri A.Ravi Kumar, Joint Director, TEXPROCIL or you may send your queries on the email IDs ravikumar@texprocil.org / vimal@texprocil.org.

Regards,

Dr. Siddhartha Rajagopal Executive Director

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