

F. No. S-20011/33/2025-TECH
Ministry of Steel
Government of India
Technical Division

Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi
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ORDER

Subject: Revocation of requirement of clarification/No Objection Certificate from Ministry of Steel for import of grades of steel not covered by Quality Control Order of Ministry of Steel – reg

As per Circular dated 20th October, 2023 of Ministry of Steel, import of grades of steel under any HSN Code, for which Quality Control Order has been issued by Ministry of Steel, were requiring clarification or No Objection Certificate from Ministry of Steel. The matter has been reviewed by Ministry of Steel as per recommendation made by High-Level Committee on Non-Financial Regulatory Reforms (HLC-NFRR), and it has been decided that grades of steel not covered by Quality Control Order of Ministry of Steel will not require any clarification or No Objection Certificate from Ministry of Steel.

2. To facilitate implementation of this decision, grades of steel not covered by Quality Control Order of Ministry of Steel under all HSN Codes related to Ministry of Steel have been mapped on the Steel Import Monitoring System (SIMS) Portal. Any importer can generate a SIMS number for such grades of steel, which are not covered by Quality Control Order issued by Ministry of Steel, through the SIMS Portal and will not require any clarification or No Objection Certificate from Ministry of Steel.

3. Custom Authorities are being advised accordingly.



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