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Sub: Registration Regulations prescribed by People's Republic of China-reg

1. The Embassy of India, Beijing has informed that the General Administration of Customs, (GACC), People's Republic of China, subsequent to the implementation of the "Regulations on the Registration and Administration of Overseas Manufacturers of Imported Food", has stipulated for registration of overseas production enterprises of 14 categories of food products (including casings, bee products, egg and egg products, edible fats and oils, stuffed pasta, edible grains, grain milling industrial products and malt, fresh and dehydrated vegetables, and dried beans, seasonings, nuts and seeds, dried fruits, unroasted coffee beans and cocoa beans, food for special dietary purpose, and functional food). Spices, as mentioned in the table 1 (below) are included in the list of imported foods from India that require registration.

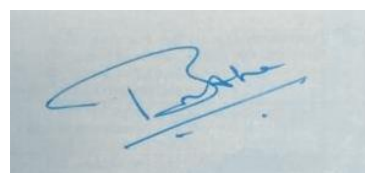
Table 1-Spices and spice products that require registration	
1	Star anise
2	Thyme leaf (powder)
3	Cardamom
4	Pepper
5	Curcuma longa rhizome (Turmeric)
6	Curry powder
7	Cuminum seed (Cumin)
8	Chilli powder
9	Dried Pepper (Chilli)
10	Celery seed
11	Ginger
12	Dill powder

13	Fennel
14	Caraway seed
15	Coriander seed

2. Accordingly, Spices Board, the competent authority for export promotion of Spices and Spice Products from India has been asked to recommend registration of the firms which have exported to People's Republic of China, the products mentioned in Table 1 from 1st January, 2017 to till date. The Board's recommendation shall reach GACC on or before 31st October 2021. Hence, the exporters of the above-mentioned products, who wish to register with GACC shall provide the required details to Spices Board in the format given vide the link below, **latest by 29th October 2021.**

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdjK7tnXy_8K5yhCYcpr7v0lin64Ua9vjvYU9gPA3OJaWsx4g/viewform?usp=sf_link

3. The GACC has informed that, exporters of the products mentioned in Table 1 who have not registered within 31st October 2021, shall apply for registration in accordance with the Article 8 and the exporters of foods not included in the 14 categories mentioned in para 1 above, shall apply for registration in accordance with Article 9 of Registration regulations of the GACC, through the Registration and Management System of Overseas Manufacturers of Imported Food, China International Trade Single Window (www.singlewindow.cn), after 1st November 2021.
4. All exporters of spices and spice products are advised to comply with the requirements and timelines given above, so as to ensure smooth conduct of exports to People's Republic of China



Director (MKTG)

To

All Exporters of Spices and Spice Products

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