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custody. The goods covered under above-mentioned Shipping Bill were seized under seizure memo dated 20.10.2023 **(RUD-III)** under Section 110 of Customs Act, 1962 on the reasonable belief that detained goods were liable for confiscation under provisions of Section 113(ia) of the Customs Act, 1962.

4. The dispute in question is the correct classification of the goods. The exporter has classified the goods under RITC 30049099. However, the correct classification of the subject goods appears to be 30019091. A comparison of both the RITCs w.r.t. the heading description and the export incentives eligible is given below:

Table-II

Sr.No	RITC	RITC Description	Drawback Rate Eligible	RoDTEP Rate eligible
1	30049099	3004 - Medicaments (excluding goods of heading 30.02, 30.05 or 30.06) consisting of mixed or unmixed products for therapeutic or prophylactic uses, put up in measured doses (including those in the form of transdermal administration systems) or in forms or packagings for retail sale 3004 90 -- Other 30049099 --- Other	1.20%	0.80%
2	30019091	3001 - Glands and other organs for organo therapeutic uses, dried whether or not powdered; extracts of glands or other organs or of their secretions for organo therapeutic uses; Heparin and its salts; other human or animal substances prepared for therapeutic or prophylactic uses, not elsewhere specified or included 300190 -- Other 30019091 --- Heparin & its salts	Nil	0.50%
Excessive Benefits Claimed			1.20%	0.30%

Further, reference is invited to Volume 2 of Explanatory Notes issued by World Customs Organization. The relevant part is reproduced below:

“3001 - Glands and other organs for organo therapeutic uses, dried whether or not powdered; extracts of glands or other organs or of their secretions for organo therapeutic uses; Heparin and its salts; other human or animal substances prepared for therapeutic or prophylactic uses, not elsewhere specified or included.

*3001.20 - Extracts of glands or other organs or of their secretions
3001.90 - Other*

This heading covers:

(C) Heparin and its salts. Heparin consists of mixture of complex organic acids (muco-polysaccharides) obtained from mammalian tissues.

Its composition varies according to the origin of the tissues. Heparin and its salts are used chiefly in medicine, especially as blood anti-coagulants. **They remain classified here whatever the degree of activity.** “

In view of the above, it is clearly evident that the Heparin Injection is classifiable under CTH 30019091 and that the exporter has mis-classified the goods under CTH 30049099 to avail excess export incentives. The details of re-classification are tabulated below: -

Table-III

SB No. & Date	Description	Declared RITC	Corrected RITC	FOB (in rupees)	DBK (in rupees)	Corrected DBK	Excess DBK	RoDTEP (in rupees)	Corrected RoDTEP	Excess RoDTEP
4409436 dated 05.10.2023	Heparin Injection BP 25000 IU / 5ML, 5ML VIAL	30049099	30019091	20,16,350/-	26,213/-	00/-	26,213/-	16,131/-	10081.86	6049.14/-

5. Further, the past exports of the exporter were scrutinized. It was found that the exporter had exported similar consignments in the past as well and claimed excess benefits that were available by mis-classifying the goods, the details of which are as below:

Table-IV

Sr. No	Shipping Bill	Goods Description	RITC	FOB	Claimed Drawback @ 1.3%	Claimed RoDTEP @ 0.8%
1	3899494/01.09.2022	Heparin Injection	30049099	12143080	157860	-
2	3859814/30.08.2022	Heparin Injection	30049099	7402570.5	96233	-
3	2838611/31.07.2023	Heparin Injection	30049099	12862080	167207	102897
4	2837048/31.07.2023	Heparin Injection	30049099	13004992	169065	104040
5	3268447/18.08.2023	Heparin Injection	30049099	17763009	230919	142104
6	3251633/17.08.2023	Heparin Injection	30049099	17698180.5	230076	141585

6. Further, the exporter, vide their letter dated 25.10.2023, requested to release of the goods for export. The request of the exporter was accepted by the adjudicating authority as per the provisions of Board Circular no.01/2011 dated 04.01.2011 and 30/2013 dated 05.08.2013 and the goods were released provisionally for export under section 110A of the Customs Act, 1962 on execution of Bond equivalent to 100% FOB value of the subject goods and on submission of Bank Guarantee amounting to Rs. 6,00,000/- on 23.01.2024 **(RUD-IV)**.

7. During the course of investigation, Statement of Mr. N Prabhakar Rao, General Manager – SSP & C of **M/s Gland Pharma (IEC- 0990002110)** was recorded under section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 on 23.01.2024 **(RUD-V)** wherein he inter-alia stated that he is working in the capacity of General Manager, Strategic Sourcing, Planning and Commercial with the firm since 1997 and that he is authorized to sign all documents on behalf of the company by Board Resolution dated 13.10.2017, that Shipping Bill No 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 has been filed by them and it includes Heparin Injection BP 25000 IU/5ML, that they were aware that

Heparin and its salts were classified under 30019091, however, that classification is for Heparin and its salts in pure form i.e. as Bulk Drug, that they have classified the goods under 30049099 since they treat the goods as medicaments which consist of Benzyl Alcohol with water for injection, that they have not mis-classified the goods, that the heading 3004 does not exclude i.e. medicaments of drug Heparin Sodium, that Heparin Sodium cannot be utilized as such and needs to be mixed with other excipients such as Benzyl Alcohol and that for this very reason they had classified the goods under 30049099, that they are genuine exporters and promised cooperation in the ongoing investigation.

During the course of investigation, Statement of Mr. Manoj Narayan Khedekar, authorized representative of M/s Far N Par (I) Pvt Ltd (CHA-11/1197) was recorded under section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 on 15.03.2024 **(RUD-VI)** wherein he inter-alia stated that he had been working for more than 37 years in the field and was associated with this Customs Broker for more than 10 years, that Shipping Bill No 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 was filed by them on behalf of the exporter, that the goods being exported under this Shipping Bill were Heparin Injection BP 25000IU/5ML, that they were aware that "Heparin and its salts" were classifiable under CTH 30019091 but that classification was for Heparin and its salts in pure form i.e. Bulk Drug, that the matter was raised to the exporter regarding classification under CTH 3001 instead of 3004, however, they insisted to file the Shipping Bill under drawback, that the discussion has happened with the exporter multiple times, since the shipment has also been exported in the past with drawback, that they are submitting communication dated 05.10.2023 that they had with the exporter where they revised the checklist and told us to file the Shipping Bill, that they agreed that since there is a separate heading under 3001, it was not classifiable under CTH 3004, that they have filed two Shipping Bills i.e. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 and 3859814 dated 30.08.2022 on behalf of the exporter only, that they are a genuine Customs Broker with AEO certification having presence all over India, that they work diligently in case of all export shipments filed by them and that they would cooperate in the ongoing investigation.

During the course of investigation, Statement of Mr. Dattatray N Bangar, authorized representative of **M/s Shri Ramchandra Shipping Agencies Pvt Ltd (CHA-11/2296)** was recorded under section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 on 30.05.2024 **(RUD-VII)** wherein he inter-alia stated that he had been working for more than 6 years in the field and was associated with this Customs Broker since the start of the firm, that Shipping Bill No 3899494 dated 01.09.2022, 2837048 dated 31.07.2023, 2838611 dated 31.07.2023 and 3268447 dated 18.08.2023 was filed by them on behalf of the exporter, that the goods being exported under this Shipping Bill were Heparin Injection BP 25000IU/5ML, that they were aware that "Heparin and its salts" were classifiable under CTH 30019091 but that classification was for Heparin and its salts in pure form i.e. Bulk Drug, that the Shipping Bill has been filed solely on the basis of documents provided by the exporter, that the exporter informed that they were exporting Heparin in injection form and that they were also of the view that medicaments are to be classified under CTH 3004, that they filed the Shipping Bill on the basis of information provided by the exporter, that they agreed that since there is a separate heading under 3001, it was not eligible for export benefits, that they are a genuine Customs Broker, that they work

diligently in case of all export shipments filed by them, that there was no mala fide intention and that they would cooperate in the ongoing investigation.

