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Circular No. EPS/21/2016-17 To: Members of the Council

Sub: Zero Duty EPCG and SHIS in FTP 2009-14

Dear Member,

As you are aware, Zero Duty EPCG scheme and Status Holder Incentive Scheme (SHIS) were part of the Foreign Trade Policy 2009-14. Both these schemes were mutually exclusive i.e. if the exporter had availed Zero Duty EPCG Authorization during the years 2010-11, 2011-12 or 2012-13, they were not eligible for SHIS for exports made during the respective previous years (2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12).

It has come to the notice of the Government that some of the exporters had incorrectly availed both the benefits i.e. benefits of Zero Duty EPCG Scheme as well as SHIS.

DGFT has issued Public Notice No. 30/2015-20 dated September 8, 2016 providing an option to those exporters who have incorrectly availed simultaneous benefits of Zero Duty EPCG and SHIS to surrender one of the benefits subject to certain conditions. The said Public Notice has laid down the procedures to be followed for the surrender of either of the benefits.

A copy of the above Public Notice **(click here)** is enclosed herewith.

You are requested to please take a note of the above and do the needful.

In case, any clarification is needed please contact our officer Shri A.Ravi Kumar, Joint Director.

Regards,

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