F. No. 1-1/(2022)-SP-I Government of India Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution Department of Food & Public Distribution Director of Sugar and Vegetable Oils

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 03 June, 2022

To

- 1. The CEO/MD/GM (All Sugar Mills)
- 2. The Exporters of Sugar (raw, white and refined sugar).

Subject: Clarification No. 2: Regulation regarding export of raw, white and refined sugar under OGL in the current sugar season 2021-22 (Oct-Sept).

Madam/Sir.

Please refer to Directorate General Foreign Trade, Ministry of Commerce Notification No. 10/2015-20 dated 24.05.2022 regarding amendment in the export policy of Government of India in respect of sugar and Directorate of Sugar's letters of even number dated 24.05.2022 vide which Directorate issued guidelines/procedure for applying/obtaining Export Release Order (ERO) from this Directorate and clarification issued vide letter dated 31.05.2022.

2. The matter regarding supply of sugar to SEZ refinery has been examined and it is clarified as under:

"Since, supply of sugar to SEZ refinery is considered as export as per SEZ Act, 2005; therefore, ERO mechanism does not apply to SEZ refinery. However, the sugar manufacturers or exporters supplying sugar to SEZ refinery are required to obtain Export Release Order (ERO) from the Directorate of Sugar and Vegetable Oils for supply of sugar to SEZ refinery."

3. However, the above-mentioned provision is subject to overall cap of 100 LMT of export of sugar and physical control shall be exercised by the respective Customs Authorities on the basis of real time information available at the port.

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4. It is also clarified that no ERO from Directorate of Sugar is required for dispatch of sugar samples of up to 5Kg.

Yours faithfully,

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- 1. Chairman, CBIC, Department of Revenue
- 2. DGFT, Ministry of Commerce
- 3. Principal Secretary (cane/Sugar) of State Governments
- 4. State Cane Commissioners
- 5. Office of Development Commissioner, Customs wings.
- 6. ISMA / NFCSF/ AISTA