

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSSIONER OF CUSTOMS CUSTOM HOUSE – MARMAGOA, GOA

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It is brought to the notice of the Trade, Industry and CHA Association, that the Union Budget 2018-2019 ,is expected to be presented in the Parliament on 1st Feb, 2018. Therefore, the filing of EDI Bills of Entry will not be available in Indian Customs EDI System (ICES 1.5) from 17:00 hrs onwards on 1st Feb, 2018. In view of the above, no Bills of Entry should be submitted to the ICES 1.5 after 5.00 pm on 1st Feb 2018. Submission of Bills of Entry at Service Centre through ICEGATE would remain closed until ICES 1.5 is updated with the Budget related changes. All other functions at ICES 1.5 would continue as usual. To avoid inconvenience , due to Budget related changes in the notification and other directories, all stake holders are requested to expedite the clearance and take Out –of – Charge in respect of Bills of Entry, pending in the queue, before directory changes are enabled in the ICES 1.5. Further permission u/s 48 in ICES, will not be permitted by any Assistant Commissioner from 19.30 hrs on 1st Feb, 2018.

Further, suitable information TICKERS will be made available on CITRIX as well as CBEC and ICEGATE websites regarding the timing of submission of the regular filing of Bills of Entry and approvals u/s 48. The information of ICEGATE being shut down for filing of Bills of Entry on 1st Feb, 2018 from 1700 hrs. onwards would be flashed on the website at http://www.icegate.gov.in.

During the Budget Activity, Shipping Bill filing and processing will continue as usual without any stoppage. If any changes are announced in the Export duty and Export Cess during the Budget, it is advised that the sites will keep a track of the relevant SBs filed on or after 1st Feb 2018 till the directory changes are made online, and export duty/ cess be collected manually thereon. Similarly, processing of BEs filed before 1700 hrs on 1st Feb 2018 will also continue as usual. However, all other servers at ICEGATE will continue as usual.

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