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THE PLASTICS EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL
(Sponsored By The Ministry Of Commerce & Industry, Deptt. Of Commerce, Government Of India)

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To,

All Members of Plexconcil/ COA Members

Dear Sir/Madam,

Subject: Invitation of inputs for 3rd Joint Committee Meeting under India-UAE CEPA

The FT (WANA) Division of the Ministry of Commerce & Industry has informed that the 3rd Joint Committee meeting under India-UAE Comprehensive Economic Partnership Agreement (CEPA) will be held on 25-26 November 2025 in New Delhi.

In this regard, the Division has sought inputs from members on the issues faced by them in utilising the India-UAE CEPA, which came into force in May 2022.

Action for Members:

- 1) Members may share their issues and suggestions related to:

Issues	Your HS Code/s	Details of the Issue	Your Suggestion (if any)
Tariff Barriers			
Non-Tariff Barriers			
Stringent Rules of Origin norms			
Stringent Quality Certification norms			
Cumbersome Customs procedure or documentation requirements			
No uniform interpretation of HS Codes or Product Description by Indian and UAE customs authorities			
Any other Issues			

- 2) Members may share views on the UAE's request for market access for plastic downstream in India.
- 3) Members may share views on whether there is a need to simplify the current Product Specific Rules of Origin of **"CTSH + 40% Value Addition"** for Chapter 39 products and make it less stringent.

Members who are currently exporting to the UAE or intend to explore the UAE market are requested to share their issues, challenges, and suggestions by 15.11.2025 (5:00 pm). Inputs may be sent to the bharti@plexconcil.org; research@plexconcil.org

We encourage all members to actively participate in this consultation process to ensure that the concerns of the plastic industries are adequately represented in the proposed Joint Committee Meeting.

Best regards

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