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New Delhi, dt. 30.10.2013

Sub: Exemption from weighment of HR coil and other steel products
Ref: Rates Circular No.32 of 2012

Please refer to CR's letter No.C.698/M/1021 dt.12.09.2013 seeking clarification whether exemption from weighment stipulated vide Rates Circular No.32 of 2012 is applicable only in the case of imported traffic, or it is applicable in the case of domestic cargo also.

In terms of Rates Circular No.32 of 2013, HR coil and other steel consignments which been pre-weighed on certified mill-scales prior to getting loaded in railway wagons and bear marking of Central Excise and/or Customs Departments need not be subjected to mandatory 100% weighment at EIMWBs. However, 5% of wagons loaded with such consignment may be weighed by way of sample checks.

Thus, Board’s guidelines are very clear which categorically stipulates that the afore-said exemption is applicable to such consignment which bears marking of Central Excise and/or Customs Departments.

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