8. From the above, it is clearly evident that the exporter has misclassified the goods to avail undue export benefits. The details of which are tabulated as below:

Table - V

Sr No	Shipping Bill	Goods Description	Declared RITC	Corrected RITC	FOB	Claimed Drawback @1.3%	Claimed RoDTEP @0.8%	Actual RoDTEP @0.5%
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Total						1051360.87	490626	306641.31
Excess Drawback Availed						1051360.87	Excess RoDTEP Availed	183984.69

Accordingly, it appears the exporter has availed excess duty Drawback worth 1051360.87/- and excess RoDTEP worth 183984.69/- than what was available to the exporter by misclassification of the goods under CTH 30049099 instead of CTH 30019091.

Further, on perusal of the past export data in respect of the subject exporter in ICES1.5 system, the following shipping bills have been found wherein foreign remittance has not been received as per FEMA regulation. The details of the shipping bills are as under:-

Table-VI

SBN No.	SB Date	Expected Realization Date	Drawback (INR)	FOB (INR)	FOB to be Realized (in INR)	FOB Actually realized (In INR)
5578035	23-05-2013	31-05-2014	14919	745967.34	745953.75	0
5997677	18-06-2013	30-06-2014	14461	723062.03	723089.95	0
6310790	05-07-2013	31-07-2014	16335	816756.5	816756.5	0
6820685	06-08-2013	31-08-2014	83256	4162812.5	4162812.5	0
7494137	16-09-2013	30-09-2014	41939	2466974.25	2466974.25	0
7561925	20-09-2013	30-09-2014	15100	754976.63	755008	0
7631418	24-09-2013	31-10-2014	23228	1366381.25	1366381.25	0
7904380	10-10-2013	31-10-2014	22017	1295135.10	1295135.1	0
7971548	15-10-2013	31-10-2014	14268	839295.8	839295.8	0
8395852	12-11-2013	30-11-2014	38393	2258421.75	2258452.8	0
8538735	20-11-2013	30-11-2014	13024	766122.84	766106.1	0
8669759	28-11-2013	31-12-2014	8250	485317	485317	0
8670050	28-11-2013	31-12-2014	6228	366324	366324	0
8803269	05-12-2013	31-12-2014	10085	593251.75	593282.9	0
9081659	20-12-2013	31-12-2014	7406	435652.2	435652.2	0

9112740	23-12-2013	31-12-2014	9246	543868.88	543853.4	0
9570137	20-01-2014	31-01-2015	15554	914940	914940	0
3645423	02-07-2014	31-07-2015	19566	1150952	1150952	0
3888099	16-07-2014	31-07-2015	25594	1505542.95	1505572.5	0
3960268	19-07-2014	31-07-2015	8754	514912.5	514912.5	0
3960306	19-07-2014	31-07-2015	19600	1152956.25	1152986.1	0
4189525	01-08-2014	31-08-2015	16807	988632	988632	0
4231185	04-08-2014	31-08-2015	17050	1002960	1002960	0
4232524	04-08-2014	31-08-2015	27910	1641750	1641750	0
4232527	04-08-2014	31-08-2015	4186	246262.5	246262.5	0
4344802	11-08-2014	31-08-2015	8276	486800	486800	0
2408563	24-01-2018	30-11-2018	9345	623017.85	623049.4	4,77,667
9784328	21-01-2020	31-10-2020	9128	608565	608565	2,57,416
1263810	21-04-2021	31-01-2022	0	2960481.92	2960504.25	0
2955375	07-07-2021	30-04-2022	0	782632.96	782662.4	0
2955390	07-07-2021	30-04-2022	0	1862234.56	1862227.2	0
2955968	07-07-2021	30-04-2022	0	1862234.56	1862227.2	0
3397551	09-08-2022	31-05-2023	0	12429065.47	12429045.1	0
5995248	13-12-2023	30-09-2024	0	4812665	4812665	0
5995686	13-12-2023	30-09-2024	0	26033793.5	26033793.5	0
8383554	16-03-2024	31-12-2024	13638	1136520	1136520	0
Total			5,33,563	8,13,37,238.84	8,13,37,422.1	7,35,083

In view of above, in the event of non –receipt of foreign remittance in the above shipping bills, the claimed export incentive i.e. Drawback, RoDTEP&RoSCTL are liable to be demanded back from the exporter in terms of Rule 18 of the Customs and Central Excise Duties Drawback Rules, 2017 and section 28AA read with section 28A of the Customs Act, 1962 in terms of Notification No. 76/2021-Cus(N.T) dated 23.09.2021, 77/2021-Cus (N.T) dated 24.09.2021 & 25/2023-Cus (N.T) dated 01.04.2023 and section 28AA read with section 28A of the Customs Act, 1962.

9. RELEVANT PROVISIONS OF LAW APPLICABLE IN THIS CASE:-

A. The Customs Act, 1962

i. **Section 2(30) of the Customs Act, 1962:**

Market price in relation to any goods means the wholesale price of the goods in the ordinary course of trade in India.

ii. **Section 11 (1) of the Foreign Trade (Development and Regulation) Act, 1992:** No export or import shall be made by any person except in accordance with the provisions of this Act, the rules and orders made there under and the export and import policy (now termed as Foreign Trade Policy) for the time being in force.

iii. **Section 50 (2) of the Customs Act, 1962:** The exporter of any goods, while presenting a Shipping bill or bill of export, shall at the foot thereof make and subscribe to a declaration as to the truth of its contents.

iv. **Section 50 (3) of the Customs Act, 1962:** The exporter who presents a shipping bill or bill of export under this section shall ensure the following, namely: -

(a) The accuracy and completeness of the information given therein;

(b) The authenticity and validity of any documents supporting it; and

(c) compliance with the restriction or prohibition, if any, relating to the goods under this Act or under any other law for the time being in force.

v. Section 113(i) of the Customs Act, 1962: Any goods entered for exportation which do not correspond in respect of value or in any material particular with the entry made under this Act or in the case of baggage with the declaration made under section 77.

vi. Section 113 (ia) of the Customs Act, 1962: Any goods entered for exportation under claim for drawback which do not correspond in any material particular with any information furnished by the exporter or manufacturer under this Act in relation to the fixation of the rate of drawback under Section 75.

vi. Section 113 (ja) of the Customs Act, 1962: Any goods entered for exportation under claim of remission or refund of any duty or tax or levy to make a wrongful claim in contravention of the provisions of this Act or any other law for the time being in force;

vii. Section 114 (iii) of the Customs Act, 1962: In the case of any other goods, to a penalty not exceeding the value of the goods, as declared by the exporter or the value as determined under this Act, whichever is the greater.

viii. Section 114AA of the Customs Act, 1962: Penalty for use of false and incorrect material – If a person knowingly or intentionally makes, signs or uses, or causes to be made, signed or used, any declaration, statement or documents which is false or incorrect in any material particular, in the transaction of any business for the purpose of this Act, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five times of the value of goods.

ix. [114AB. Penalty for obtaining instrument by fraud, etc.]—Where any person has obtained any instrument by fraud, collusion, willful misstatement or suppression of facts and such instrument has been utilized by such person or any other person for discharging duty, the person to whom the instrument was issued shall be liable for penalty not exceeding the face value of such instrument.

