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Smt. Asha Nangia Sr. Director Ministry of Electronics & IT

## Subject: Addition of Product Name Under IS 10322 (Part 5/Sec 6): 2013

Respected Madam,

## **Greetings from MAIT!**

This is in reference to a concern raised by our member BenQ India with respect to addition of product name Under IS 10322 (Part 5/Sec 6): 2013. BenQ India (P) Ltd is a national subsidiary of BenQ Corporation headquartered in Taiwan. BenQ India is planning to launch USB driven product LED light lamp for Monitor PC which draws power from the USB port of PC and it is not connected with main supply.

We thank your kind office for taking up this subject/enquiry during the 62nd TAC meeting, where it was deliberated and agreed upon that "Based on the technical specifications of the product, TAC opined that the product is covered under the scope of CRO under the handlamps category." So was communicated to our member through a communication dated August 31, 2020. Following the same, the member had done the testing of the product and same has been completed.

However, we would like to bring to your attention that the member has been trying to apply as the product name "screen bar" but it is not available in the drop-down list for product name under LED handlamp category. BIS has communicated that although TAC has decided that the product will be covered under LED Handlamps, no decision is available for any separate sub-category/product name.

The challenge is that the product description is screen bar but as per direction from MeitY the same has been tested under LED handlamp category. However, the product is not meant for portable use as it is supposed to be fixed on the monitor. During the customs clearance, the scrutinizing officer may not accept the product as LED handlamp which may lead to an unnecessary delay during the clearance of the shipment.

The product is due for launch into the Indian market this month and we request your kind office to please have the new product name "Screenbar" added under the product category "LED Handlamps" so that the registration can be made in the proper sub-category/product name.

We will be highly obliged for your support on the matter.

With regards,

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