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PRESS RELEASE

It is to inform that the exporters/ trade associations have represented for seeking resolution of problems which have hindered sanction of refund of IGST paid to them. In order to solve this issue, the (Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs) CBIC is observing **IGST REFUND FORTNIGHT from 31st May to 14th June, 2018** for disposing off the pendency of IGST refund claims.

There had been some technical flaws for filing of the IGST refund by the Exporters like exporters have inadvertently misdeclared IGST paid on export supplies as IGST paid on interstate domestic outward supplies while filing **GSTR-3B** etc. During the Special Drive exporters would be guided for resolving various inadvertent mistakes through e-mails/ telephones and meeting at the Port/ ICP and accordingly Senior Officers have been appointed as Nodal Officer for the said purpose.

2. Customs (Preventive) Commissionerate, Amritsar in this major drive to facilitate the exporters and to clear the pendency of the IGST refund, has nominated **Dr. Arvind Kumar, Joint Commissioner of Customs, Amritsar** as the **Nodal Officer** at Hqrs. level to monitor the progress of the disbursement of the IGST refund, Similarly, The Deputy/Assistant Commissioners of the ICP, Attari, Rail Cargo and Shri Guru Ram Dass Ji International Airport, Amritsar are the jurisdictional Nodal Officers for disbursement and monitoring of the refund cases.

3. For clearance of the pending IGST refund, the detailed **Circular No. 12/2018 dated 29.05.2018 issued by the CBIC vide F.No.450/119/2017-CusIV** where in the detailed procedure has been laid down has been uploaded on the Customs, Amritsar website **www.amritsarcustoms.gov.in**. The same may also be seen/downloaded from the CBIC's website and the link is as follow:

<http://www.cbic.gov.in/Customs-Circulars-Instructions>

4. Difficulties, if any, may kindly be brought to the notice of the nominated nodal officers and the concerned designated ACs/DCs.

It is urged by the Department/ Government through the powerful medium of Print Media to make exporter and general public aware.

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Commissioner