Explanation:—For the purposes of this section, the expression “instrument” shall have the same meaning as assigned to it in the Explanation 1 to section 28AAA.]

x. Section 28AAA. Recovery of duties in certain cases – (1) Where an instrument issued to a person has been obtained by him by means of—

- o collusion; or
- o willful mis-statement; or
- o Suppression of facts,

For the purposes of this Act or the Foreign Trade (Development and Regulation) Act, 1992 (22 of 1992), or any other law, or any scheme of the Central Government, for the time being in force, by such person] or his agent or employee and such instrument is utilized under the provisions of this Act or the rules or regulations made or notifications issued there under, by a person other than the person to whom the instrument was issued, the duty relating to such utilization of instrument shall be deemed never to have been exempted or debited and such duty shall be recovered from the person to whom the said instrument was issued:

Provided that the action relating to recovery of duty under this section.

against the person to whom the instrument was issued shall be without prejudice to an action against the importer under section 28.

(xii) **Section 28AA of the Customs Act, 1962 Interest on delayed payment of duty-**

1. Notwithstanding anything contained in any judgment, decree, order or direction of any court, Appellate Tribunal or any authority or in any other provision of this Act or the rules made there under, the person, who is liable to pay duty in accordance with the provision of section 28, shall, in addition to such duty, be liable to pay interest, if any, at the rate fixed under sub-section (2), whether such payment is made voluntarily or after determination of the duty under that section.
2. Interest at such rate not below ten percent and not exceeding thirty-six percent per annum, as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, fix, shall be paid by the person liable to pay duty in terms of section 28 and such interest shall be calculated from the first day of the month succeeding the month in which the duty ought to have been paid or from the date of such erroneous refund, as the case may be, up to the date of payment of such duty.
3. Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1), no interest shall be payable where,
 - a. The duty becomes payable consequent to the issue of an order, instruction or direction by the Board under section 151A; and
 - b. such amount of duty is voluntarily paid in full, within forty-five days from the date of issue of such order, instruction or direction, without reserving any right to appeal against the said payment at any subsequent stage of such payment.

(xiii) **Section 75A (2) of Customs Act, 1962:** Where any drawback has been paid to the claimant erroneously or it becomes otherwise recoverable under this Act or the rules made thereunder, the claimant shall, within a period of two months from the date of demand, pay in addition to the said amount of drawback, interest at the rate fixed under section 28AA and the amount of interest shall be calculated for the period beginning from the date of payment of such drawback to the claimant till the date of recovery of such drawback.

B. Customs and Central Excise Duties Drawback Rules, 2017.

Rule 17: Repayment of erroneous or excess payment of drawback and interest- Where an amount of drawback and interest, if any, has been paid erroneously or the amount so paid is in excess of what the claimant is entitled to, the claimant shall, on demand by a proper officer of Customs repay the amount so paid erroneously or in excess, as the case may be, and where the claimant fails to repay the amount it shall be recovered in the manner laid down in sub-section (1) of section 142 of the Customs Act, 1962.

Rule 18 (1): Where an amount of drawback has been paid to an exporter or a person utilized by him (hereinafter referred to as the claimant) but the sale proceeds in respect of such export goods have not been utilized by or on behalf of the exporter in India within the period allowed under the Foreign Exchange Management Act, 1999 (42 of 1999), including any

extension of such period, such drawback shall, except under circumstances or conditions specified in sub-rule (5), be recovered

(xiv) **Rule 11 of the Foreign Trade (Regulations), 1993:** Stipulates that on exportation of any customs port of any goods, whether liable to duty or not, the owner of such goods shall in the S/bill or any other documents prescribed under the Customs Act, 1962, state the value, quantity and description of such goods to the best of his knowledge and belief and certify that the quality and specifications of the goods as stated in those documents, are in accordance with the terms of the export contract entered into with the buyer or consignee in pursuance of which the goods are being exported and shall subscribe a truthful declaration of such statement at the foot of such Shipping bill or any other documents.

10. Whereas, from the investigation, the following facts emerge that:

- a. M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) having its Registered Address at Survey No. 143-148, 150 & 151 Near Gandimaisamma 'X' Roads, D.P. Pally, Dundigal, Medchal-Malkajgiri District, Hyderabad- 500043, Telangana has filed Shipping bill for export of following items for total declared FOB value of Rs. 20,16,350/- under Export Promotion Scheme Code 19 (Drawback & RoDTEP) for claim of total drawback benefit of Rs. 26,213/- and RoDTEP benefit of Rs. 16,131/-.
- b. The Exporter has violated the provisions of Rule 11 of the Foreign Trade (Regulations), 1993 inasmuch, as they did not make a correct declaration of description, and classification of goods in the Shipping Bill filed by them to the Customs authorities.
- c. As the Exporter had not made declaration truthfully in the said Shipping Bill, they have violated the conditions of Section 50(2) of the Customs Act, 1962. Hence, it appears that there was a deliberate mis-classification, mis-statement and suppression of facts regarding the actual description of the impugned goods, on the part of the Exporter with mala-fide intention to claim undue export benefits not legitimately payable to them. Thus, it appeared that the said goods were attempted to be exported in violation of Section 50 of the Customs Act, 1962 read with section 11(1) of Foreign Trade (Development & Regulation) Act 1992 & Rules 11 of Foreign Trade Rules 1993, as exporter had furnished wrong declaration to the Custom Authorities.
- d. It is thus clear that the exporters had mis-declared the impugned goods in terms of their nature, quantity, description and classification and attempted to defraud the government by claiming undue higher amount of Drawback and thereby acted in manner which rendered the said goods liable for confiscation in terms of the provisions of sections 113(i), 113(ia) & 113(ja) of the Customs Act, 1962.
- e. As the goods were attempted to be exported by mis-declaration for which confiscation is proposed. And, the drawback & Rodtep claim in the current shipping Bill as mentioned in Table-I is demanded as the goods were exported and cleared for export on

furnishing of Bond for 100% value of the goods with Bank Guarantee of Rs. 6,00,000/- on 23.01.2024.

- f. It further appears that the exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) have rendered themselves liable to penalty in terms of section 114(iii) of the Customs Act, 1962 on account of mis-declaration of description & classification of the impugned goods. The exporter has knowingly & intentionally caused to sign & used the documents to provide the undue advantage to the exporter with mala-fide intent to avail undue/excess export benefits in form of Drawback, Rodtep and other export benefits. Therefore, M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) also liable for penalty u/s 114AA of Customs Act, 1962 for this intentional mis-declaration.
- g. As discussed above, the Exporter has claimed Drawback & RoDTEP/RoDTEP by fraud, collusion, willful misstatement or suppression of facts. Hence, it appears that the exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) have rendered themselves liable to penalty in terms of section 114AB of the Customs Act, 1962 on account of obtaining instrument by fraud in current shipment and past shipping bills.

11. Now, therefore M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) having its Registered Address at Survey No. 143-148, 150 & 151 Near Gandimaisamma 'X' Roads, D.P. Pally, Dundigal, Medchal-Malkajgiri District, Hyderabad- 500043, Telangana is hereby called upon to show cause to the Additional/Joint Commissioner of Customs, NS-II, JNCH, Nhava Sheva within 30 days of the receipt of this notice **as to why:**

- i. The goods covered under the Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 filed by M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) should not be re-classified as detailed in Table-III above. Consequently, on account of such misclassification the goods valued of Rs. 20,16,350/- should not be confiscated under the provisions of Sections 113(i), 113(ia) & 113(ja) of the Customs Act, 1962.
- ii. The claimed Drawback of Rs. 26,213/- and RoDTEP amount of Rs. 16,131/- covered under the Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 should not be rejected on account of releasing the goods for export and re-determined as Drawback amount to Rs 00/- and RoDTEP amount Rs 10,081.86/-
- iii. The drawback amount of Rs. 10,51,360.87/- claimed in 06 Shipping Bill mentioned at Table-V above should not be recovered on account of non-eligibility of claiming drawback along with applicable interest under Section 75 and 75A of the Customs Act 1962 read with Rule 17 & 18 of the drawback Rules, 2017 read with section 28AA of the Customs Act, 1962.
- iv. The excess RoDTEP amount of Rs. 1,83,984.69/- claimed in 04 Shipping Bill mentioned at Table-V above should not be recovered on account of excess claim of RoDTEP in terms of Notification No. 76/2021-Cus(N.T) dated 23.09.2021, 77/2021-Cus (N.T) dated 24.09.2021 & 25/2023-Cus (N.T) dated 01.04.2023 along with applicable interest under section 28AA read with section 28AA of the Customs Act, 1962 on account of mis-classification of goods.

