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**Minutes of the 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Internal Technical Committee under Amended  
Technology Up gradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) held on 29.07.2021**

The 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Internal Technical Committee (ITC) under Amended Technology Up-gradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) was convened on 29.07.2021 at 11.30 Hrs. under the Chairmanship of Shri S. P. Verma, Joint Textile Commissioner (T) in the conference hall of the Office of the Textile Commissioner, Mumbai. The list of participants is attached as Annexure-I. The agenda points which were discussed and decisions taken thereof are as under:-

**Agenda No.1: Verification and recommendation of 17 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 17 proposals (Abroad - 4, Indigenous – 11 & Authorized agents – 2 ) received from Textile Machine Manufacturers/Authorized Agents for enlistment under ATUFS, were scrutinized by the Internal Technical Committee. Out of the said 17 proposals, 12 proposals (Abroad- 4 & Indigenous- 7 & Authorized agents -1) were recommended to the Textile Commissioner for her approval to upload the same on website of the Textile Commissioners Office (Attached herewith as Annexure-II). In respect of one authorized agent, it was decided to call for a declaration as to who will issue the invoice in respect of the machinery sold in India. The application of 4 units, where verification of in house capability to manufacture machines was done through video conference, were not recommended due to inadequate infrastructure of machine manufacturing.

**Agenda Point No. 2: Representation received from M/s. UV Hitech Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai for inclusion of Automatic / Semi Automatic Warehousing and automatic handling solution integrated with management software under TUFS.**

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Today the average size of spinning mills is over 100,000 spindles. Spindle rpm have jumped from 10000 rpm to 25000 rpm. Similarly, the present generation looms are running with a speed of 800 to 900 rpm. Under such situation, it has become imperative to adapt to storage and handling solutions that could match the productivity of modern machine. The system developed by M/s. UV Hitech Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai eliminates such process imbalances. The direct benefits of these systems are as under:

- The warehouses height could utilise a vertical height of 40 to 45 meters and thereby the mills could use vertical space for storage and handling of goods without damage either to the goods or packing material and at the same time utilise the retrieved space for production enhancement.
- Complete traceability of goods.
- Real time information of inventory
- Automatic multiple point entry and dispatch. High throughput of goods dispatch which is humanly impossible in a given time frame. The accurate, correct & timely dispatch influences KPI of the mill and provides customer satisfaction and better realisation.
- First In First Out (FIFO)
- Linking the warehouse management with your SAP/ERP
- Reduction in downgrades due to automatic handling of goods while storing / dispatch and transportation. Thus the system is well aligned with TUFs objective and foals

All the above factors will increase the overall efficiency of the plant in all spheres including productivity and quality.

**Decision Taken:** The Committee heard the presentation given by Shri Umesh Prasad, Director UV Hitech Pvt. Ltd and noted that the said technology is already covered under ATUFS under Annexure- MC-2 (Machinery for Processing of Fibre/Yarn/Fabric) at Sr. No. 83 i.e. Fully Automatic Material Handling Systems and one of the machinery manufacturer is also enlisted for this purpose on whose behalf presentation is made. Hence, no action is required to be taken as of now under ATUFS.

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**Agenda Point No. 3:** M/s. Arka International has submitted necessary documents for enlistment of their manufacturing company M/s. Inkcups, USA under ATUFS. The machinery manufacturer has claimed the manufacturing of the machine listed at MC-2-40. However, the machinery description as per undertaking is "PLC controlled fully automatic Pad Printing machine with pneumatic blanket control" whereas as per this office GR the description is "PLC controlled fully automatic flat bed printing machine with pneumatic blanket control". The unit has further informed that the Pad Printing machine is an alternative system for heat transfer label printing for Textiles / Garment Manufacture. The case is placed before ITC to decide on the eligibility of the said machines under ATUFS.

**Decision Taken:** The Committee opined that Computerised Label Printing Machine is already covered under ATUFS at MC-4-48, hence manufacturer may be asked to confirm the same and if agreed, then revised undertaking may be submitted by them for considering of their request for enlistment under ATUFS.

**Agenda Point No. 4 :** M/s. Premier Colorscan Instruments Private Ltd., Navi Mumbai have applied for enlistment as machinery manufacturer under ATUFS. They are manufacturing Computer Colour Matching Machine. However, instead of submitting a valid ISO 9001:2015 certificate as per the requirement under ATUFS, they have submitted IEC 17025:2017 and that to in the name of M/s. PCI Calibration and Testing Centre. This international ISO 17025 standards is applicable to all or any laboratory regardless of size or the extent of the scope of testing and calibration practices. It's employed by laboratories to develop their management system for quality, body and technical operations.

