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PUBLIC NOTICE

MANDATORY REPORTING OF DISTRICT OF ORIGIN IN EXPORT DOCUMENTATION

In compliance with directives issued by the Government of India, all exporters from Goa are hereby required to accurately report the "District of Origin" for all exported goods in their export documentation. This requirement applies uniformly to both manufacturers and non-manufacturers and must be clearly distinguished from the District of Procurement.

Key Requirements for Exporters:

- Include the "District of Origin" in all export documentation for goods manufactured or produced within Goa.
- 2. **Ensure accurate reporting** to differentiate between the district where goods are produced and where they are procured.
- 3. **Implement this requirement immediately** as per national guidelines to avoid any disruptions in export processes.

Why This is Important for Exporters?

A. Enhanced Recognition & Trade Promotion

- Accurate export data will enable the government to identify high-exporting districts and develop targeted export incentives.
- (ii) District-wise branding and promotional initiatives will strengthen the **global visibility** of exporters.

B. Improved Infrastructure & Policy Support

- (i) Precise export data will guide investments in logistics, warehousing, and connectivity, benefiting exporters directly.
- (ii) It will help government to support exporters through district-specific trade facilitation measures.

C. Access to Trade Benefits & Incentives

- Eligibility for various state and national export schemes will be improved with accurate district-level data.
- (ii) A well-defined District of Origin will help businesses qualify for sector-specific benefits and duty exemptions.

Implementation & Compliance

- A. Exporters must ensure **immediate compliance** with this directive. Any deviation may lead to difficulties in availing export benefits or processing trade documents.
- B. Goa's District Export Promotion Committees (DEPC) will aid in understanding and implementing this requirement.
- C. For further clarifications, exporters can reach out to office of The Directorate of Industries, Trade & Commerce (DITC), Udyog Bhawan, Panaji, Goa 403001.

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