- v. Penalty should not be imposed upon the exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) under Sections 114(iii) and 114AA of the Customs Act, 1962 on account of omission on the part of the Exporter which have rendered the export goods covered under shipping bills mentioned in **Table-I** liable for confiscation under Sections 113(i), 113(ia) & 113(ja) of the Customs Act, 1962.
- vi. Penalty should not be imposed upon the exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) under Sections 114(iii) and 114AA of the Customs Act, 1962 on account of omission on the part of the Exporter which have rendered the export goods mentioned in **Table-V** liable for confiscation under Sections 113(i), 113(ia) & 113(ja) of the Customs Act, 1962.
- vii. Penalty should not be imposed upon the exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) under Section 114AB of the Customs Act, 1962 on account for obtaining instrument by fraud etc in past shipping bill.
- viii. The past exported goods with declared FOB value of Rs. 8,13,37,238.84/- covered under the shipping bill as mentioned in **Table-VI** on account of non- receipt of foreign remittance should not be confiscated under the provisions of Section 113(ia) & 113(ja) of the Customs Act, 1962
- ix. The drawback amount of Rs. 5,33,563/- claimed in the Shipping Bill mentioned at **Table-VI** above should not be recovered on account of non- receipt of remittance and should not be demanded from the exporter along with applicable interest under Section 75 and 75A of the Customs Act 1962 read with Rule 17 & 18 of the drawback Rules, 2017 read with section 28AA of the Customs Act, 1962 on account of non- receipt of foreign remittance.
- x. The bond should not be enforced and Bank Guarantee of Rs. 6,00,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) at the time of provisional release of the goods for export, should not be appropriated against export incentives, applicable interest, redemption fine and penalty etc. arising out of this order.

12. The aforesaid noticee is to submit their written reply within 30 days before the adjudicating authority. In their reply, they should clearly state whether they wish to be heard in person or not. In case no such request is made or they do not appear before the adjudicating authority on the date and time fixed, the case will be decided ex-parte on the basis of available records without any further reference to them.

13. This show cause notice is issued only in respect of issues discussed in the show cause notice and the goods mentioned against the shipping bill discussed here in above.

14. The Department reserves its right to add, amend, modify, etc. this notice based on any fresh facts or evidence which may come to the notice of the Department after issue of this notice but prior to adjudication thereof.

15. This show cause notice is issued without prejudice to any other action that may be taken in respect of the impugned goods and/or the persons/company mentioned in the notice, under the provisions of the Customs Act, 1962 and/or any other law for the time being in force.

17. List of the documents relied upon in this notice (RUDs) are as per Annexure-A attached with this notice. It may be noted that all the relied upon documents and annexure enclosed with this show cause notice are an integral part of this show cause notice.


 रघुकिरणबी / (BATCHALI RAGHU KIRAN)
 अपरआयुक्त / Additional Commissioner,
 CEAC, NS-II, JNCH

To,

1. M/s. GlandPharmaLtd(IEC:0990002110)
 SurveyNo.143-148,150&151NearGandimaisamma'X' Roads,
 D.P.Pally,Dundigal,Medchal-MalkajgiriDistrict,
 Hyderabad-500043,Telangana.

Copyto:

1. TheAdditionalCommissionerofCustoms,CEAC,NS-II,JNCH, Mumbai.
- 2.TheAsstt.CommissionerofCustoms,SIIB(X),JNCH
- 3.Suptd/CHS, JNCH for display on Notice Board.
- 4.OfficeCopy

Annexure-A

Sr. No.	ListofReliedUponDocuments(RUDs)
RUD-I	CopyofShippingbillNo.4409436dated05.10.2023
RUD-II	Panchanamadated13.10.2023
RUD-III	SeizureMemodated20.10.2023
RUD-IV	NOCforexportdated23.01.2024
RUD-V	CopyofStatementofMr.NPrabhakarRao,GeneralManager-SSP&COF M/sGlandPharma(IEC-0990002110)
RUD-VI	CopyofStatementofMr.ManojNarayanKhedekar,authorized representative of M/s Far N Par (I) Pvt Ltd (CHA - 11/1197)
RUD-VII	CopyofStatementofMr.DattatrayNBangar,authorizedrepresentativeof M/s Shri Ramchandra Shipping Agencies Pvt Ltd (CHA - 11/2296)



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A STATUS	1.MODE	2.ASSESS	3.EXMN	4.JOBGING	5.MEIS	6.DBK	7.RODTP	8.LICENCE	9.DFRC	10.RE-EXP	11.LUT	
	SEA	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N		Y	
B DECLARANT DETAILS	12.PORT OF LOADING					13.COUNTRY OF FINAL DESTINATION						
	INNSA1 (Jawaharlal Nehru (Nh)					YEMEN, DEMOCRATIC						
	14.STATE OF ORIGIN					15.PORT OF FINAL DESTINATION						
	Telangana					YEADE (Aden)						
	16.PORT OF DISCHARGE					17.COUNTRY OF DISCHARGE						
	YEADE (Aden)					YEMEN, DEMOCRATIC						
	1.EXPORTER'S NAME & ADDRESS					7.CONSIGNEE NAME & ADDRESS						
	GLAND PHARMA LTD					WHO Sub-Office, Yemen						
	Sy No. 143 to 148, 150, 151, Dommara					Yemen-Aden-Khormksar-Embassies Neig						
	Qutbullapur Mandal, Medchal-Malkajg					hbourhood Aden, Yemen						
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	02400ME					9.FOREX BANK A/C NO.						
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	FAR N PAR (I) PVT LTD					30XXXXXXXXXX303						
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	0		0						16131		3. INV AMT.	
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E MANIFEST DETAILS											4.CURRENC	
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G EQUIPMENT DETAILS												
H CHALLAN DETAILS												
I ANNEX DETAILS												
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Glossary

A: ASSESS - Assessed, EXMN - Examined, MEIS - Merchantise Export Incentive Scheme, DBK - Drawback, ROSL - Rebate of State Levies, DEEC - Duty Exemption Entitlement Certificate, DFRC - Duty Free Replenishment Certificate, LUT - Letter of Under Taking. B: CB - Customs Broker AD Authozed Dealer, AEO - Authorized Economic Operator, UCR - Unique Customs Reference C: DISCOU - Discount, COM - Commission, P/C Packing Charges. D: EX. PR. - Export Promotions E: MAWB / HAWB - Master / House Airway Bill Number J: BRC - Bank Realisation Certificate

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PART - II - INVOICE DETAILS

A. REF	1.S.No	2.INVOICE No. & Dt.	3.P.O.No. & Dt.	4.LoC No. & Dt	5.Contract No.&Dt	6.AD code	7.INVTERM			
	1	M12417000487 07/08/2023				02400ME	FOB			
B. TRANSACTION PARTIES	1.EXPORTER'S NAME & ADDRESS			2.BUYER'S NAME & ADDRESS						
	GLAND PHARMA LTD Sy No.143 to 148, 150, 151, Dommara Qutbullapur Mandal, Medchal-Malkaj 500043			Tridem Pharma Zac De La Masquere, 500 Rue De Iher s Escalquens, 31750 Garonne (Haute) France						
	3.THIRD PARTY NAME & ADDRESS			4.BUYER AEO STATUS						
C.VAL DTLS	1.INVOICE VALUE		2.FOB VALUE	3.FREIGHT	4.INSURANCE	5.DISCOUNT	6.COMMISON	7.DEDUCT	8.P/C	9.EXCHANGE RATE
	24500 USD		24500 USD	0 USD	0 USD	0	0	0		1 USD INR 82.3
	1.ItemSNo	2.HS CD	3.DESCRPTION			4.QUANTITY	5.UQC	6.RATE	7.VALUE(F/C)	
	1	30049099	HEPARIN INJECTION BP 25000 IU/5ML,5ML VI AL			9800	NOS	2.5	24500	

