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Sub: Extension of Validity of earlier Panel of Chartered Engineers for one year & also inviting Applications for empanelment of new Chartered Engineers for Examination/Valuation of Second hand machinery/goods etc. - Reg.

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Attention of all Chartered Engineers/Importers/Custom Brokers/ Custodians /Shipping Agents /Trade and Public is invited to the Panel of Chartered Engineers drawn vide this Office Public Notice No.29/2020 dated 29.09.2020 and CBIC Circular No. 07/2020 dated 05.02.2020.

2. Vide above stated PN No.29/2020, total no. of 17 Chartered Engineers were empanelled in this Custom House for the valuation of second hand machineries/goods. The validity of the empanelment was fixed for the period of one year initially i.e. from the date of issue of above Public Notice i.e. upto 29.09.2021 and **as per the provisions contained in the said PN, the validity of the panel can be reviewed thereafter.** Accordingly, the validity of the above stated 17 Chartered Engineers' panel has been reviewed based on their performance and appraisal work carried out during the last one year and **after review, it has been decided to extend the validity of above empanelled Chartered Engineers for a further period of one year i.e. upto 29.09.2022.** It is reiterated that all the above stated 17 Chartered Engineers already empanelled need not apply again/afresh to this office in any manner and their services can be engaged by the stakeholders upto 29.09.2022 or until further orders, whichever is earlier.

3. Further, in addition to the above panel, equal opportunities are also provided to the willing Chartered Engineers who would like to be included in the panel as a fresh entrant. Therefore, in terms of CBIC Circular No. 07/2020 dated 05.02.2020, it is now proposed to draw an additional panel of eligible Chartered Engineers for valuation of imported old and used/second hand machinery, equipments, other capital goods, tool etc. and their parts/accessories and other agricultural/misc. goods.

4. Accordingly, applications are invited in the enclosed Proforma from the eligible and willing Chartered Engineers (Individuals or Company) who are duly affiliated to and recognized by the Institution of Engineers, India. The Job requires high degree of Professional expertise, integrity and fairness. In the case of second hand machinery, the Chartered Engineers are required to prepare their report as per the instructions contained in CBIC Circular No. 07/2020-Cus.dated 5.02.2020, after verification of goods. The goods may be referred to them for expert opinion on other matters also. The panel shall be valid for a period of one year and will be reviewed thereafter.

5. Preference will be given to the persons having specialization in the particular branch/field of engineering based on the academic back round and specialization. The applicants must possess qualification of appraisal/inspection of Second hand machinery and certified as such by the Institute of Chartered Engineers.

6. Copies of the Degree Certificate and relevant certificates issued by the Institution of Engineers, Institute of Valuers, Income Tax Department, Valuation of bank property, Registration Certificate of GST and all certificates of experience may be enclosed. Self Appraisal Reports in respect of those empanelled vide the Public Notices referred above are also to be enclosed in case they wish to apply again. The short listed applicants will be called for an interview following which final selection shall be made.

7. The importers/Trade/Custom Brokers may make use of the services of any of the empanelled Chartered Engineer who have requisite specialization in that field/faculty for assisting the Customs department for the valuation of Machinery/goods imported. The service charges shall be borne by the importers. At the same time, the certificate issued by the empanelled engineer will be advisory in nature and shall not be binding on the department.

8. On empanelment of Chartered Engineers, a Public Notice will be issued, giving the names and addresses of Chartered Engineers who can be contacted by the Trade for issue of Chartered Engineer Valuation Certificate as per CBIC Circular No.07/2020 dated 5.02.2020. On selection, such chartered Engineers have to adhere to the conditions stipulated in Circulars/Notification and Customs Act, 1962 and also submit yearly Self Appraisal Report to assess their performance so as to decide as to whether they are fit to continue or not.

9. Submission of any wrong information would result in cancellation of candidature/Membership of the panel and also further action as per law. The submission of application does not bestow any right for selection. All the Trade Associations/Chamber of Commerce/ Members of Customs Brokers Associations are requested to publicise the contents of this Notice amongst their members/constituents.

10. The Public Notice and Proforma can be downloaded from the Website: www.tuticorincustoms.gov.in. The duly filled in applications with all required enclosures should reach **the Commissioner of Customs, Custom House, Tuticorin on or before 29.10.2021**. All claims regarding qualification and experience have to be supported completely by certificates and other testimonials as applicable. Incomplete applications and those not supported by required certificates/testimonials will not be considered.

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CHAKRAVARTHY, commissioner, Commissioner Unit -O/o Commissioner-Customs-TUTICORIN

Encl: As above

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As per Mailing List I, II and III.

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EDI Section, Custom House, Tuticorin for uploading in the website

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