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(Week 32/16)

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Government of India
Ministry of Finance
Department of Revenue
Central Board of Excise & Customs

Office Memorandum

New Delhi, dated the 08.08.16

**Subject:-Weekly Report in respect of important developments in CBEC for the week –
01.08.16 to 05.08.16 reg.**

Based on the inputs received from various sections, following is the compilation of the important developments for the week –**01.08.16 to 05.08.16**.

1. Administrative Changes:-

- Order regarding assigning of additional charge of the posts of Principal Additional Director General/Additional Director General of NACEN / RTIs has been issued vide Office Order No. 01/2016 dated 03.08.2016.
- Order regarding placement of services of Shri Ravindra K Das, IRS at the disposal of Department of Revenue for the post of Deputy Secretary (CX-I) in CBEC has been issued vide Office order No. 90/2016 dated 05.08.2016.

2. Legislative Changes:-

- Notification No. 02/2016-Cus(SG), dated 05.08.2016 has been issued to amend notification No. 1/2016-Customs(SG) dated 29.03.2016 to prescribe import prices on CIF basis at or above which safeguard duty on subject goods will not be applicable.
- Notification No. 36/2016-Cus(ADD), dated 02.08.2016 has been issued to extend the levy of anti-dumping duty imposed vide notification No.81/2011-Customs, dated the 24th August, 2011 on imports of Polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) originating in, or exported from, People's Republic of China for a further period of one year i.e. upto and inclusive of 23rd August, 2017.
- Notification No. 37/2016-Cus(ADD), dated 04.08.2016 has been issued to amend notification No. 50/2011-Customs, dated 22.06.2011 to extend ADD on sewing machine needles originating in or exported from China PR.
- Notification No. 38/2016-Cus(ADD), dated 04.08.2016 has been issued to amend notification No. 103/2011-Customs, dated 23.11.2011 to extend ADD on Opal Glass Ware originating in or exported from China PR & UAE.

3. Instructions:-

- The Legal Cell has issued an instruction dated 01.08.2016 regarding Composition of Committees of Chief Commissioners for the purpose of recommendations of Sr./Jr. Standing Counsels of CBEC for conducting Indirect tax matters in High Courts & other fora.

- Instructions regarding filing of reply/Counter Affidavit & imposing heavy cost to be recovered from the officer concerned.
- Instructions regarding unified stand of Ministries / Department in litigation; resolving the difference and common counter reply vetted through Ministry of Law.

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