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Ministry of Commerce & Industries  
Directorate General of Anti-Dumping and Allied Duties  
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Dated 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2000

**TRADE NOTICE NO. 2/2000**

1. Attention of the Trade and Industry is invited to Section 9 of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975 as amended in 1995 and the Customs Tariff (Identification, Assessment and Collection of Anti-Dumping Duty on Dumped Articles and for Determination of Injury) Rules, 1995 – Rule 7 therein deals with CONFIDENTIAL information.
2. All interested parties must duly state details of information that is to be treated as confidential with adequate justification for such designation. They must simultaneously provide a NON – CONFIDENTIAL version of the CONFIDENTIAL information, which must be sufficiently clear, in detail representing the confidential information submitted.
3. Interested parties must comply with the following requirements while submitting information that has to be treated as confidential:
  - i. Description of confidential information provided (title, number of pages);
  - ii. Request in writing for information to be treated as confidential with an explanation as to the justification for such permission;
  - iii. A non – confidential version thereof (title, number of pages);
  - iv. If non – confidential information is not susceptible of summary, the party may submit to the Designated Authority a statement of reasons why summarisation is not possible;
4. After the above requirements are met, the Designated Authority may accept or reject the request on examination of the nature of the information submitted by the interested party.
5. i) The Designated Authority on being satisfied and accepting the need for confidentiality of the information given, shall not disclose it to any party without specific authorisation of the party providing such information.  
  
ii) If the Designated Authority is satisfied that the request for confidentiality is not warranted or the supplier of the information is either unwilling to make the information public or to authorise its disclosure in a generalised or summary form, it may disregard such information.

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To: ALL CONCERNED