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Department of Commerce  
Directorate General of Foreign Trade

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**Trade Notice No. 11/2024-25**

To,

1. Member of Trade & Industry
2. All Export Promotion Council & Commodity Boards
3. Concerned Line Ministries

**Subject: Harmonisation of Chapters 40 to 98 of Schedule-II (Export Policy) to ITC(HS) codes -reg.**

DGFT is in the process of harmonising the extant Schedule-II (Export Policy) to the 8-digit ITC(HS) codes, in lieu of the description-based Export Policy, as ITC(HS) Code mapped Export Policy has become a pre-requisite to streamline the process of Export Control and Facilitation, and also provide greater clarity and easy reference to Export Policy for all stakeholders.

2. Earlier, this Directorate vide Notification No. 60/2023 dated 13.02.2024 had notified the ITC(HS)-based Schedule-II (Export Policy) for Chapters 01 to 39. In continuation to the said Notification, the draft Schedule-II (Export Policy) of ITC(HS) 2022 aligning the 8-digit ITC(HS) codes for the remaining Chapters 40 to 98 has also been attempted and is enclosed herewith for perusal please (**Annexure**).

3. It may be noted that this is a concordance of the existing description-based Export Policy to ITC(HS) Codes and there are no substantive Export Policy amendments being proposed herewith. **Any comments in this regard may be provided latest by 11.08.2024 vide email to export-dgft@nic.in** Subsequent to the said period and subject to comments (if any), Chapters 40 to 98 of Schedule-II (Export Policy) shall accordingly be re-notified.

4. This is issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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**SCHEDULE-II(EXPORT POLICY) of ITC(HS) 2022  
CHAPTERS 40 to 98**

**CHAPTER 40  
RUBBER And ARTICLES THEREOF**

S. No.	Policy Conditions					
1	Condoms except categories/ brands mentioned at (a) and (b) below (which are not allowed for export) are Free wherein Export is permitted subject to submission to Customs, a self-declaration and a certificate issued by statutory Auditors that no concession/subsidy has been claimed for intended exports nor any subsidized material has been used for manufacture of items under export.					
Chapter Number	ITC(HS) Code	Description	Export Policy	Policy Condition	Notification No	Notification Date
40	40	<b>Rubber And Articles Thereof.</b>				
40	4001	Natural rubber, balata, gutta-percha, guayule, chicle and similar natural gums, in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip.				
40	400110	Natural rubber latex, whether or not pre-vulcanised				
40	40011010	Prevulcanised	Free			
40	40011020	Other than prevulcanised	Free			
40	40012100	Natural rubber in other forms : -- Smoked sheets	Free			
40	40012200	Natural rubber in other forms : -- Technically specified natural rubber (TSNR)	Free			
40	400129	Natural rubber in other forms : -- Other				
40	40012910	Hevea	Free			
40	40012920	Pale Crepe	Free			
40	40012930	Estate Brown Crepe	Free			
40	40012940	Oil extended natural rubber	Free			
40	40012990	Other	Free			
40	40013000	Balata, gutta-percha, guayule, chicle and similar natural gums	Free			
40	4002	Synthetic rubber and factice derived from oils, in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip; mixtures of any product of heading 40.01 with any product of this heading, in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip.				
40	40021100	Styrene-butadiene rubber (SBR); carboxylated styrene-butadiene rubber (XSBR) : -- Latex	Free			
40	400219	Styrene-butadiene rubber (SBR); carboxylated styrene-butadiene rubber (XSBR) : -- Other				
40	40021910	Oil extended styrene butadiene rubber	Free			
40	40021920	Styrene butadiene rubber with styrene content exceeding 50percent	Free			
40	40021930	Styrene butadiene styrene oil bound copolymer	Free			
40	40021990	Other	Free			
40	40022000	Butadiene rubber (BR)	Free			
40	40023100	Isobutene-isoprene (butyl) rubber (IIR); halo-isobutene-isoprene rubber (CIIR or BIIR) : -- Isobutene-isoprene (butyl) rubber (IIR)	Free			
40	40023900	Isobutene-isoprene (butyl) rubber (IIR); halo-isobutene-isoprene rubber (CIIR or BIIR) : -- Other	Free			
40	40024100	Chloroprene (chlorobutadiene) rubber (CR) : -- Latex	Free			
40	40024900	Chloroprene (chlorobutadiene) rubber (CR) : -- Other	Free			
40	40025100	Acrylonitrile-butadiene rubber (NBR) : -- Latex	Free			
40	40025900	Acrylonitrile-butadiene rubber (NBR) : -- Other	Free			
40	40026000	Isoprene rubber (IR)	Free			
40	40027000	Ethylene-propylene-non-conjugated diene rubber (EPDM)	Free			
40	400280	Mixtures of any product of heading 40.01 with any product of this heading				
40	40028010	Latex	Free			
40	40028020	Chemically modified form of natural rubber including graft rubber	Free			
40	40028090	Other	Free			
40	40029100	Other : -- Latex	Free			
40	400299	Other : -- Other				
40	40029910	Factice (rubber substitute derived from oil)	Free			
40	40029920	Tread rubber compound, cushion compound, cushion gum and tread gum for resoling or repairing or retreading rubber tyres	Free			
40	40029990	Other	Free			
40	40030000	Reclaimed rubber in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip.	Free			
40	40040000	Waste, parings and scrap of rubber (other than hard rubber) and powders and granules obtained therefrom.	Free			
40	4005	Compounded rubber, unvulcanised, in primary forms or in plates, sheets or strip.				