On inquiry, the unit has informed that M/s. Premier Colorscan Instruments Private Ltd., Navi Mumbai is a body incorporated under the Registrar of Company Mumbai and M/s. PCI Calibration and Testing Centre comes under M/s. Premier Colorscan Instruments Private Ltd. A declaration to this effect signed by the Board of Director of M/s. Premier Colorscan Instruments Private Ltd has been submitted to the ISO Accreditation body. They have further informed that they have adopted option 'A' of clause No. 8.1.2 as per requirement of standard of IS/ISO/IEC 17025:2017, for management systems requirement and they have properly addressed to all the

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clauses pertaining to management system of documents, control of management system documents, control of records, action to address risk and opportunities, improvements, corrective actions, internal audits and management review as required in ISO 9001.

**Decision Taken:** The committee noted that the difference between ISO 17025:2017 and ISO 9001:2015 are due to the applicability of the standards. ISO 9001:2015 being applicable to all types of companies in all industries, whereas ISO 17025:2017 is more specific and detailed for testing and calibration laboratories. However, similarities are found in clause 8 of ISO 17025:2017 regarding management system requirements. The ISO 17025:2017 standard explains that an overall management system is necessary to ensure consistent functioning of a laboratory, and gives laboratories the option of addressing those requirements within an existing ISO 9001 management system or another quality standard. However, if a unit has not implemented ISO 9001, then there is a set of minimum QMS requirements that are needed for the ISO 17025:2017 standard. These minimum management requirements are very similar to those found in ISO 9001:2015, and include:

1. Management system documentation
2. Control of management system documents
3. Control of records
4. Actions to address risks and opportunities
5. Improvement
6. Corrective actions
7. Internal audits
8. Management reviews

In view of the above, ISO 17025:2017 certification may be accepted in lieu of ISO 9001:2015 certificate for testing equipment manufacturers only, subject to the approval of TAMC.





List of Machine Manufacturers placed before 23rd Internal Technical Committee

Sl. No.	File No.	Name of the unit	Indigenous	BUSINESS LICENCE			Undertaking	Valid I.S.O	Sales figure	Eligible Textile Machine covered under which annexure of ATUFS	ISO Verification	Remark	Technical Committee Decision
				Certificate of incorporation	Udyog Aadhar	Ack from DIC							
1	L-33	M/s. Lakshmi Precision Tools Limited. 504, Avinashi Road, Peelamedu Post, Coimbatore -641004.	Indigenous	-	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-1-11	Verified	All documents are in line. Hence, it may be considered	Recommended
2	B-53	M/s. Bluecare Systems Private Limited. 1st Floor D-114, Shopping center, Shashtri Nagar, Bhilwara 311001, Rajasthan.	Indigenous	-	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-9	Verified	All documents are in line. Hence, it may be considered	Recommended
3	G-49	M/s. G.D. Industries. A/16/1, Mahalaxmi Estate, Nr. Kiran Industries, Phase-1, Vatva, G.I.D.C. Ahmedabad-382445	Indigenous	-	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-03-h-14	Verified	All documents are in line. Hence, it may be considered	Recommended for PLC based Lamination Machine without Extruder
4	A-72	M/s. Avinash Texpro Engineers Plot No.76, Shree Ramdev Industries Estate, Laskana, Surat-394180, Gujarat	Indigenous	-	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-1-B-5	Verified	All documents are in line. Hence, it may be considered	Recommended

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Sl. no.	File no.	Name of the unit	Abroad	Embassy Certificate	BUSINESS LICENCE	Undertaking	Valid I.S.O/CE self declaration	Sales figure	Eligible Textile Machine covered under which annexure of ATUFS	ISO Verification	Whether as per direction of 18th TAMC, i.e., Embassy Certificate was routed through MoFA of concern country?	Remark	Technical Committee Decision
1	L-34	M/s. Lasser AG. Switzerland. Email. sales@lasser.ch	Abroad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-4-47	CE	Yes	All documents are in line. Hence, it may be considered	Recommended
2	B-49	M/s. Busi Giovanni S.r.l. Italy. Email. busi@busigiovanni.com	Abroad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-1-C-2	CE	Yes	Subject to receipt of original Undertaking which is in transit.	Recommended
3	F-36	M/s. Fung Chang Industrial Co., Ltd. Taiwan. Email. sales@fungchang.com.tw	Abroad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-1-(A)-B-4, MC-1-C-4, MC-3-D-5, MC-3-D-6	Verified	Yes	All documents are in line may be considered	Recommended
4	B-2	<b>Parent Unit:</b> M/s. Brother Industries Ltd. Japan. (Manufacturing unit)	Abroad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-4-1, MC-4-2, MC-4-5, MC-4-6, MC-4-7, MC-4-8, MC-4-9, MC-4-10, MC-4-11, MC-4-17, MC-4-50	Verified	Yes	All documents are in line may be considered	Recommended
		<b>Subsidiary units:</b> M/s. Brother Machinery Xian Co., Ltd. China (Manufacturing unit)	Abroad	-	Yes	-	Yes	Yes		Verified			
		<b>Subsidiary units:</b> M/s. Brother Machinery Vietnam Co., Ltd. Vietnam (Manufacturing unit)	Abroad	-	Yes	-	Yes	Yes		Verified			
		<b>Subsidiary units:</b> M/s. Brother Machinery (Asia) Limited. Hong Kong (Sales Office)	Abroad	In evidence to enlistment of subsidiary unit, M/s. Brother Industries Ltd., Japan have submitted the consolidated financial statement for F.Y. 2020 of Brother Group which is having all their consolidated subsidiary units.									
		<b>Subsidiary units:</b> M/s. Brother International Singapore PTE Ltd. Singapore (Sales Office)	Abroad										