GlossaryA: Ref - Reference P.O. - Purchase Order, LoC - Letter of Credit, AD - Authorised Dealer C: VAL DTLS - Valuation Details
FOB - Freight On Board, DEDUCT - Deduction, P/C - Packing Charge D: HS CD - Harmonized System Code, UQC - Unit Quantity CodeScan QR Code using iCETRAK Mobile App for authentication.
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PART - III - ITEM DETAILS

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1	1	30049099	HEPARIN INJECTION BP 25000 IU/5ML, 5ML VIAL	9800	NOS	2.5	24500	2016350	226.33
11.DUTYAMT	12.CESS RT	13.CESAMT	14.DBKCLMD	15.IGSTSTAT	16. IGST VALUE		17. IGST AMOUNT		18.SCHCOD
			Y	LUT					19
19. SCHEME DESCRIPTION			20. SQC MSR	21. SQC UQC	22. STATE OF ORIGIN			23. DISTRICT OF ORIGIN	
Drawback			151.564	KGS	Telangana			MEDCHAL MALKAJGIRI	
24. PT Abroad	25.COMP CESS	26.END USE	27.FTA BENEFIT AVAILED	28. REWARD BENEFIT	29. THIRD PARTY ITEM				
GSTP	0 INR	DCX200	Y	Yes	N				

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GLOSSARY

FOB - Freight On Board, HS CD Harmonized System Code, UQC - Unit Quantity Code, PMV - Present Market Value, CESAM - Cess Amount
IGSTSTA - IGST Payment Status, VAL - IGST Value, PAID - IGST Amount Paid, SCHCOD - Scheme Code, SQC MSR - Standard Quantity
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PART - IV - EXPORT SCHEME DETAILS

A. DRAWBACK & ROSL CLAIM

1.INV SNO	2.ITEM SNO	3.DBK SNO.	4.QTY/WT	5.VALUE	6.RATE	7.DBK AMT	8.STALEV	9.CENLEV	10.ROSC TL AMT
1	1	3004B	9800	2016350	1.3	26212.55	0	0	0

B. AA / DFIA LICENCE DETAILS

1.INV SNO	2.ITEM SNO	3.LICENCE NO	4.DESCN OF EXPORT ITEM	5.EXP SNO	6.EXPQTY	7.UQC	8.FOB VALUE
		9.SION	10.DESCN OF IMPORT ITEM	11IMP SNO	12IMPQT	13.UQC	14.INDIG / IMP

C. JOBBING DETAILS

1.BE NO	2.BE DATE	3.PORT CODE	4.DESCN OF IMPORTED GOODS	5.QTY IMP	6.QTY USED
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D. SINGLE WINDOW DECLARATION

1.INVSN	2.ITMSN	3.INFO	4.QUALIFIER	5.INFO CD	6.INFO TEXT	7.INFO MSR	8.UQC
1	1	CHR	SQC			151.564	KGS
1	1	DTY	GCESS			0	INR
1	1	DTY	RDT	RODTEPY	Claimed	151.564	KGS
1	1	ORC	DOO	700			
1	1	ORC	EPT	GSTP			
1	1	ORC	STO	36			

E. SINGLE WINDOW DECLARATION - CONSTITUENTS

1.INVSN	2.ITMSN	3.C SNO	4.NAME	5.CODE	6.PERCENTAGE	7.YIELD PCT	8.ING
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F. SINGLE WINDOW DECLARATION - CONTROL

1.INVSN	2.ITMSN	3.CONTROL TYPE	4.LOCATION	5.ST DT	6.END DT	7.RES CD	8.RES TEXT
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G.SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1.INVSN	2.ITMSN	3 DOCTYPCD	4. ICEGATE ID	5. IRN	6.PARTY CD	7.ISSUE PLA	8.ISS DT	9.EXP DT
0	0	165000	FARNPARMUMBAI	2023100300049861		HYDERABAD	07-AUG-23	
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1	0	331000	FARNPARMUMBAI	2023100500026906		TELANGANA	07-AUG-23	

H.INVOICE DETAILS

1.SNO	2.INVOICE NO	3.INVOICE AMOUNT	4.CURRENCY
1	M12417000487	24500	USD

I.CONTAINER DETAILS

1.SNO	2.CONTAINER	3.SEAL	4.DATE
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J.AR4 DETAILS

1.INVSN	2.ITMSN	3.AR4 NUMBER	4.AR4 DATE	5.COMMISSIONERATE	6.DIVISION	7.RANGE
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K. THIRD PARTY DETAILS

1.INVSN	2.ITMSN	3.IEC	4. EXPORTER NAME	5. ADDRESS	6.GSTN ID AND TYPE
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L. ITEM MANUFACTURER/PRODUCER/GROWER DETAILS

1.INVSN	2.ITMSN	3.TYPE	4.MANUFACT CD	5.SOURCE STATE	6.TRANS CY	7.ADDRESS
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PART - IV - EXPORT SCHEME DETAILS

M. RODTEP DETAILS

1. INVS N	2. ITMS N	3. QUANTITY	4. UQC	5. NO. OF UNITS	6. VALUE
1	1	151.564	KGS	1	16131

N. REEXPORT DETAILS

1. INVS	2. ITMS N	3. BE SITE ID	4. BE NUMBER	5. BE DATE	6. BE INV SNO	7. BE ITEM S	8. BE QTY	9. BE UQC
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OTHER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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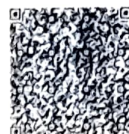
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PART - V - DECLARATIONS

A. DECLARATION STATEMENT

B. AUTHORIZED
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CHA NAME :AAACF3110BCH004

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PANCHANAMA

Panchnama dated 13.10.2023 in respect of Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 of Exporter M/s. Gland Pharma Ltd. (IEC-0990002110) drawn at JWR Logistics Pvt. Ltd. CFS, Panvel-JNPT Road, Taluka Panvel, Dist. Raigad 410206.

Pancha No. 1		Pancha No. 2	
Name:	Sandip S. Kale	Name:	Sudhir Dhanumjayarao Kanniganthi
Age:	46 years	Age:	46 years
Address:	S/o Sukhdeo Kale, Near Sai Baba Mandir, 23/15, Nanda Sawant Chawl, Sai Nagar, Bhandup (East), Mumbai-400042	Address:	S/o Dhanumjayarao Kanniganthi, Plot No. B-202, CBD Belapur, Navi Mumbai- 400614
Type of ID card:	Aadhaar Card	Type of ID card:	Aadhaar Card
Number of ID card:	729479252921	Number of ID card:	393081134227
Mobile No.:	9594022485	Mobile No.:	9152324611
Occupation:	Service	Occupation:	Service

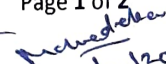
We the above mentioned Panchas were called upon by a person who introduced himself as Shri Shri Kumar Swetank, Senior Intelligence Officer, SIIB(X), JNCH on 13.10.2023 at 1500 hrs at JWR Logistics Pvt. Ltd. CFS, Panvel, Distt. Raigad, Maharashtra- 410206 to witness the examination of goods under shipping bill no. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 pertaining to exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. (IEC-0990002110). Further, the above-mentioned officer requested us to bear witness to the examination proceedings to which we both voluntarily agreed. We were present during the examination of the goods to witness the description of goods, quantity and any other declaration thereof.