40	40051000	Compounded with carbon black or silica	Free			
40	400520	Solutions; dispersions other than those of subheading 4005.10				
40	40052010	Can sealing compound	Free			
40	40052090	Other	Free			
40	400591	Other : -- Plates, sheets and strip				
40	40059110	Hospital Sheeting	Free			
40	40059190	Other	Free			
40	400599	Other : -- Other				
40	40059910	Granules of unvulcanised natural or synthetic rubber, compounded, ready for vulcanisation	Free			
40	40059990	Other	Free			
40	4006	Other forms (for example, rods, tubes and profile shapes) and articles (for example, discs and rings), of unvulcanised rubber.				
40	40061000	Camel-back" strips for retreading rubber tyres	Free			
40	400690	Other				
40	40069010	Thread, not covered	Free			
40	40069090	Other	Free			
40	4007	Vulcanised rubber thread and cord.				
40	400700	Vulcanised rubber thread and cord:				
40	40070010	Thread, not covered	Free			
40	40070020	Cord, not covered	Free			
40	40070090	Other	Free			
40	4008	Plates, sheets, strip, rods and profile shapes, of vulcanised rubber other than hard rubber.				
40	400811	Of cellular rubber : -- Plates, sheets and strip				
40	40081110	Of micro-cellular rubber	Free			
40	40081190	Other	Free			
40	400819	Of cellular rubber : -- Other				
40	40081910	Block of micro-cellular rubber but not of latex foam sponge, used in the manufacture of soles, heels or soles and heels combined, for footwear	Free			
40	40081990	Other	Free			
40	400821	Of non-cellular rubber : -- Plates, sheets and strip				
40	40082110	Used in the manufacture of soles, heels, or soles and heels combined, for footwear	Free			
40	40082120	For resoling or repairing or retreading rubber tyres	Free			
40	40082190	Other	Free			
40	400829	Of non-cellular rubber : -- Other				
40	40082910	Rubber sheets and Resin rubber sheets for soles and heels	Free			
40	40082920	Blocks used in the manufacture of soles , heels or soles and heels combined, for footwear	Free			
40	40082930	Latex foam sponge	Free			
40	40082940	Tread rubber and tread packing strip for resoling are repairing or retreading rubber tyres	Free			
40	40082990	Other	Free			
40	4009	Tubes, pipes and hoses, of vulcanised rubber other than hard rubber, with or without their fittings (for example, joints, elbows, flanges).				
40	40091100	Not reinforced or otherwise combined with other materials : -- Without fittings	Free			
40	40091200	Not reinforced or otherwise combined with other materials : -- With fittings	Free			
40	40092100	Reinforced or otherwise combined only with metal : -- Without fittings	Free			
40	40092200	Reinforced or otherwise combined only with metal : -- With fittings	Free			
40	40093100	Reinforced or otherwise combined only with textile materials : -- Without fittings	Free			
40	40093200	Reinforced or otherwise combined only with textile materials : -- With fittings	Free			
40	40094100	Reinforced or otherwise combined with other materials : -- Without fittings	Free			
40	40094200	Reinforced or otherwise combined with other materials : -- With fittings	Free			
40	4010	Conveyor or transmission belts or belting, of vulcanised rubber.				
40	401011	Conveyor belts or belting : -- Reinforced only with metal				
40	40101110	Where the rubber compound content is less than 25percent by weight	Free			
40	40101190	Other	Free			