



**NOTIFICATION OF PRE-SHIPMENT ACTIVITIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH COUNCIL REGULATION (EC)  
No 3287/94**

GUIDELINES OF IMPORTS FOR THE TRADE		
	<b>INDIA</b> <b>Conformity Assessment</b> <b>(Secondary Steel)</b>	
<p align="center"><i>This data sheet has been prepared specifically in respect of exports to India and supplements our publication "Pre-Shipment Inspection Programme: Guidelines for Exporters"</i></p>		
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1. PRESHIPMENT INSPECTION (PSI) MANDATE	
PSI MANDATED BY	Directorate General of Foreign Trade , Ministry of Commerce
THE COUNTRY IS A MEMBER OF THE WTO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
APPLICABLE REGULATION(S)	PUBLIC NOTICE NO.45 (RE-2000) / 1997 -2002 , Dt.1-12-2000.
APPOINTED PSI COMPANY(IES)	22 agencies as per EXIM policy & Handbook of procedures , Volume 1,appendix 32 A, and amended from time to time.  Viz.Alex Stewart International , Alfred H. Knight, Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), Bureau Veritas (Cedex & Mumbai),Det Norske Veritas , STQC Directorate (Delhi), Gulf Inspection Agencies (Kuwait) , IRQC (Mumbai) , Inspectorate Griffith , JQAO (Japan) , American Q.A. (India) , MECON (India ) , NKK (Japan), NQA (Delhi) , Rwtuv (Germany) , SNKK (Tokyo) , SGS Sa (Geneva) , SGS India (Delhi) , Superintendence CD (India) ,TUV India (Mumbai) , Moody Internatinal (Dehi - India)
SELECTION OF PSI COMPANIES	Exporter / Importer choice
SCOPE OF PSI	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Quality and Quantity <input type="checkbox"/> Customs classification (HS 2002 version) <input type="checkbox"/> Other: Import of seconds / defectives of steel items Description of material , material quality , chemical analysis , visual inspection , thickness and width of material and the ITC (HS) code number.
MINIMUM ORDER VALUE SUBJECT TO PSI	N/A
PART SHIPMENT	Subject to CA
EXEMPTIONS FROM PSI	N/A.

## 2. INTERVENTION ORDER "I.O." (The instruction for SGS to intervene)

I.O NAME	N/A
ISSUED BY	Importer's/ Exporter's request
VALIDITY	N/A
AMOUNT BY WHICH I.O. VALUE MAY BE EXCEEDED	N/A
CHANGES FROM SEA TO AIR	N/A - Importation shall be allowed only through customs sea port at <b>MUMBAI , CHENNAI AND CALCUTTA.</b>
DESTINATION INSPECTION	N/A

## 3. INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS / RESTRICTION

SEALING OF FCL CONTAINERS REQUIRED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
SECOND HAND GOODS LICENCE/APPROVAL REQUIRED	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO
PROHIBITED IMPORTS	NA
RESTRICTED IMPORTS	NA
LABELLING REQUIREMENTS	NA
OTHER SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS	Identifiable marks of consignment with CA certificate.

## 4. PRICE COMPARISON / SELLER'S INVOICE REQUIREMENTS

BUYING / CONFIRMING COMMISSION	N/A
INSURANCE	N/A
FINANCIAL INTEREST	N/A
FINAL INVOICE TO SHOW	N/A

## 5. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED TO ISSUE REPORT	Preshipment verification related documents (Contract, L/C, Mill test certificate, packing list and Final invoice)
TYPE OF REPORT ISSUED	Preshipment Certificate - Report of Findings.
REPORT PURPOSE	Import customs clearance.

## 6. INSPECTION FEES

Inspection fees are to be agreed upon between exporter and the CA company on a commercial basis.

## 7. LISTING OF GOODS EXEMPTED FROM PSI

**ONLY** goods listed in the attached document are subject to pre-shipment inspection

PRODUCT CODE ACCORDING TO GOODS NOMENCLATURE FOR FOREIGN ECONOMIC ACTIVITY	GOODS DESCRIPTION
<b>72</b>	<b>Secondary Steel</b>
72.08	H.R. Coils
72.08	H.R. Sheets
72.09	C.R. Coils/ Sheets
72.10	Tin Plate, Waste Waste / Tinplate, Misprints
72.25 / 72.26	Electrical Sheets (CRNO)
72.08 / 72.11	Plates
72.27.90	Alloy Steel Bars & Rod (Hot Rolled in Coils)

## 8. PROHIBITED IMPORTS

- N.A.

## 9. RESTRICTED IMPORTS

- N.A.

## 10. OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

The scheme covers import of seconds / defectives of steel items as mentioned at serial nos. 1 to 7 of Import Licensing Notes 3, appearing in Chapter 72 of the I T C ( H S) Classification of Export and Import items 1997 - 2002, and shall be allowed only through customs sea port at **MUMBAI, CHENNAI AND CALCUTTA.**

## 11. INSPECTION ZONES AND RESPONSIBLE COMPANIES

- N.A.



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