

Instruction No. 29/2025-Customs

F. No.401/04/2025-Cus.III
Government of India
Ministry of Finance,
Department of Revenue
(Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs)

Room No. 229A, North Block, New Delhi

Date: 12.09.2025

To

All Principal Chief Commissioners/ Chief Commissioners of
Customs/ Customs (Preventive)/Customs & Central Taxes.

All Principal Commissioners/Commissioners of Customs /Customs
(Preventive).

All Pr. Director General/Director Generals under CBIC.

Subject: Exemption From Quality Control Order (QCO) On Import of Aerospace Grade Hydrogen Peroxide for Non-Commercial R&D Application - Reg.

Madam/Sir,

Reference is invited to the O.M. dated 04.09.2025, issued from file No. C-I-43/3/2024-PCPIR-CPC, by the Deputy Secretary (Chemicals), Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, on the above subject (Copy enclosed).

2. It has been informed by the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers that the Indian Standard does not include any categorization or specification for Aerospace Grade Hydrogen Peroxide for space R&D. Accordingly, it has been decided to grant exemption on the import of Aerospace Grade hydrogen for non- commercial R&D applications from Hydrogen Peroxide (Quality Control) Order, 2022.

3. In view of the above, it is requested that necessary action may be taken to sensitize officers under your jurisdiction regarding the said matter.

4. The difficulties, if any, may be brought to the notice of the Board.
Hindi version follows.

Yours faithfully,

Encls: as above

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Copy to: - (for information and necessary action)

1. The Webmaster, CBIC.

C-I-43/3/2024-PCPIR-CPC
Government of India
Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers
Department of Chemicals and Petrochemicals

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: 04 Sep 2025

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Exemption From Quality Control Order (QCO) On Import of Aerospace Grade Hydrogen Peroxide for Non-Commercial R&D Application - Reg.

The undersigned is directed to say that this Department has received a representation from Satcom Industry Association (SIA) requesting for Exemption on Import of Aerospace-Grade Hydrogen Peroxide for Space R&D from the applicability of BIS standard IS 2080:2021, made mandatory through QCO Notification no S.O. 4000(E) dated 24.08.2022. Accordingly, the matter was examined in consultation with Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS).

2. BIS has mentioned that **the Indian standard does not include any categorization or specification for Aerospace Grade Hydrogen Peroxide for space R&D**. Accordingly, it has been decided to grant exemption on the import of Aerospace Grade hydrogen for non-commercial R&D applications from Hydrogen Peroxide (Quality Control) Order, 2022.

3. It is requested that necessary instructions may accordingly be issued to Customs field formations.

4. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

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