
No. F. 1-9/92-SP.IV

Government of India

Ministry of Human Resource Development

Department of Youth Affairs and Sports

Shastri Bhawan,

New Delhi, the 13th July, 1993

OFFICE ORDER

SUBJECT: - Exemption of Custom Duty on the import of equipments by Sportspersons of outstanding

eminence Definition of eminent sportspersons regarding.

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In super session of this Department's Office Order of even number dated 27th April, 1992 on the above subject, the matter has been further considered in this Department and it has been decided that the following categories of sportsperson would only be treated as sportspersons of outstanding eminence for the purpose of import of equipment free of custom-duty in terms of Notification No. 255/89 Customs dated 25th January, 1989 of the Ministry of finance, Department of Revenue, as well as import of sports goods/equipments without import license in terms o Ministry of Commerce Public Notice No. 115 (PN)/92 ex dated 31st March, 1993:

(1) Medal Winners in International Sports events which are recognized by corresponding international sports bodies;

(2) Arjuna Awardees;

(3) Sportspersons who have achieved upto 4th position in individual events or upto 4th position on in Team events in the open National Championship/National Games; and

(4) In case of Junior players, the sportspersons must have achieved upto 8th position in individual events or upto 4th position in Team events in the National Championship (open for the junior).

Please acknowledge the receipt of this letter.

(MADHO RAM)

UNDER SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF INDIA

F.No.52-19/99-SP-III

Government of India

Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports.

New Delhi, the 11th May, 2001

OFFICE ORDER

Subject: Exemption of Custom Duty on the import of equipments by sportspersons of outstanding

eminence-Definition of eminent sports persons-regarding.

In partial modification of Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Youth Affairs & Sports Office Order No. 1-9/92-SP-IV dated 13th July, 1993, on the above mentioned subject, the matter has been reconsidered in the Ministry & it has been decided that in case of shooting, the shooters of outstanding eminence/renowned shot will be those attaining rank among first 25th Shooters in the National Championships of the respective category i.e. Senior, Junior and Sub-Junior, held immediately before the importation of arms and ammunitions. The criteria for sportspersons of outstanding eminence in respect of other disciplines mentioned in the Office Order referred to above, will remain unchanged.

DGFT, Department of Revenue and Ministry of Home Affairs etc. may, accordingly, modify their notifications concerning import of arms and ammunitions by Renowned Shooters and customs duty exemption thereon etc.

This issues with the approval of Hon'ble Minister of youth Affairs and Sports.

(S. K. Sharma)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India .

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(Kind attention Shri. S.K. Sinha)
 5. Shri S.K.Tuli, Deputy Secretary, Arms Section, Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block, New Delhi.
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