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No. Addl. DGFT/KOL/CAPEXIL-Election (5 Panels)/2019-20

Dated: 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2019

**Record of observations on Representation/Objection**

Subject : **Election of the Panel representative for 05 (Five) Panels in the CoA of CAPEXIL for the year 2019-20.**

Pursuant to the letter of even number dated 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2019, addressed to CAPEXIL furnishing the following:

- a) The list of valid Nomination forms received from the Ordinary members;
- b) The list of invalid nominations received from the members.
- c) Name of the panel where no nomination has been received from the Ordinary Members

and also intimating that the last date for filing objection is 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 by 5:30 PM by e.mail or Post; one objection has been received from Shri Goutam Chand Jain, Chairman & Managing Director of M/s. Pokarna Limited, Telengana. Shri Jain in his mail dated 29<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 has stated:

*"I would like to bring to your kind notice that I have filled for the nomination form for the Panel (Natural Stones & Granites) and the same has been sent to your office by courier before 5:30 pm on 27-09-2019, please find attached to this mail the proof of the recipient of the courier, the courier consisting of the nomination form have been received by Mr. Apurba at 16.49 hrs. We request you to reconsider the same and include my name under the nomination list"*

2, The mail along with the document substantiating objection has been perused and the document mailed does indicate that the delivery of the said nomination was made at 16:49 Hrs on 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2019. However, the Receipt & Issuance Section of the Office of the Addl. Director General of Foreign Trade, Kolkata at 4, Esplanade East, Kolkata – 700069 did not deliver the said nomination form to the Election Authority, CAPEXIL in the Drop Box kept for the purpose. The Election Authority, CAPEXIL had sought for detailed brief on the factual position of the matter to examine the representation. The factual note from the Receipt & Issuance Section has been received which is as follows:

*"On 27.09.2019 two applications were received in the R&I Section within 5:30 PM during the busy hours of the office. Accordingly, as a receiving clerk, I did not have any time to go through the paper & also did not understand that the same is related to urgent Election issue of CAPEXIL. So I could not report it to the FTDO which is regretted"*

3. In view of the facts and the representation/objection made by Shri Goutam Chand Jain, Chairman & Managing Director of M/s. Pokarna Limited, Telengana, the Chairman of Chairman Election Committee (CAPEXIL) is of the view that there has been an error on the part of the Receipt & Issuance Section of the Office of the Addl. Director General of Foreign Trade, Kolkata which is, however, an inadvertent error considering the circumstances explained by the Receipt & Issuance Section. The Chairman Election Committee (CAPEXIL), therefore, considers the objection of Shri Goutam Chand Jain, Chairman & Managing Director of M/s. Pokarna Limited, Telengana as a valid objection and, therefore, the envelope containing the nomination shall be opened to examine the validity of the nomination and if found valid, shall be included in the list of valid nomination forms received from the Ordinary Members for the relevant period for the CAPEXIL (CoA) Election, 2019-20.

4. In the light of the submissions made by the Receipt & Issuance Section of the Office of the Addl. Director General of Foreign Trade, Kolkata, it was observed that there is another application from M/s. Vijay Stone Quarries Private Limited, 6-1-6812#202, Sai Nivas, Saifabad, Hyderabad - 500004, Telengana which was also delivered to this office by the Courier before the scheduled closure. The said firm or the nominee has not made any representation/objection but in the opinion of the Chairman Election Committee (CAPEXIL), it would be only be just and fair that the said application is also considered for further scrutiny of validity of nomination. If found valid, it shall be included in the list of valid nominations received from the Ordinary Members for the relevant period for the CAPEXIL Committee of Administration Election, 2019-20.



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