Here, we were also introduced to Shri Vishal Kumar Shrivastava, Senior Intelligence officer, SIIB(X), JNCH, Shri Manoj N. Khedekar, CB having G-Card No. 1151/2019 and the authorized representative of exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. (IEC-0990002110) having IEC registered address at Sy. No. 143 to 148, 150, 151, Dommara Qutbullapur Mandal, Medchal-Malkajgiri, District:-hyderabad, Telangana-500043. It we were also informed by the said Customs Officers that M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. has filed Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 through Customs Broker M/s Far N Par (I) Pvt. Ltd. for export of their consignment.

Thereafter, we the panchas alongwith Custom Broker representative who represented the exporter and the aforesaid officers visited the Shed No. C at Reefer cargo area of Export Shed at the CFS where the goods i.e. Heparin Injection BP 14000 IU as per declaration made under Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 were carted for examination.

We, the panchas as well as representative of Custom Broker were shown the above mentioned Shipping Bill 4409436 dated 05.10.2023, respective Export Invoice, Packing List and check list of the goods attempted to be exported. We put our dated signature on Shipping Bill, Export Invoice and Packing List of the goods as a token of having seen the same and being present during the examination.

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The goods mentioned in the said shipping bill were packed in 20 packages, wherein 19 packages consisted of 500 vials of Heparin Injection while 01 package contained 300 vials of the injection. In total there were 9800 vials of Heparin Injection, as declared in the respective Shipping Bill and corresponding invoice and packing list. . Each package was having the labels bearing shipping marks, Batch Number etc. The details are as under:

Shipping Bill No.	4409436 dated 05.10.2023
FOB	Rs. 2016350/-
Product Name	Heparin Injection BP 25000 IU/5ML
MFG Date	04/2023
Exp. Date	03/2026

Thereafter, in presence of us and Shri Manoj N. Khedekar, the authorized representative of exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. (IEC-0990002110) all 20 packages under shipping bill number 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 were weighed. The quantity and weight of the goods was found to be as per declaration made in the Shipping Bill, Invoice and packing list.

The Panchanama running into 02 pages ended on the same place and same date i.e. on 13.10.2023 at 1600 Hrs. Panchnama was carried out in our presence and in the presence of Shri Manoj N. Khedekar, the CB & authorized representative of exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd.. The entire proceedings of Panchanama was carried out in peaceful and systematic manner and no untoward event happened during the course of drawing the Panchanama and no damage was done to the subject/concerned goods.

Drawn by me, this 13th October, 2023.

[Signature]
13/10/2023
S.I.O./SIIB(X), JNCH
(*[Signature]*)
In presence of:

[Signature]
13/10/2023
(*[Signature]*)
Pancha-I

[Signature]
Pancha-II *[Signature]*
13.10.2023

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13/10/2023
Manoj Khedekar
CB/ Authorised Representative of exporter

[Signature]
13/10/23
S.I.O./SIIB(X), JNCH
(*[Signature]*)



OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS, NS-II
SPECIAL INVESTIGATION AND INTELLIGENCE
BRANCH (X),

Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva,

Dist- Raigad, Maharashtra - 400 707.

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F.No.SG/INV-78/2023-24/ SIIB(X) JNCH
DIN-20231078NT0000111B5F

Date: 20.10.2023

SEIZURE MEMO ISSUED UNDER SECTION 110 OF CUSTOMS ACT, 1962

Particulars of the goods seized from the premises of JWR Logistics Pvt. Ltd., 15-23, National highway 4B, Panvel-JNPT highway, Village Padeghar, Panvel, Maharashtra-410206, on the reasonable belief that the detained goods examined under Panchanama dated 13.10.2023, are liable for confiscation under the provisions of Section 113(i) of the Customs Act, 1962. Hence, the said goods meant to be exported under the S/Bill No. 4409436/05.10.2023 is seized under Section 110 of the Customs Act, 1962. The particulars of the goods are as under:

S.No.	Particulars	Description
1.	Owner of the seized goods	M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. (IEC-0990002110)
2.	Declared description of the seized goods	Heparin Injection BP 25000 IU/5ML
3.	Total Declared FOB Value (INR)	2016350/-
4.	Total Claimed Drawback (INR)	26213/-
5.	Total Claimed RoDTEP (INR)	16131/-

The goods pertaining to aforesaid shipping bill is kept at JWR Logistics Pvt. Ltd. 15-23, National highway 4B, Panvel-JNPT highway, Village Padeghar, Panvel, Maharashtra-410206 and the said goods are handed over to The Manager, JWR Logistics Pvt. Ltd. for safe custody. It is directed that seized goods shall not be removed, parted with, or otherwise dealt with the goods except with the prior permission of SIIB(X), JNCH, Nhava Sheva.

[Signature]
(Vishal Kumar Shrivastava)
SIO/SIIB(X), JNCH

To,
M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. (IEC-0990002110),
Sy No. 143 to 148, 150, 151, Dommara,
Qutbullapur Mandal, Medchal-Malkajg, Hyderabad -500043

Copy to:-

1. The Manager, JWR Logistics Pvt. Ltd., 15-23, National highway 4B, Panvel-JNPT highway, Village Padeghar, Panvel, Maharashtra-410206
2. CHA - Far and Par (I) Pvt. Ltd. (ABWFS4343PCH003)
3. DC/ Export Docks, JWR Logistics Pvt. Ltd..

o/c

Em- 234801425 IN

[Signature] 23-10-23



सीमाशुल्क आयुक्त का कार्यालय, एनएस-II
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS, NS-II
केंद्रीकृत निर्यात आकलन कक्ष, जवाहरलाल नेहरू सीमाशुल्क भवन
CENTRALIZED EXPORT ASSESSMENT CELL, JAWAHARLAL NEHRU CUSTOM HOUSE,
न्हावा शेवा, तालुका -उरण, जिला -रायगढ़, महाराष्ट्र- 400 707
NHAVA SHEVA, TALUKA-URAN, DIST- RAIGAD, MAHARASHTRA-400707

F.No. S/6-Gen-01/Misc-313/2023-24/CEAC

Date: 23.01.2024

To,
Dy. Commissioner of Customs,
JWR CFS,
JNCH, Nhava Sheva

Sir,

Sub: Provisional release of the goods for Export covered under Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 of exporter M/s. Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) - reg.

Please refer to the above mentioned subject.

The competent authority has approved the request for provisional release of the goods under subject Shipping Bill for Export on the below mentioned conditions-

1. To submit Bond of 100% FOB value of the goods.
2. To submit Bank Guarantee/ Cash Security of Rs. 6,00,000/- (Rupees Six Lakh Only).

In this regard, the Exporter M/s. Gland Pharma Ltd (IEC: 0990002110) has presented Bond of Rs. 6,51,92,081.50/- (Rupees Six Crore Fifty-One Lakh Ninety-Two Thousand Eighty-One Rupees and Fifty Paise Only) and submitted Bank Guarantee No. 13049GPGE2401002 dated 10.01.2024 of Rs. 6,00,000/- (Rupees Six Lakh Only) issued by Canara Bank. The same has been accepted by the undersigned.



Yours faithfully,

(Manoj Kumar Hessa)

Deputy Commissioner of Customs
CEAC, JNCH, NHAVA SHEVA

Copy to: ✓ 1. Dy. Commissioner of Customs, SIIB(X), JNCH, Nhava Sheva
2. Manager, JWR CFS
3. Office Copy

Statement of Shri. N. Prabhakar Rao, General Manager-SSP&C of M/s Gland Pharma Limited, recorded under Section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 in the office of Special Investigation and Intelligence Branch (Exports) situated at Room No. B-403, 4th floor, Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva, Taluka - Uran, District - Raigad, Maharashtra - 400 707 on 23.01.2024.

