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To,  
All Members, CEPC

**Subject: Exemption from the testing of Textiles and Textile Articles for presence of Azo Dyes**

Dear Sir,

This is to update all that the Director General of Foreign Trade through their notification DGFT Notification No. 14/2023 dated 14th June, 2023 has made amendments in the list of countries exempted from testing for presence of Azo Dyes in Textiles and Textile Articles under Appendix 2X of FTP, 2023.

The updated Appendix-2X is reproduced herewith:-

**Appendix -2X:** Testing of Textiles and Textile Articles for presence of Azo Dyes will not be required for imports originating from the following countries:

- 1) European Union (EU) Countries
- 2) Serbia
- 3) Poland
- 4) Denmark
- 5) Australia
- 6) Canada
- 7) Japan
- 8) South Korea ; and
- 9) United Kingdom

[Copy of the notification is enclosed herewith for your reference.](#)

Members may take note of the above.

Regards

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