

DGFT NOTIFICATION

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NOTIFICATION NO.80(RE-2008)/2004-2009

Dated 16th January, 2009

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 read with Section 3(2) of the Foreign Trade (Development & Regulation) Act, 1992 (No.22 of 1992) and also read with Para 1.3 and Para 2.1 of the Foreign Trade Policy, 2004-2009, the Central Government hereby makes following amendments to Notification No.93(RE-2007)/2004-2009 dated 1st April, 2008 as amended from time to time by substituting Para 2.1.7 added vide Notification No.48 (RE-2008)/2004-09 dated 13th October, 2008, read with Notification No.53 (RE-2008)/2004-09 dated 4th November, 2008, as under:-

2. Existing Para 2.1.7 shall stand substituted as follows:

“2.1.7 Ban on export of non-basmati rice shall not be applicable to export of rice to the following countries:-

| <u>Name of the country</u> | <u>Quantity</u> |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| (i) Nigeria | 15,000 MTs |
| (ii) Senegal | 15,000 MTs |
| (iii) Ghana | 15,000 MTs |
| (iv) Cameron | 10,000 MTs |

The above export shall be subject to the following conditions:-

- i) The above quantity shall be exported through State Trading Corporation (STC) of India till 30th April, 2009;
- ii) STC shall procure rice from such rice mills who have surplus rice/paddy in their stock;
- iii) The rice to be exported shall be with a minimum of 25% of broken;
- iv) STC shall ensure that their entry into market for this export does not affect the overall price situation of rice; and
- v) STC shall source the rice to be exported from more than one State and in four different tranches.”

3. All other provisions of the Notification No.93 (RE-2007)/2004-09 dated 1st April, 2008 shall remain unchanged, and shall continue to apply.

4. This issues in public interest.

Sd/-

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