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Sub:- Customs – Electronic seals – Observations and concerns regarding electronic seals used on Export containers - Reg

Attention of Trade/Industry/Stake holders is invited, to the fact that, information has been received that some European manufacturers of Electronic seal are supplying the seals which can be passed by the Customs at Port gate even when it is not in locked condition and the particular seal can be scanned at a distance of few meters without being in locked condition.

2. On the basis of the above, the JNCH, Nhava Sheva has undertaken the testing/examination of e-seal of following two vendors who are procuring the RFID e-seals from M/s. Leghorn Group, Italy.

- i. M/s IB Track Solutions Pvt Ltd., Bangaluru,
- ii. M/s. Great Eastern ID Tech Pvt . Ltd., Gurgaon, Haryana.

3. The examination revealed that in case of M/s. IB Track Solutions Pvt Ltd., Bangaluru, RFID reader can read the e-seal data (export data tagged with e-seal) without locking the male and female parts of the e-seal. Similarly, in case of M/s. Great Eastern ID Tech Pvt . Ltd., Gurgaon, Haryana, it was informed by their Business Development Manager that their company's e-seal can also be read without locking the male and female parts of the e-seal.

4. On critical examination of the issue it is found that the RFID e-seals provided/supplied by M/s. Leghorn Group, Italy have been found to have not complied

with the security requirements. This being a serious security issue, it has been decided that the use of the RFID e-seals procured from the M/s. Leghorn Group, Italy is not permitted until further orders. Further, in addition to the above mentioned two vendors, M/s. Leghorn Group, Italy is also supplying RFID e-seals to M/s. Perfect RFID Technologies Ltd.

5. In view of the above, all Trade/Industry/Stake holders are informed that use of e-seals procured by the 3 vendors **(i) M/s IB Track Solutions Pvt Ltd., Bangaluru, (ii) M/s. Great Eastern ID Tech Pvt. Ltd., Gurgaon, Haryana (iii) M/s. Perfect RFID Technologies Ltd.,** from M/s Leghorn Group, Italy **will not** be permitted. Any container sealed with their seals can be opened and examined by the officers of the department.

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