## **EXPORT PROMOTION COUNCIL FOR EOUS AND SEZS**



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Circular No. 473
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Dear Members.

We are happy to inform that the DGFT has launched the revamped Non-Preferential Certificate of Origin (eCoO) 2.0 system vide Trade Notice No. 13/2024-25 dated 16.08.2024 (copy attached). The new eCoO system will be hosted on the following web-domain:

https://www.trade.gov.in.

The revamped eCoO 2.0 systems shall provide additional features to all the exports such as below: -

- 1. Facility for exporter to add Multiple Users/applicants under a single IEC.
- 2. Aadhaar based E-sign facility in addition to Digital Signature token.
- 3. Common dashboard for eCoO, with seamless access to other services such as information on Free Trade Agreements (FTAs), Trade events etc.

All new Non-Preferential CoO application on or after <u>05.09.2024</u> are to be submitted on the revamped eCoO 2.0 system on <u>https://trade.gov.in</u>. The old system will be discontinued for issue of Non-Preferential CoO.

The exporters login credentials as created on the old DGFT portal <a href="https://coo.dgft.gov.in">https://coo.dgft.gov.in</a> shall also work on the revamped eCoO 2.0 system. There is no need for the exporter to create new account on the new system.

As you are aware that Export Promotion Council for EOUs & SEZs (EPCES) has been authorized to issue Non-Preferential Certificate of Origin (NP-COO) throughout India as per DGFT Public Notice No 30/2015-20 dated 18.10.2021 read with Public Notice 29/2015-20 dated 18.10.2021. It will be issued at the prescribed fee of Rs 236/- per COO (including GST) through the new revamped Non-Preferential Certificate of Origin (eCoO) 2.0 system as per the following link:

## https://trade.gov.in

We would request to have a Non-Preferential COO from EPCES. Many of our SEZ and EOU members/exporters are already registered on this online facility and are getting CoOs issued through EPCES on the same day.

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During the application process, Members are requested to select Export Promotion Council for EOUs & SEZs against the field "Issuing Agency" and Export Promotion Council for EOUs & SEZs- New Delhi against the field "Regional Offices"

The revamped eCoO User Guide and Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) will be available on <a href="https://www.trade.gov.in">https://www.trade.gov.in</a>

Members may also reach out to the following officials as given below for any queries/clarification/support.

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With regarde

Yours

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