



PHD House, 4th Floor, Ramakrishna Dalmia Wing
4/2, Siri Institutional Area, August Kranti Marg, New Delhi – 110016,
Tel# 9599665859 E-mail: ceo@mait.com • Website: http://www.mait.com

Ref.No.MAIT/PY/2441

February 23, 2022

Shri Santosh Kumar Sarangi, IAS
Director General
Directorate General of Foreign Trade

Subject: - Request for issuance of clarification on continuation of RoDTEP Benefits for CCTVs under new HSN Code 85258900 after alignment with HS-2022 w.e.f Jan 1, 2022

Respected Sir,

Greetings from MAIT!

This bears reference to the CBIC notification w.r.t the changes in Customs Duty Rate Notification with effect from January 1, 2022, to align it with HS 2022. Sir, while we understand that this alignment has been done in accordance with India being a party to the HS convention, and hence, the necessary changes were brought.

However, as per these changes, there are some products which were earlier falling in the HSN category which was a beneficiary to RoDTEP Scheme but post these changes, they are now falling under the HSN category, which is currently not notified for RoDTEP Scheme.

Case in point is CCTV; earlier HSN code for CCTV was 85258090 which is now replaced with HSN 85258900 as per HS 2022 and the RoDTEP benefit is currently not applicable for the HSN 85258900.

We understand that mere change of HS Code classification shouldn't make a product ineligible for RoDTEP benefits. Hence, **we request for a clarification to be issued on continuation of RoDTEP Benefits for CCTVs under new HSN Code 85258900** after alignment with HS-2022 w.e.f January 01, 2022, so as the industry has no ambiguity and be able to continue claiming the RoDTEP on exports.

Look forward to your early and positive response.

With regards,

George Paul
Chief Executive Officer