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Minutes of the 10th meeting of the Internal Technical Committee under Amended Technology Up gradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) held on 18-09-2020

The 10th meeting of the Internal Technical Committee under Amended Technology Up gradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) convened on 18-09-2020 at 03.00 PM under the Chairmanship of Shri S.P.Verma, Joint Textile Commissioner in the conference hall of the Office of the Textile Commissioner, Mumbai. The list of participants is placed below at Annexure-I. The agenda points which were discussed and decisions taken thereof are as under:-

Agenda No. 1: Confirmation of the minutes of 9th Internal Technical Committee Meeting.

Decision Taken: The Committee confirmed the minutes of the 9th Internal Technical Committee Meeting unanimously

Agenda No. 2: Verification and recommendation of 7 proposals for enlistment of Machinery Manufacturers/ Authorized Agents under ATUFS as per Para no. of 3.4 of Revised Resolution of ATUFS dated 02.08.2018 and subsequent order No. 6/5/2015-TUFS dated 06.08.2019.

Decision Taken : The list of 7 proposals (Abroad - 2, Indigenous - 3 & Authorized agents - 2) received from Textile Machine Manufacturers/Authorized Agents for enlistment under ATUFS, were scrutinized by the Internal Technical Committee and 5 proposals (Abroad- 2 & Indigenous- 1 and Authorized Agent - 2) were recommended to the Textile Commissioner for her approval and uploading the same on this office website (Attached herewith as Annexure-II). It was also decided to call for the balance sheet of one unit as proof of its being a subsidiary unit and remaining one unit was recommended subject to verification of its ISO certificate.

Agenda No. 3: Consideration of Label weaving machine supplied by MEI International S.R.L, Italy:-

13th TAMC in its meeting held on 23.02.2019 deliberated that Basic loom with label jacquard machine procured from same manufacture only will be allowed under ATUFS. However, if woven label manufacturing attachment is required to be provided on standalone basis, it may be considered separately by TAMC on receipt of request from industry / machine manufacturer. In this regard, M/s. MEI International S.R.L, Italy has submitted a request to consider their machine stating that *"no machine manufacturers are manufacturing all the auxiliary machines, accessories and components in-house. In case of Airjet looms and rapier looms produced by loom manufacturers, the jacquard, Harness, Accumulators etc., are bought-out items produced by other manufacturers. MEI is buying Airjet / Rapier looms from machinery manufacturer as per the choice of customers, modifying looms suitable for label weaving attaching MEI technology developed by them and readying it for weaving labels. The Airjet looms and Rapier looms are already under ATUFS and are eligible for subsidy"*.

Decision Taken in the 4th ITC meeting held on 1/1/2020: The Committee is of the view of taking Label manufacturing attachment as a separate or it can be considered as accessories of the weaving machine for manufacture of Labels. The matter may be referred to the TAMC for deliberation and decision.

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Decision Taken in the 15th TAMC meeting held on 2/1/2020 : The matter was deferred to the next TAMC. Meanwhile ITC may send a team to examine the technology and recommending whether it is to be considered as main machine or accessory

Decision Taken in the 7th ITC meeting held on 7/7/2020 : The Officer-in-Charge, R.O. Coimbatore and SITRA representative may visit the unit and submit the report within 15 days to ITC for further consideration of the matter. If visiting team requires any help, they may contact either Jt.Tx.C's. Shri S.P.Verma / Shri V.K.Kohli through Video Conference

Accordingly, R.O. Coimbatore have visited the unit and submitted the visit report with the following conclusion:

"It is observed that MEI International srl Rapier and Airjet Label loom provides good quality performance, production efficiency and innovative technology. The speed of Air Jet label machine is up to 1050 picks / min and speed of Rapier machine is 650 pick / min (WIR is 1040 mtrs per minute)

Therefore, the visiting team is of the opinion that the MEI Label Weaving machines can be considered as the main machines.

Decision Taken: The Committee felt that the MEI Label Weaving Machines can be considered as main machines as it is used for manufacturing of labels for fixing on the garments / Made ups. The labels manufacturing are categories under "Cloth Tech" sub – components of the Technical Textiles. The IMSC in its meeting held on 27-02-2019 (Agenda decision No. 7.7) has decided to consider two invoices for two parts of customized machines required for technical textiles. As per recommendation of team of officers of SITRA and OIC, R.O. Coimbatore and looking to the value addition on base weaving machines, this kind of arrangement is recommended.

It is also recommended that there may be name plates of two manufacturers used in the machine i.e. shuttleless loom manufacture with dobby / Jacquard and MEI International of value addition. However to verify that MEI International has not used second hand machine for value addition, MEI will require to submit original invoice of shuttleless manufacture and year of manufacturing of looms with dobby / Jacquard which should not be more than six months old. The report of R.O. does not mention about the percentage value addition done by MEI on base machines. Hence, requested to call details from R.O.Coimbatore. It is also recommended that it may be kept in MC-1 list of eligible machines.

Agenda No. 4: Agenda point received from TUFs Cell.

M/s. Mohini Health & Hygiene Ltd., have procured complete production line for manufacture of surgical bleached cotton from different vendors. In this regard as per the decision taken in the 3rd IMSC meeting held on 27/02/2019 on submission of the unit's detailed justification on such machineries, it may be considered as follows:

- a. The arrangement will be permissible for 'Technical Textiles only' and only to the extent of assembling two parts having two invoices.
- b. Specific applicability of such arrangements to be examined by TAMC on technical angle and to be approved by the Textile Commissioner.

