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**No. DSIR/RDI & SIRO/Renewal/2020**

**Dated: 02.04.2020**

**ORDER**

Please refer to the order and further the guidelines issued by Ministry of Home Affairs vide No. 40-3/2020-DM-I(A), dated 24th March 2020 and further to the guidelines issued, pursuant to a decision to impose a complete lock down in view of the threat imposed by the spread of COVID-19.

2 In view of the above, current COVID-19 pandemic and countrywide lockdown, it has been decided to extend the **validity of recognition** of existing In-house R&D unit(s) of Industries and Scientific and Industrial Research Organisations(SIROs) recognised by Department of Scientific & Industrial Research (DSIR) valid up to 31.03.2020 further for a period of 90 days i.e. **upto 30.06.2020**.

3 It has also been decided to extend the **validity of registration** of existing In-house R&D unit(s) of Industries and Scientific and Industrial Research Organisations(SIROs) registered with Department of Scientific & Industrial Research (DSIR) valid upto 31.03.2020 further for a period of 90 days i.e. **upto 30.06.2020** for the purpose of availing customs duty exemption in terms of Government Notification No. 51/96-Customs dated 23.07.1996; No. 24/2007-Customs dated 01.03.2007; No. 43/2017-Customs dated 30.06.2017; No. 45/2017-Central Tax (Rate) & 47/2017- Integrated Tax (Rate) dated 14.11.2017; No. 9/2018 – Central Tax (Rate), No. 09/2018 Union Territory Tax (Rate) & No.10/2018-Integrated Tax (Rate) dated 25.01.2018; and State Tax (Rate) as applicable and all notifications as amended from time to time.

4. Terms and conditions pertaining to DSIR recognition and registration remains same as earlier.

5. Renewal of recognition and registration of R&D units of Industries and SIROs beyond 30.06.2020 would be accorded as per the existing guidelines and procedures laid down by the Department.

6. This Order is issued with the approval of competent authority.

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