In receipt of spot Summons CBIC-DIN 20231278NT000000CDF dated 28.12.2023 issued by Shri Kumar Swetank, Superintendent of Customs (P), Special Investigation and Intelligence Branch (Exports) from SIIB (X) office situated at Room No. B 403 , 4th floor, Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva, Taluka - Uran, District - Raigad, Maharashtra - 400707, I present myself for giving statement under section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 on 23.01.2024. I have been explained the provisions of section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962; that giving false evidence under the said section of the said act is an offence under Section 174, 175 & 228 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and punishable under Section 193 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860; that this statement of mine can be used as evidence either against me or any other person in any court of law, anywhere in India. Having been explained the said provisions of the 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 & Sections of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 to me and understood the same; I am giving my true, correct and voluntary statement as follows:

My name is N. Prabhakar Rao, aged 50 years and DOB-15.02.1974. I am residing at Flat No. House No-32-80/17, Plot No. 77, Sn129, 9th Avenue, Sainik Nagar, Ramakrishna Puram, Hyderabad, Telangana-500056. I have the personal Mobile No.9346729204, Aadhaar Card bearing No. 679255890979, PAN Card bearing No. ACYPN4991M. I have completed my MBA from Osmania university, Hyderabad. I can read, understand and write in English and Telugu. I am married and I am staying alongwith my wife and 02 children at the address mentioned above. I have a current bank account in HDFC, S.R. Nagar Branch having account number 06421050012851. On my request, the undersigned SIIB (X) officer is typing my statement in the desktop computer/Cell-H as per my say.

Q. Give your brief introduction. What sort of work do you do?

Ans. My name is N. Prabhakar Rao. I am currently working in the capacity of General Manager, Strategic Sourcing, Planning and Commercial with M/s Gland Pharma Limited. I have been working with the Company since the year 1997. I have been authorised to sign all documents on behalf of the company to Customs by the Board Resolution dated 13.10.2017. I am submitting a copy of the same to you.

Q. Have the goods under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 filed by you?

Ans. Yes the goods under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 have been filed by us.

Q. What were the goods being exported under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023?

Ans. The goods under goods under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 are Heparin Injection BP 25000IU/5ML.

Q. Do you know that 'Heparin and its salts' has been classified under tariff head 30019091 of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975?

Ans. Yes, we understand that 'Heparin and its salts' has been classified under tariff head 30019091. However, the classification there is for Heparin and its salts in pure form i.e. as a bulk drug.

Q. Why is it that under the Shipping Bill 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 you have classified the goods i.e. Heparin Injection BP 25000IU/5ML under tariff head 30049099?

Ans. We have classified the goods since we treat them as medicaments which consist of heparin mixed with Benzyl Alcohol and water for injection.

Q. Since there is a separate heading for Heparin, have you not mis-classified the goods to avail undue export benefit in terms of drawback and RoDTEP, since Heparin is the main constituent in the goods being exported under Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023?

Ans. The goods under Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 are not mis-classified, since it is open to us to classify injection of heparin under Medicaments. The sub- heading 3004 doesnot exclude goods i.e. medicaments of the drug Heparin Sodium. Further, it is clarified that Heparin sodium as such cannot be utilised and the same needs to be mixed with other excipients such as Benzyl Alcohol. For this very reason we have classified the goods i.e. Heparin Injection BP 25000IU/5ML under tariff head 30049099.

Q. Please provide the details of all the Shipping Bills filed by you for Heparin and its salts in the past.

Ans. I am herby submitting the details as sought by you. I am putting my dated signature on the same in token of submitting the same.

Q. Do you have anything more to say/add in this case, apart from your submission above?

Ans. We would like to say that we are genuine exporter and have not attempted to mis-classify the goods for availing any undue benefit. I would like to assert that in future, I would co-operate with the customs authorities in the ongoing investigation.

The above statement of mine running into 02 pages (serially mentioned 1 to 2) and it has been recorded correctly as per my true, correct and voluntary say and recorded as per my say without any force, threat, inducement or coercion. On my request, the said statement has been typed on the office computer of SIIB(X), JNCH, Nhava Sheva, District - Raigarh, Maharashtra - 400707 as per my say. I certify it has been recorded exactly as stated by me in response to questions raised to me during the proceedings. I have nothing more to add. Statement of mine is correctly recorded as per my say; I, therefore affix my dated signature on each page of the statement in token of having been recorded correctly as stated by me.



(N. Prabhakar Rao)

GM-SSP&C, M/s Gland Pharma Limited

23/01/24

Typed and Recorded by me



(Kumar Swetank)

SIO /SIIB(X)

JNCH, NHAVA SHEVA

Statement of Shri. Manoj Narayan Khedekar, authorised representative of M/s Far N Par (India) Pvt. Ltd., recorded under Section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 in the office of Special Investigation and Intelligence Branch (Exports) situated at Room No. B-403, 4th floor, Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva, Taluka - Uran, District - Raigad, Maharashtra - 400 707 on 15.03.2024.

In receipt of spot Summons CBIC-DIN- 20240278NT000000C11E dated 23.02.2024 issued by Shri Kumar Swetank, Superintendent of Customs (P), Special Investigation and Intelligence Branch (Exports) from SIIB (X) office situated at Room No. B 403 , 4th floor, Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva, Taluka - Uran, District - Raigad, Maharashtra - 400707, I present myself for giving statement under section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 on 15.03.2024. I have been explained the provisions of section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962; that giving false evidence under the said section of the said act is an offence under Section 174, 175 & 228 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and punishable under Section 193 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860; that this statement of mine can be used as evidence either against me or any other person in any court of law, anywhere in India. Having been explained the said provisions of the 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 & Sections of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 to me and understood the same; I am giving my true, correct and voluntary statement as follows:

My name is Manoj Narayan Khedekar, aged 53 years and DOB-17.03.1971. I am residing at Miranda Chawl, Sutar Pakhadi, Sahar Village, Ville Parle (East), Mumbai- 400099. I have the personal Mobile No. 8879448961, Aadhaar Card bearing No. 980207583687, PAN Card bearing No. ATGPK6796A and I am submitting the copies of the same as proof of my identity. I have completed my 12th Standard, from Rammohan English High School, Vile Parle (East), Mumbai. I can read, understand and write in Hindi, Marathi and English. I am married and I am staying alongwith my wife and son at the address mentioned above. On my request, the undersigned SIIB (X) officer is typing my statement in the desktop computer/Cell-H as per my say.

Q. Give your brief introduction. What sort of work do you do?

Ans. We are Customs Clearing & Forwarding Company and have been working for 37 years in the field. The firm is engaged in handling import and export clearance at JNCH and ACC. I have been associated with M/s Far N Par (India) Pvt. Ltd. since the last 10 years.

Q. Have the goods under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 filed by you on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd.?

Ans. Yes the goods under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 have been filed by us on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd.

Q. What were the goods being exported under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023?

Ans. The goods under goods under Shipping bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023 are Heparin Injection BP 25000IU/5ML.

Q. Do you know that 'Heparin and its salts' has been classified under tariff head 30019091 of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975?

Ans. Yes, we understand that 'Heparin and its salts' has been classified under tariff head 30019091. However, the classification there is for Heparin and its salts in pure form i.e. as a bulk drug.

Q. If that was the case, did you inform about the exact classification of Heparin to the exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd.?

Ans. We would like to submit that the matter was raised to the exporter regarding the classification of Heparin under CTH 3001 and not 3004. However, they insisted to file the Shipping Bill under the CTH 3004 with drawback. The discussion with the exporter has happened multiple times, since the shipment has also been exported in the past with drawback. I am hereby submitting the email communication dated 05.10.2023 which we had with the exporter, wherein they revised the checklist and told us to file the Shipping bill.

Manoj Khedekar
15/3/2024

Q. Since there is a separate heading for Heparin, has the exporter not mis-classified the goods to avail undue export benefit in terms of drawback and RoDTEP, since Heparin is the main constituent in the goods being exported under Shipping Bill No. 4409436 dated 05.10.2023?

