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OFFICE ORDER

Subject: Resolving of *inter-se* disputes of various Ministries/ Department/CPSEs etc., other than those related to taxation, through the existing AMRCD/AMRD mechanism – reg.

This office has received directions from Department of Legal Affairs, Ministry of Law & Justice, Govt. of India that *inter-se* disputes of various Ministries/Department/CPSEs etc., other than those related to taxation, are to be resolved through the existing AMRCD/AMRD mechanism.

2. The Government of India has endeavored to ensure that disputes between various Ministries/Departments/CPSEs/ Board/Authorities etc. under the administrative control of various Ministries/Departments do not reach any court. It has been the constant efforts of the Government to reduce Government Litigations in courts so that valuable court time is spent in resolving other pending cases.

3. In order to provide for an institutionalized mechanism for resolution of disputes other than those related to taxation, the existing Administrative Mechanism for Resolution of Commercial Disputes (AMRCD), which was applicable to commercial disputes between CPSEs inter-se and also between CPSEs and Government Departments/ Organisations, has been extended vide O.M. dated 31.03.2020 issued by the Department of Legal Affairs for resolution of disputes other than taxation, between Ministries/Departments inter-se and between Ministries/Departments and other Government Ministries/Departments/Subordinate/Attached offices/Autonomous and Statutory Bodies under their administrative supervision/control of such disputes. Details of new mechanism, namely, AMRD (Administrative Mechanism for Resolution of Disputes) has been outlined in O.M. dated 31.03.2020 issued by the Department of Legal Affairs (copy enclosed).

4. The above guidelines are brought to notice of all concerned for strict compliance.

5. This issues with the approval of pr. Chief Commissioner of Customs, Mumbai Zone-I.

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RAVINDRA KUMAR SINGH
ADDITIONAL COMMISSIONER

To,

1. All Pr. Commissioner/Commissioner of Customs,
New Customs House, Mumbai Customs, Zone-I
2. EDI Section for uploading on website of this Zone