

GLOSSARY (ACRONYMS)

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Explanation</u>
AA	Advance Authorisation
ACC	Assistant Commissioner of Customs
ACU	Asian Clearing Union
AEZ	Agri Export Zone
ANF	Aayaat Niryaat Form
ARO	Advance Release Order
ASIDE	Assistance to States for Infrastructure Development of Exports
BG	Bank Guarantee
BIFR	Board of Industrial and Financial Reconstruction
BOA	Board of Approval
BOT	Board of Trade
BRC	Bank Realisation Certificate
BTP	Biotechnology Park
CBEC	Central Board of Excise and Customs
CCP	Customs Clearance Permit
CEA	Central Excise Authority
CEC	Chartered Engineer Certificate
CIF	Cost, Insurance & Freight
CIS	Commonwealth of Independent States
CoD	Cash on Delivery
CoO	Certificate of Origin
CVD	Countervailing Duty
DA	Document against Acceptance
DoBT	Department of Bio Technology
DC	Development Commissioner
DEPB	Duty Entitlement Pass Book
DFIA	Duty Free Import Authorisation
DFRC	Duty Free Replenishment Certificate
DGCI&S	Director General, Commercial Intelligence & Statistics.
DGFT	Director General of Foreign Trade
DIPP	Department of Industrial Policy & Promotion
DoC	Department of Commerce
DoE	Department of Electronics
DoIT	Department of Information Technology
DoR	Department of Revenue
DoT	Department of Tourism
DTA	Domestic Tariff Area
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange

EEFC	Exchange Earners' Foreign Currency
EFC	Exim Facilitation Committee
EFT	Electronic Fund Transfer
EH	Export House
EHTP	Electronic Hardware Technology Park
EIC	Export Inspection Council
EO	Export Obligation
EOP	Export Obligation Period
EOU	Export Oriented Unit
EPC	Export Promotion Council
EPCG	Export Promotion Capital Goods
EPO	Engineering Process Outsourcing
FDI	Foreign Direct Investment
FIEO	Federation of Indian Export Organisation
FIRC	Foreign Exchange Inward Remittance Certificate
FMS	Focus Market Scheme
FOB	Free On Board
FPS	Focus Product Scheme
FT (D&R) Act	Foreign Trade (Development & Regulation) Act, 1992 (22 of 1992)
FTDO	Foreign Trade Development Officer
FTP	Foreign Trade Policy
GATS	General Agreement on Trade in Services
GRC	Grievance Redressal Committee
HACCP	Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Process
HBP v1	Handbook of Procedures (Vol.1)
HBP v2	Handbook of Procedures (Vol.2)
ICD	Inland Container Depot
ICM	Indian Commercial Mission
IEC	Importer Exporter Code
ISO	International Standards Organisation
ITC (HS)	Indian Trade Classification (Harmonised System) Classification for Export & Import Items
ITPO	India Trade Promotion Organisation
LoC	Line of Credit
LoI	Letter of Intent
LoP	Letter of Permit
LUT	Legal Undertaking
MAI	Market Access Initiative
MDA	Market Development Assistance
MEA	Ministry of External Affairs
MoD	Ministry of Defence

MoF	Ministry of Finance
NC	Norms Committee
NFE	Net Foreign Exchange
NOC	No Objection Certificate
PRC	Policy Relaxation Committee
PTH	Premier Trading House
PSU	Public Sector Undertaking
R&D	Research and Development
RA	Regional Authority
RBI	Reserve Bank of India
REP	Replenishment
RCMC	Registration-cum-Membership Certificate
RSCQC	Regional Sub-Committee on Quality Complaints
S/B	Shipping Bill
SEH	Star Export House
SEI CMM	Software Engineers Institute's Capability Maturity Model
SEZ	Special Economic Zone
SFIS	Served from India Scheme
SIA	Secretariat for Industrial Assistance
SION	Standard Input Output Norms
SSI	Small Scale Industry
STE	State Trading Enterprise
STH	Star Trading House
STP	Software Technology Park
TEE	Towns of Export Excellence
TH	Trading House
TRA	Telegraphic Release Advice
TRQ	Tariff Rate Quota
VA	Value Addition
VKGUY	Vishesh Krishi and Gram Udyog Yojana
WHOGMP	World Health Organisation Good Manufacturing Practices