TUFS Cell has not enclosed any justification received from the unit. The committee may deliberate and decide on this issue

Decision Taken: In the instant case 11 invoice of M/s Tex Fab Engineerins, Ahmedabad, 2 invoices of M/s Yuanyi Import and Export Co. Ltd China , 2 invoices of M/s S.J. Industries Ahmedabad and 2 invoices of M/s Vetal Hitech machines Pvt Ltd. As per decision of 3rd IMSC, the arrangement is permissible for assembling of two parts having two invoices. Hence, case is not recommended by ITC.

Agenda No.5 Consideration of Logo and name of the brand found on machine plate in absence of name of machine manufacturer under ATUFS.

As per decision of 15th TAMC agenda no. 5, manufacturer should submit a note detailing their branding exercise marketing practices and share their authentic logo. ITC may take view on case to case basis considering the explanation submitted by the manufacturer. TUFS Cell has place two cases i.e. M/S Qingdao Jinsanyang Textile Machinery Co. Ltd, China (Logo—"JSY") and M/s PTMT Srl (Brand name "PANTER").

Decision Taken : Detailed note to be provided by machine manufacturers for their branding exercise marketing practices, are not submitted, Even their Brand name and logo are not mentioned in Commercial Invoices. Hence ITC has not considered the proposal.

Agenda No. 6: Admissibility and technical eligibility of scouring and Bleaching range (MC 02-38) purchased from two different vendors i.e. bleaching part is purchased from indigenous manufacturer and the scouring part from imported manufacturer.

Decision Taken : MC 02-38 Open Width continuous scouring and bleaching range with microprocessors attachments and automatic chemical dosing is high end technology, which is not required to be diluted further. Moreover two invoices for one machine can be considered for Technical Textile Segment as per decision of 3rd IMSC. Hence, not considered by ITC.

Agenda No. 7: In the 9th ITC meeting the application of two authorized agents was not considered as the Parent unit was having another authorized agent registered under ATUFS.

Accordingly, a list of 26 manufacturing units having more than one Authorized Agent registered under ATUFS is placed below for taking a decision in the matter.

Decision Taken: The committee decided to maintain the status quo of the units as already registered as Authorized Agents under ATUFS earlier. However ITC was of the opinion that a manufacturing unit should not be having more than one authorized agent registered under ATUFS.

However committee was also opined that as recommended earlier, authorized agents for only those manufacturers should be allowed, who does not sell their machines directly in the market.

Agenda No.8 : Queries raised by Powerloom Development Cell.

In the 15th TAMC meeting it was decided that in absence of manufacturer name on the machine and only the logo of manufacture is found on machine plate, the manufacturer should submit a note detailing their branding exercise, marketing practices and share their authentic logo. The internal Technical Committee (ITC) may then take a view on a case to case basis considering the

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explanation submitted by the manufacturer. Accordingly, Powerloom Development Cell has now submitted the clarifications received from M/s. Tulsi Polyweaves, Surat for the consideration of ITC.

Decision Taken: The Committee inobservance that on verification of the documents submitted by the PDC in r/o M/s. Tulsi Polyweaves, Surat, the manufacture has submitted the detailing their branding exercise, marketing practices and share their authentic logo. It is also observed that the logo is found on the Commercial invoice as well as photos of the machine plate submitted by the JIT are same. Hence, the Committee recommend the case may be consider for subsidy under 30% MMS RR-TUFS

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List of Machine Manufacturers placed before 10th Internal Technical Committee

File	Name of the unit	Indigenous	BUSINESS LICENCE Certificate of Incorporation	Udyog Aadhar	Aek from DIC	Underta king	Valid I.S.O	Sales figure	Eligible Textile Machine covered under which annexure of ATUFS	ISO Verification	Remark	Technical Committee Decision
1	C-56 M/s. Clean Combustion Private Limited Plot No. 701, Kerala G.I.D.C. Bavla, Ta. Dholka, Ahmedabad-382220, Gujarat, India	Indigenous	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-73	Verified		Recommended
2	S-58 M/s. Savio India Limited. S.F. No. 340, Tamaraikulam Post, Pollachi Taluk, Coimbatore- 642 109	Indigenous	Yes			Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-1-B-5	mat has been sent to issuing authority for authentication. 18/09/2020		Recommended subject to ISO verification. 18/09/2020
3	A-101 M/s. Amia Technical Pvt. Ltd. Kanchipuram. (Subsidiary Unit of M/s. Amia Company, Japan)	Indigenous	Yes			Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-3-D-7	Parent Company has submitted the Self Declaration certificate as per 14th TAMC decision	Parent unit has Already enlisted in Annexure-III Sr.No. 268	Call for Balance Sheet for proof of Subsidiary.

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1	I-22	M/s. Itsa s.p.a. Italy. Email info@itsa.it	Abroad	Yes		Yes	CE	Yes	MC-4-114			Recommended
2	K-29	M/s. KTK Lda, Portugal. Email. geral@ktk.pt	Abroad	Yes		Yes	CE	Yes	MC-2-28, MC-2-40, MC-2-76			Recommended

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List Agents for Machine Manufacturers placed before 10th Internal Technical Committee

Sl no.	File no.	Name of the authorized agent and its Parent machine manufacturer	Indigenons/Abroad	MoU for Subsidiary unit /Authorized Agent with % of commission	Remark	Technical Committee Decision
1	C-65	M/S. 75 ENERGEC SOLUTIONS LLP AHMEDABAD (AUTH. AGENT OF M/S. CANLAR MEKATRONIK SAN. VE TIC. A.S. TURKEY)	INDIGENOUS	YES 6%		Recommended
2	K-29	M/S. ANUSH TEXTILE SOLUTION TIRPUR (AUTH. AGENT OF M/S. KTK LDA, PORTUGAL)	INDIGENOUS	YES 15%		Recommended

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