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Shri Alkesh Kumar Sharma, IAS Secretary Ministry of Electronics & IT

Reference: - Request for 6 months abeyance for implementation of DGFT Notification No. 23/2023 dated August 3, 2023

Respected Sir,

Greetings from MAIT, the apex industry association for ICT Hardware!

This bears reference to DGFT's Notification No.23/2023 regarding amendment in Import Policy of Items under HSN Code 8471 of Chapter 84 wherein imports of Laptops, Tablets, AIOs, USSF & Servers are brought under the "Restricted" category which was earlier free with immediate effect.

In order to avoid the immediate disruption of business, **MAIT seeks a 6-month abeyance for implementation of the above-referenced notification**.

We request your positive response.

Warm regards,

Col Suhail Zaidi (Retd) Director General

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