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**List Of Authorized Agents for Machine Manufacturers placed before 23rd Internal Technical Committee**

Sl no.	File no.	Name of the authorized agent and its Parent machine manufacturer	Indigenous/ Abroad	MoU for Subsidiary unit /Authorized Agent with % of commission	Remark	Technical Committee Decision
1	D-20	M/s. DDC Print Vision LLP, Andheri, Mumbai. (Auth. Agent of M/s. Digital Graphics Incorporation, Korea)	Indigenous	Yes 10%	Parent unit enlisted in Sr.No.143 Annex-III	Recommended
2	G-1	M/s. IIGM Pvt Ltd. Hong Kong. (Auth. Agent of M/s. Gerber Technology LLC. USA)	Abroad	Yes 5%	Already IIGM New Delhi has been enlisted as authorized agent of M/s. Gerber Technology LLP, USA at Sr.No.413 of Annexure-III, and now applied for IIGM Pvt Ltd., Hong Kong.	Declaration has to taken as to who will do the billing to be called for.

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**List of Video Conference of Machine Manufacturers placed before 23rd Internal Technical Committee**

File no.	Name of the unit	Indigenous	Certificate of incorporation	Udyog Aadhar	Ack from DIC	Under taking	Valid I.S.O figure	Eligible Textile Machine covered under which annexure of ATUFS	ISO Verification	In which ITC referred to call for Representation	Technical Committee Decision
1	C-1 M/s. Chandan Steel Ltd. Shed No. J-11, 12, 13, G.I.D.C. Umbergaon, Valsad - 396 171, Gujarat	Indigenous	Yes	-	-	Yes	Yes	MC-2-59, MC-3-f-2, MC-2-38	Verified	As per 21st ITC decision, it was deferred to next meeting for verification through Video Conference	Not Recommended as unit is not having sufficient infrastructure
2	V-23 M/s. Vee Kay Enterprises. 5/7, Kirti Nagar Industrial Area, New Delhi-110015	Indigenous	-	Yes	-	Yes	Yes	MC-2-48	Verified	As per 21st ITC decision, it was deferred to next meeting for verification through Video Conference	Not Recommended as unit is not having sufficient infrastructure
3	R-59 M/s. Ramkrupa Engineering. Plot No. A-8, T.V. Compound, Road No.6, New Estate, Udhna, Surat-	Indigenous	-	Udyog/ (Udyam Certificate)	-	Yes	Yes	MC-1-A-7, MC-1-B-5	Verified	As per 20th ITC decision, it was deferred to next meeting for verification through Video Conference	Recommended for TFO only.
4	S-196 M/s. Shree Ram Electronics. Plot No.1011, Road No.87, Sachine G.I.D.C. Surat - 394230, Gujarat.	Indigenous	-	Udyam Aadhar	-	Yes	Yes	MC-1-A-1, MC-1-A-7	Verified	As per 22nd ITC decision, it was recommended only for Elec. Jacquard and for Rapier loom, verification can be done via Video Conferencing & Copy of Invoice to be called alongwith customer list for Rapier Loom. Unit have submitted the copy of invoices.	Not Recommended for Rapier Looms
5	S-63 M/s. Sigma Auto Tex. 1482, xxx-B, Shergpur, Kalan, Focal Point Road, Ludhiana - 141 010 Punjab	Indigenous	-	Yes	-	Yes	Yes	MC-2-77	Verified	As per 22nd ITC decided, verification may be done via Video Conferencing	Recommended
6	F-39 M/s. Fabri Print. Plot no.30/39, Shiv Bhumi 3 Estate, Gatrad-Bakrol Road, Daskoi, Ahmedabad -	Indigenous	-	Yes	-	Yes	Yes	MC-2-40	Verified	As per 22nd ITC decision, it was referred to verification through Video Conference	Not Recommended as unit is not having sufficient infrastructure
7	A-51 M/s. Ami Water Management Plot No. 121, Ramdev Residency, Tatithaiya Palsana, Surat - 394 305, Gujarat	Indigenous	-	Udyam Aadhar	-	Yes	Yes	MC-01-b-9	Verified	As per the preliminary visit report submitted by PSC, Surat there is no firm by the name of Ami Water Management, it was not recommended by 6th ITC. Now, unit has submitted fresh application with required documents which are in line. Accordingly, 22nd ITC has decided to verification may be done via Video Conferencing.	Recommended

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