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Government of India
Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers
Department of Chemicals and Petrochemicals

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 25th September, 2019

To,

All Chemical Industry Associations
(List attached)

Subject: Budget Proposals for the year 2020-21 - regarding.

An exercise for formulation of proposals for the Union Budget 2020-21, is being undertaken, which involves the review of the Central Customs, Excise and Goods and Service Tax (GST) in respect of Chemical Sector. For this purpose, suggestions of various industry associations are solicited. On the basis of the received suggestions, the Department of Chemicals & Petrochemicals would firm up the proposals for sending to the Ministry of Finance.

2. I would, therefore, request you to kindly provide your valuable inputs in this regard for the forthcoming Union Budget in respect of proposals for change in Central Customs, Excise Duty rates and GST for specific commodities. You may provide relevant information on each commodity, such as its price (both indigenous and international). Volume of indigenous production as well as imports/exports, domestic requirements and most importantly, the extent of revenue implication as a result of affecting such changes in duty rates **in the prescribed proforma**. You are also requested to identify cases of inverted duty structure, affecting growth of the chemical sector, which need to be corrected.

3. In view of above, your suggestions for the forthcoming budget may please be sent to this Department before 15th October, 2019 positively.

Yours faithfully,


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