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Subject: Amendment in Chapter 3 of Foreign Trade Policy

S.O.(E) In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Foreign Trade (Development and Regulation) Act, 1992 read with Para 2.1 of the Foreign Trade Policy, 2009-2014, the Central Government hereby makes the following amendments in the Foreign Trade Policy (FTP) 2009-14 with immediate effect:

- 2. The following categories are added after serial no (x) in the list appended in paragraph 3.14.3 of Foreign Trade Policy bearing the Heading "Ineligible Exports Categories / Sectors for FMS":
 - (xi) Export of Cotton.
 - (xii) Export of Cotton Yarn.
 - (xiii) Exports which are subject to Minimum Export Price or Export Duty.
- 3. The following sub-paragraphs are added below paragraph 3.14.5(c) as under:

"(i) Benefit of Incremental Export Incentivisation Scheme for the year 2013-14 will be limited to a scrip of a value not exceeding Rs. 1 Crore per IEC.

(ii) Claims in excess of this value will be subjected to greater scrutiny by Regional Authority.

- 4. The following ineligible categories are added after SI. No. (xvi) in the eligibility criteria specified in Paragraph 3.14.5(d) of FTP:
 - (xvii) Cotton.
 - (xviii) Cotton Yarn.
 - (xix) Exports which are subject to Minimum Export Price or Export Duty.

Effect of this Notification: Category of ineligible exports has been expanded for certain benefits under chapter 3 of FTP as given at para 2 and 4 above. Para 3 restricts the entitlement for claiming IEIS benefit.

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