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To: Members of the Council

## Sub: Declaration of Intent under MEIS

## Dear Member,

As you are aware, DGFT Public Notice No. 40 dated October 9, 2015 had prescribed a procedure to be followed for claiming rewards under MEIS (Merchandise Exports from India Scheme) where exports had been made through EDI generated shipping bills from 1.4.2015 to 31.5.2015 and the exporter had inadvertently marked"N' in the "reward item box" and intended to seek MEIS benefit.

In this regard, we have been receiving representations by our members pointing out that that the above Public Notice should also be made applicable to exports made beyond 31.5.2015. Accordingly, the Council had taken up this matter with the DGFT.

We are glad to inform you that DGFT has accepted the Council's representation and has issued Public Notice No.47/2015-20 dated December 8, 2015 according to which Shipping Bills where the declaration of intent "Y" has not been marked in the "reward column" and instead had ticked "N" while filing the shipping bills for exports from 1.6.2015 to 30.9.2015, such shipping bills will also be transmitted by CBEC to DGFT.

A copy of above Public Notice is <u>enclosed herewith</u> for your information.

You are requested to please take a note of the above Public Notice along with DGFT Public Notice No. 40 and follow the procedures prescribed, therein. In case, you face any difficulty or need any further clarification, please get in touch with us.

Regards,

Siddhartha Rajagopal Executive Director TEXPROCIL