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Minutes of the 2nd Meeting (2017 Series) of the Units Approval Committee (UAC) for EOUs held on 06.02.2017 at 11:00 Hrs. in the Office Chamber of the Development Commissioner, Administrative Building, Kandla SEZ, Gandhidham under the Chairpersonship of Shri Upendra Vasishth, NDC, Development Commissioner, KASEZ

Following were present:

- (1) Shri Krishan Kumar, JDC, KASEZ
- (2) Shri R. G. Khaikar, FTDO, KASEZ.

(i) **M/s. BASF India Ltd., Ankleshwar**

M/s. BASF India Ltd., Ankleshwar is a working unit for manufacture and export of **Color Former, Developer & their Intermediates**. The unit has requested for broad-banding of following additional products in their LOP: -

Sr.No	Name of the Product	ITC (HS) Code
1	Pergasol Brown T Liq	3204 14 87
2	Pergasol Brown KP Liq	3204 14 87
3	Pergasol Brown BP Liq	3204 14 87
4	Pergasol Brown BZB Liq	3204 14 87
5	Pergasol Brown RT Liq	3204 14 87
6	Pergasol Brown ZB Liq	3204 14 87
7	Pergasol Brown RB	3204 14 87
8	Pergasol Brown RBP Liq.	3204 14 87
9	Pergasol Red 2G-E Crude Solution (Semi Finished Goods)	3204 14 29
10	Pergasol Red 2G-E Powder (Finished Goods)	3204 14 29
11	Lupasol PA 140	2942 00 90

Shri Shailesh Parmar, Asstt. Manager and Shri Gaurang Parekh, Plant Manager of the company appeared before the UAC and explained about their proposal.

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The Chairman pointed out that all their products fall under chapter 32 of ITC(HS) code and only one item i.e. Lupasol PA 140 is different and falls under 29 chapter. He desired to know how the product is similar/in line with their existing product. Shri Gaurang Parekh, Plant Manager explained that the said item is used as imaging product on paper coating.

(i) On verification of ITC(HS) codes, the committee observed that chapter heading 32 is for Dyes, Colours, Paints and Tanning Extracts and chapter heading 29 is for Organic Chemicals and ITC(HS) Code 2942 is for "Other Organic Compounds", under which various medicines falls such as, "Cefadroxil and its salts, Ibuprofane, Nifedipine, Rantidine.....". The item description of ITC(HS) code 29420090 is shown as "other"; therefore, normally " Other categories" should also have medicine. It seems the ITC(HS) code given by the unit may be wrong.

The unit's representative was not able to properly clarify this aspect. With regard to NFE status of the unit, the committee observed that the unit has completed the Second block period of five years and has achieved positive NFE.

The Committee after due deliberation decided to approve the ten products for broad banding from chapter 32 and rejected one product i.e. Lupasol PA 140 which does not appear similar to their existing products. The committee however, observed that if the unit is able to properly clarify the issue, the UAC may re-consider allowing this product also.

The meeting ended with thanks to all present.


(Upendra Vasisht)
Development Commissioner
Kandla Special Economic Zone

Minutes of the 2nd Meeting (2017 Series) of the Units Approval Committee (UAC) for EOUs for monitoring of performance of EOUs held on 07.02.2017 at 15:00 hrs respectively at **Conference Room, Central Excise Office, Bhavnagar** under the chairmanship of Shri Krishan Kumar, Joint Development Commissioner, KASEZ

Following were present:

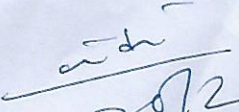
- (1) Shri Rajesh Kumar, Dy. Development Commissioner, KASEZ
- (2) Shri B. B. Rana, Asstt. Commissioner, Bhavnagar (Central Excise, Bhavnagar Commissionerate)
- (3) Shri Prateek Bhatia, Asstt. Commissioner, Bhavnagar (Central Excise, Bhavnagar Commissionerate)
- (4) Shri Mukesh Chadha, Asstt. Commissioner, Technical Division, Bhavnagar (Central Excise, Bhavnagar Commissionerate)
- (5) Shri A. R. Kanani, Superintendent, Bhavnagar (Central Excise, Bhavnagar Commissionerate)
- (6) Shri S. N. Sinha, Superintendent, City Division Bhavnagar (Central Excise, Bhavnagar Commissionerate)
- (7) Shri K. P. Pandya, Superintendent, Technical Division, Bhavnagar (Central Excise, Bhavnagar Commissionerate)

Monitoring of Performance of 100% EOUs

Monitoring of performance of 100% EOUs falling under the jurisdiction of Bhavnagar Commissionerate for the period 2015-16.

2. The Monitoring Committee monitored NFE status of the units for the year 2015-16 and all the units listed were found to be positive.
3. Joint Development Commissioner, Kandla SEZ mentioned that many of EOUs don't have Input-Output norms duly ratified by a Norms Committee (NC) in DGFT which is necessary if their products that are not covered under SION or if wastage is not less than 2% (in terms of value & quantity both). Such units should make serious efforts to get input-output norms fixed/ratified from Norms Committee concerned in DGFT; continuation of ad-hoc permission from DC' Office will not suffice and ultimately norms are to be fixed by NC concerned. He requested representative of Central Excise also to look into this aspect, as central excise has day to day interaction with the units.
4. Joint Development Commissioner, Kandla SEZ has requested the Central Excise Bhavnagar Commissionerate(Shri B. B. Rana, Asstt. Commissioner) to provide the list of operational and non-operational EoUs within jurisdiction of Commissioner, Bhavnagar.

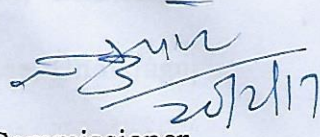
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5. Shri B. B. Rana, Asstt. Commissioner, Bhavnagar Commissionerate informed to the chairman that the unit M/s Marsh metal oxide had not been debonded properly and had become non-operational since 2006-07. It was decided to share information regarding unit as available with two offices.

6. The present status of M/s Chatriya Dehydrate not clear and it was requested to Central Excise Commissionerate, to intimate available details of the unit.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to all.


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