

F.No. 1-1/(2022)-SP-I-(Part3)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution  
Department of Food & Public Distribution  
Directorate of Sugar & Vegetables Oils

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> Aug 2022

To,  
The Chairman,  
Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs (CBIC),  
Department of Revenue,  
Ministry of Finance,  
North Block, New Delhi – 110011.

**Subject: To ensure strict monitoring of authenticity of Export Release Orders (EROs) released during the current Sugar Season 2021-22 (Oct-Sept).**

Sir,

Reference is invited to the DGFT's notification No. 10/2015-20 dated 24.05.2022 vide which Sugar (Raw sugar, Refined sugar & White sugar) bearing ITC (HS) Code 17011490 & 17019990 has been placed in the "Restricted" category for exports.

2. Further, DFPD is in continuing process of issuing combined as well as individual EROs for both sugar mills as well as exporters which are being immediately uploaded on the website i.e. <https://dfpd.gov.in/index.htm> under "News and Announcements" head. However, it has come to the notice of the Directorate of Sugar, Department of Food and Public Distribution (DFPD) that a fake ERO is being shared on social media/internet. Copy of the ERO is enclosed.

3. In this above context, it is again reiterated that all the EROs being issued by the Directorate of Sugar are being immediately uploaded on the DFPD website i.e. <https://dfpd.gov.in/news.htm> under "News and Announcements" head. Therefore, export may only be allowed after checking the genuineness of the ERO from the above-mentioned website.

4. It is also requested to issue necessary instructions to all the field officers across various ports to ensure that export may only be allowed after checking the genuineness of the ERO.

Yours faithfully,



(Sangeet)

Director (Sugar)  
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**Copy to:**

1. Secretary, Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways.
2. DGFT, Ministry of Commerce
3. Dy. Commissioner of Police, Cyber crimes, New Delhi--- **{to ensure that strict action may be taken against the entity which is circulating these fake EROs and the same may be intimated to the Directorate of Sugar on urgent basis.}**