F.No.450/27/2013-Cus-IV Government of India Ministry of Finance Department of Revenue Central Board of Excise and Customs

R.No.227B, North Block, New Delhi the May, 2014

To,

All Chief Commissioners of Customs/Customs (Prev.)

All Chief Commissioners of Customs and Central Excise

All Commissioner of Customs

All Commissioner of Customs and Central Excise

Sir/Madam,

Subject: Implementation of "Electronics and Information Technology Goods (Requirement of Compulsory Registration) Order 2012-reg.

Attention is invited to Electronic and Information Technology Goods (Requirement of Compulsory Registration) Order, 2012.

- 2. Board has sought clarification from Department of Electronics and Information Technology regarding clearance of samples for R& D, testing, HSE etc.
- 3. Department of Electronics and Information Technology has clarified that goods imported for the purpose of demonstration/development/testing are exempt from the application of Compulsory Registration Order. A declaration from importer/local representative may be treated as sufficient evidence to process such clearances. A copy of self-declaration format is enclosed.

4. It is requested that necessary instructions may kindly be issued to the concerned field formations under your jurisdiction in this regard.

Encls: As above

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Yours sincerely,

(R.P. Singh)

Director(Customs)

Copy to: Ajay Kumar, Joint Secretary, Department of Electronics and Information Technology for information.

Self-DeclarationFormat to be submitted by the importer / local representative

To whomsoever it may concern

I do hereby confirm that the consignment landed at (port)carrying AWB No consisting of following products is being
imported for the purpose of R&D / Testing /Demo:
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Further, we hereby authorize that these samples would not be sold in the Indian market and would either be sent back to the country of origin or scrapped.
In terms of para 2(b) of Gazette Notification dated 25.06.2013, the said consignment may please be released. We clearly understand that we are liable to be punished under Indian law, in case of wrong declaration
(Signature of importer)
Name:
Address:
ContactNo.: