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Ministry of Commerce Industry  
Directorate General of Foreign Trade  
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Sub:- Online transmission of DES (Advance Authorization), EPCG and DEPB at 7 new port locations w.e.f. 21.3.2011 - reg.

As and when Customs (CBEC) have conveyed their readiness to implement on-line message exchange between Customs and DGFT, Policy Circulars have been issued from time to time by DGFT indicating the names and Port Codes of such Customs Ports where EDI facility would be available. Such Policy Circulars are listed below:

- (i) Policy Circular No. 28 (RE-2005)/2004-2009, dated 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2005.
- (ii) Policy Circular No.44 (RE-2005)/2004-2009, dated 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2006.
- (iii) Policy Circular No.32 (RE-2010)/2009-2014, dated 14<sup>th</sup> May, 2010.
- (iv) Policy Circular No. 37/2009-2014, dated 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2010.

2. Now it has been decided to add the following 7 new locations to 75 existing locations for on-line transmission of DES (Advance Authorization), EPCG and DEPB Authorization:

SI.No	Name of new ICES Location	LOCODE
1	Pipavav Port	INPAV102
2	ACC Goa	INGOI403
3	ICD Thar Dry Port, Sanand	NSAU604
4	Paradeep	INPRT105
5	ICD Mairipalam, Guntur	NGNR606
6	ACC Coimbatore	INCJB407
7	Gangavaram Port	NGGV103

Accordingly, with effect from 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2011 following shall be mandatory:

- (i) DEPB application in respect of shipping bills issued on or after 21/03/11 from these 7 ports has to be filed in EDI mode.
- (ii) All authorizations for DES (Advance authorization), EPCG, and DEPB in respect of these 7 ports issued on or after 21/03/2011 by Regional Authorities would be communicated to Customs on-line.

4. These issues with the approval of the DGFT.

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