Ans. Yes, there is a separate heading for Heparin to be classified under CTH 3001 and hence it is not eligible for drawback and the RoDTEP eligible is 0.5% instead of the claimed 0.8%. However, each time on filing of the Shipping bill we discussed with the exporter about the classification issue, but they insisted on filing the shipment under claim of drawback.

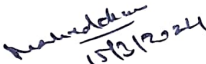
Q. Please provide the details of all the Shipping Bills filed by you on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. for Heparin and its salts in the past.

Ans. We have filed 02 Shipping Bills on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. for Heparin and its salts in the past wherein claim of Drawback has been made. The Shipping Bills are 3859814 dated 30.08.2022 and 4409436 dated 05.10.2023.

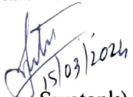
Q. Do you have anything more to say/add in this case, apart from your submission above?

Ans. We would like to say that we are a genuine Custom Brokers with AEO certification having presence all over India. We work diligently in case of all the export shipment filed by us. In this particular case also we tried to follow all the provisions of the Customs and Allied Acts. I would like to assert that in future, we would co-operate with the customs authorities in the ongoing investigation.

The above statement of mine running into 02 pages (serially mentioned 1 to 2) and it has been recorded correctly as per my true, correct and voluntary say and recorded as per my say without any force, threat, inducement or coercion. On my request, the said statement has been typed on the office computer of SIIB(X), JNCH, Nhava Sheva, District - Raigarh, Maharashtra - 400707 as per my say. I certify it has been recorded exactly as stated by me in response to questions raised to me during the proceedings. I have nothing more to add. Statement of mine is correctly recorded as per my say; I, therefore affix my dated signature on each page of the statement in token of having been recorded correctly as stated by me.


(Manoj Narayan Khedekar)
Authorised representative,
M/s Far N Par (India) Pvt. Ltd.

Typed and Recorded by me


(Kumar Swetank)
SIO /SIIB(X)
JNCH, NHAVA SHEVA

Statement of Shri. Dattatray N. Bangar, authorised representative of M/s Sri Ramchandra Shipping Agencies Pvt. Ltd., recorded under Section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 in the office of Special Investigation and Intelligence Branch (Exports) situated at Room No. B-403, 4th floor, Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva, Taluka - Uran, District - Raigad, Maharashtra - 400 707 on 30.05.2024.

In receipt of spot Summons CBIC-DIN- 20240578NT0000666D47 dated 29.05.2024 issued by Shri Kumar Swetank, Superintendent of Customs (P), Special Investigation and Intelligence Branch (Exports) from SIIB (X) office situated at Room No. B 403 , 4th floor, Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva, Taluka - Uran, District - Raigad, Maharashtra - 400707, I present myself for giving statement under section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962; that giving false evidence under explained the provisions of section 108 of the Customs Act, 1962; that giving false evidence under the said section of the said act is an offence under Section 174, 175 & 228 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 and punishable under Section 193 of the Indian Penal Code, 1860; that this statement of mine can be used as evidence either against me or any other person in any court of law, anywhere in India. Having been explained the said provisions of the 108 of the Customs Act, 1962 & Sections of the Indian Penal Code, 1860 to me and understood the same; I am giving my true, correct and voluntary statement as follows:

My name is Dattatray N. Bangar, aged 57 years and DOB-01.09.1966. I am residing at Mirashi Mama Nagar, Chawl No.20, Roo No-14, Kanjurmarg (East), Mumbai- 400078. I have the personal Mobile No. 9702132003, Aadhaar Card bearing No. 839586937151, PAN Card bearing No. BQKPB9303C and I am submitting the copies of the same as proof of my identity. I have completed my 12th Standard, from AnnaSaheb APte College, Manchar, Pune. I can read, understand and write in Hindi, Marathi and English. I am married and I am staying alongwith my wife and son at the address mentioned above. On my request, the undersigned SIIB (X) officer is typing my statement in the desktop computer/Cell-H as per my say.

Q. Give your brief introduction. What sort of work do you do?

Ans. We are Customs Clearing & Forwarding Company and have been working for 6 years in the field. The firm is engaged in handling import and export clearance at JNCH. I have been associated with M/s Sri Ramchandra Shipping Agencies Pvt. Ltd. since start of the firm.

Q. Have the goods under Shipping bill No. 3899494 dated 01.09.2022, 2837048 dated 31.07.2023, 2838611 dated 31.07.2023 and 3268447 dated 18.08.2023 filed by you on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd.?

Ans. Yes the goods under Shipping bill No. 3899494 dated 01.09.2022, 2837048 dated 31.07.2023, 2838611 dated 31.07.2023 and 3268447 dated 18.08.2023 have been filed by us on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd.

Q. What were the goods being exported under Shipping bill No. 3899494 dated 01.09.2022, 2837048 dated 31.07.2023, 2838611 dated 31.07.2023 and 3268447 dated 18.08.2023?

Ans. The goods under goods under Shipping bill No. 3899494 dated 01.09.2022, 2837048 dated 31.07.2023, 2838611 dated 31.07.2023 and 3268447 dated 18.08.2023 are Heparin Injection.

Q. Do you know that 'Heparin and its salts' has been classified under tariff head 30019091 of the Customs Tariff Act, 1975?

Ans. Yes, we understand that 'Heparin and its salts' has been classified under tariff head 30019091. However, the classification there is for Heparin and its salts in pure form i.e. as a bulk drug.

Q. If that was the case, did you inform about the exact classification of Heparin to the exporter M/s Gland Pharma Ltd.?

Ans. We would like to submit that the shipping bill have been filed solely based on the documents furnished by the exporter. Since the exporter had informed that they are exporting Heparin in injection form and we were also of the view that medicaments are to be classified under CTH 3004, hence we filed the said shipping bills as per the information received from the exporter.

Q. Since there is a separate heading for Heparin, has the exporter not mis-classified the goods to avail undue export benefit in terms of drawback and RoDTEP, since Heparin is the main constituent in the goods being exported under Shipping Bills mentioned above?

Ans. Yes, there is a separate heading for Heparin to be classified under CTH 3001 and hence it is not eligible for drawback and the RoDTEP eligible is 0.5% instead of the claimed 0.8%. However, as stated above, all these shipping bills have been filed as per the documents furnished by the exporter.

Q. Please provide the details of all the Shipping Bills filed by you on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. for Heparin and its salts in the past.

Ans. We have filed 04 Shipping Bills on behalf of M/s Gland Pharma Ltd. for Heparin and its salts in the past wherein claim of Drawback has been made. The Shipping Bills are 3899494 dated 01.09.2022, 2837048 dated 31.07.2023, 2838611 dated 31.07.2023 and 3268447 dated 18.08.2023.

Q. Do you have anything more to say/add in this case, apart from your submission above?

Ans. We would like to say that we are a genuine Custom Brokers. We work diligently in case of all the export shipment filed by us. In this particular case also we tried to follow all the provisions of the Customs and Allied Acts. There was no malafide intention on our part. We simply filed the shipping bills as per the documents sent by the exporter. I would like to assert that in future, we would co-operate with the customs authorities in the ongoing investigation.

The above statement of mine running into 02 pages (serially mentioned 1 to 2) and it has been recorded correctly as per my true, correct and voluntary say and recorded as per my say without any force, threat, inducement or coercion. On my request, the said statement has been typed on the office computer of SIIB(X), JNCH, Nhava Sheva, District - Raigarh, Maharashtra - 400707 as per my say. I certify it has been recorded exactly as stated by me in response to questions raised to me during the proceedings. I have nothing more to add. Statement of mine is correctly recorded as per my say; I, therefore affix my dated signature on each page of the statement in token of having been recorded correctly as stated by me.


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(Dattatray N. Bangar)

Authorised representative,

M/s Sri Ramchandra Shipping Agencies Pvt. Ltd.

Typed and Recorded by me

(Kumar Swetank)
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JNCH, NHAVA SHEVA