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**STANDING ORDER NO. 01/2014**

Sub :- Addendum/ corrigendum of Standing Order No. 59/2010 dated 23.12.2010 in the matter of procedure of Self-sealing and Self-certification regarding.

Attention is invited to Standing Order No. 59/2010 dated 23.12.2010, wherein procedure of Self-sealing and Self-certification has been prescribed by this Commissionerate.

In the said Standing Order, for Para 1, the following Para shall be substituted, namely –

“ 1. The facility of Self-sealing of the containers and Self –certification procedure is admissible to the manufacturer – exporters in terms of Board’s Circular No. 6/2002-Cus dtd. 23.01.2002. The facility of Self-sealing has also been extended to the Merchant Exporters vide Para 3 (a) (i) of Ministries Notification No. 19/2004- CE (NT) dated 06.09.2004 in certain cases where Merchant Exporters procure and export the goods directly from the factory or warehouse. For seeking the facility of Self-sealing, an exporter has to get himself registered in the EDI system. For this purpose he is required to intimate the Assistant Commissioner (Export) that he is manufacturer-exporter and intends to avail the facility of self-sealing and self-certification in the Custom House. He is also required to inform about his IEC Code number allotted to him by the Joint DGFT. The intimation of the manufacturer –exporter is processed in the file and after approval of the AC/DC (Export), the same is entered in the systems by the Preventive Officer (Export)”

The following Para 3.1 and 3.2 shall be inserted between Para 3 and 4, namely -

“ 3.1 Self-sealing facility is also available to Merchant-Exporters who procure and export the goods directly from the factory or warehouse registered with the Central Excise. In such cases, the manufacturer of the export goods or owner of the warehouse shall take the responsibility of sealing and certification. The merchant-exporters other than those procuring the goods directly from the factory or warehouse shall export the goods sealed at the place of dispatch by a Central Excise Officer.

3.2 The export goods which are self-sealed by the Manufacturer-Exporter / Merchant –Exporter himself shall be subjected to examination norms at the port of export as prescribed by CBEC from time to time. It may, however, be noted that the procedure for examination and sealing of the goods at the place of the dispatch by Central Excise officers is purely optional and the option shall remain only with the manufacturer- exporter except in case of free shipping bills where it is obligatory on the part of the manufacturer exporter to do the self sealing / self certification. ”

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To,  
All concerned officers.