

RoDTEP scheme expanded to include chemicals, pharmaceuticals and articles of iron and steel sectors

The Remission of Duties and Taxes on Exported Products (RoDTEP) scheme, which was implemented from 1 January 2021, is based on the global principle that taxes and duties levied on exported products shall be either exempted or remitted to exporters. The rebate under the said scheme is provided by way of transferable electronic scrip.

With a vision to enhance the export competitiveness, the central government has sought to expand the scope of the RoDTEP scheme by including exports made from uncovered sectors, such as chemicals, pharmaceuticals and articles of iron and steel, under Chapters 28, 29, 30 and 73 of the ITC(HS) schedule of items.

The expanded list shall be applicable for exports made from **15 December 2022**. The expanded list of eligible export items under Appendix 4R will increase from the current 8,731 export items (8 digit tariff lines) to 10,342 export items (8 digit tariff lines).

