

**OFFICE OF THE CENTRAL PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER
DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF VALUATION
7th FLOOR, ANNEXE BUILDING, NEW CUSTOM HOUSE,
BALLARD ESTATE, MUMBAI – 400 001**

F.No.DGVAL/CONF/RTI/APP/24/2025-Policy-O/o DG-VAL-MUMBAI

आदेश की तारीख / Date of order: As e-signed.

जारी करने की तिथि / Date of issue: As e-signed.

Addressee: सेवा मे / To,

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प्रस्तावना /PREAMBLE

1. इस आदेश की एक प्रति उस व्यक्ति को नि: शुल्क प्रदान की जाती है जिसे यह जारी किया गया है।
1. A copy of this order is provided free of cost to the person to whom it is issued.
2. इस आदेश के विरुद्ध श्रीमती एम एस धुरत, अपर आयुक्त, प्रथम अपीलीय प्राधिकारी, मूल्यांकन महानिदेशालय, 7 वीं मंजिल, एनेक्सी, न्यू कस्टम हाउस, बल्लार्ड एस्टेट, मुंबई -400001 के पास अपील की जा सकती है। (दूरभाष सं. 22- 22634521)
2. An appeal against this order shall lie with Smt. M.S. Dhurat, Additional Commissioner, the First Appellate Authority, Directorate General of Valuation, 7th Floor, Annexe Building, New Custom House, Ballard Estate, Mumbai-400001 (Tel. No.022- 22634521).
3. सूचना का अधिकार अधिनियम, 2005 के प्रावधान के अनुसार इस पत्र की प्राप्ति की तारीख से 30 दिनों के भीतर अपील दायर की जानी चाहिए।
3. The Appeal must be filed within 30 days from the date of receipt of this letter as provided in Right to Information Act, 2005.
4. अपील अपीलीय प्राधिकारी को व्यक्तिगत रूप से या इस उद्देश्य के लिए नामित अधिकारियों के माध्यम से या पंजीकृत डाक द्वारा या ऑनलाइन आरटीआई पोर्टल के माध्यम से प्रस्तुत की जा सकती है।
4. Appeal may be submitted to the Appellate Authority in person or through the officers nominated for this purpose or by registered post or through online RTI portal.

An online RTI request application bearing Registration No. DGVAL/R/T/25/00009 dated 22.12.2025 filed by

seeking information under the Right to Information Act, 2005, was received on RTI portal on 22.12.2025.

2. The information sought by RTI applicant is as under:

"I am filing this RTI under Section 6(1) of the Right to Information Act 2005 with reference to RTI No DGOFT/R/E/24/00047, filed before the Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT) and disposed of on 12-03-2024. DGFT informed me that the matter is not dealt with in the Policy-2 Division and has been transferred to the Department of Revenue and DPIIT as it pertains to them.

Kindly provide the following information:

Copy of note or letter through which DGFT transferred RTI No DGOFT/R/E/24/00047 or related grievance DOCPG202300212 to your department and date of receipt.

Whether the Department of Commerce or DPIIT initiated any examination or policy file regarding undervaluation of imported belts and allied accessories affecting Indian MSMEs.

Whether any discussion or proposal is under consideration to fix Minimum Import Price (MIP) or similar safeguards for belts, wallets, and accessories imported under HS codes 42033000 or 42023120.

Whether your department has consulted CBIC, DGOV, or MSME Ministry regarding rationalisation of customs duty where PU-coated fabric (raw material) is taxed higher than finished belts.

Copies of any inter-departmental correspondence, file noting, or communication exchanged with DGFT, DPIIT, or CBIC regarding this matter.

Name, designation, and contact details of officer(s) handling this transferred file."

3. As regards to above requests only following information sought by RTI applicant is pertaining to Directorate General of Valuation (DGOV):

"Whether your department has consulted CBIC, DGOV, or MSME Ministry regarding rationalisation of customs duty where PU-coated fabric (raw material) is taxed higher than finished belts"

In this regard, it is to inform that no such correspondence has been received by this office i.e. Directorate General of Valuation, Mumbai.

4. Accordingly, the RTI Registration No.DGVAL/R/T/25/00009 dated 22.12.2025 filed by stands disposed of.

Yours faithfully,

Digitally signed by
Yogesh Kumar
Date: 09-01-2026
(Yogesh Kumar)
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Assistant Commissioner & CPIO