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**Minutes of the 26th meeting of the Internal Technical Committee under Amended
Technology Up gradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) held on 09.09.2021**

The 26th meeting of the Internal Technical Committee (ITC) under Amended Technology Up-gradation Fund Scheme (ATUFS) was convened on 09.09.2021 from 11.30 A.M. 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 11 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 11 proposals (Abroad - 3, Indigenous – 8) received from Textile Machine Manufacturers/Authorized Agents for enlistment under ATUFS, were scrutinized by the Internal Technical Committee. Out of the said 11 proposals, 3 proposals (Abroad- 1 & Indigenous- 2) 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). The application of 2 unit, where verification of in house capability to manufacture machine was done through video conference, was not recommended due to one of the manufacturer being newly incorporated and the other having inadequate infrastructure for machine manufacturing. Another indigenous unit was not recommended as it was newly incorporated for manufacturing of machinery. One aboard unit was also not recommended as its business license was for manufacturing stainless steel parts and not textile machinery. In respect of 2 (Two) indigenous unit, it was decided to verify their manufacturing capability through video conferencing, and for another indigenous units, it was decided to wait for the feedback from the remaining clients of the unit. In respect of one aboard unit, it was decided to call for the Memorandum of Association to ascertain their date of incorporation.

Agenda Point No. 2: In the 25th ITC meeting a representation received from M/s. Gujtex Engineering Company, a manufacturer of PLC Based Husk / Oil / Gas Fired Boiler with Automatic Control on combustion Efficiency was discussed and a decision was taken that “As from the documents submitted by M/s. Gujtex Engineering Company, the Boiler manufactured by them was concluded without PLC control, O2 Monitoring Equipments, Electrostatic precipitator and Micro dust collector. Hence, the committee did not consider their request to enlist as they were not manufacturing benchmarked technology machinery as specified in ATUFS.”

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In their representation, the unit has also alleged that some of their competitors manufacturing the same products are already enlisted under ATUFS. As such the Textile Commissioner has directed the ITC to review the enlistment of the following 5 manufacturers of similar machinery, enlisted prior to the formation of Internal Technical Committee, to ensure that they are manufacturing benchmarked technology machinery as specified in ATUFS.

1. M/s. Heatex Industries Limited, Surat
2. M/s. Thermax Limited, Pune
3. M/s. Cheema Boiler Ltd., Mumbai
4. M/s. Misra Boiler Pvt. Ltd., Ludhiana
5. M/s. Maxima Boilers Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai

Decision Taken: The Committee scrutinized the technical literature and other documents submitted by the above manufacturers for getting them enlisted under ATUFS. On going through the documents, it was observed that M/s. Thermax Limited, Pune has not submitted the technical literature for the boiler manufactured by them. Accordingly the committee requested that the same may be called for from the unit. The technical literatures of the other four units were scrutinized and it was observed by the committee that as per the literature available on records related to remaining four manufacturers was not found in conformity of the specification for boiler as specified in ATUFS.

In view of the above, the committee decided to call the details from these 4 (four) units namely M/s. Heatex Industries Limited, Surat, M/s. Cheema Boiler Ltd., Mumbai, M/s. Misra Boiler Pvt. Ltd., Ludhiana and M/s. Maxima Boilers Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai in respect of boilers being supplied by them and explanation whether boiler being manufactured by them, are qualifying all specification as prescribed under ATUFS. The committee also directed to call for technical literature from M/s. Thermax Ltd., Pune and details of the subsidy claims submitted to this office in respect of the boilers manufactured by these five manufacturers may be obtained from ATUFS Cell. The said details obtained from ATUFS Cell is attached herewith as Annexure-III

Agenda Point No. 3: Representation received from M/s. Grindwell Norton Limited, Mumbai

M/s. Grindwell Norton a majority owned subsidiary of Saint-Gobain has requested to include "Complete production line forming production of Non-Woven abrasive wadding up to packing" under 'H' head (Finishing machines for Non-Woven) of MC-3.

The unit is investing in a New Nonwoven Line in Bangalore to manufacture 'Non-woven abrasive wadding's' at an estimated cost of 60 crore. The process of abrasive wadding has certain additional process to create value addition in products based on specific applications. It involves opening of fibres, web formation, needle punching of web, coating of abrasive carries over the needle punched web, drying, dip coating with suitable abrasives depending on end use, drying, cutting to the required size/shape and packing. They will be installing the following equipments for the new line:

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1. Needle punch nonwoven line including 3 openers, one fine opener, 1 web former, spray system and multi-layer oven with winding systems.
2. Finishing line with PLC based mangle (Roll Coater), spray system, Multi chamber Oven with winders at the last stage.
3. Slitting machines, sensors, machine for packaging and inspection tools.

Decision Taken: The committee after going through the application decided to call for the clarification from the unit as to whether they are going to install the complete line for manufacturing "Non-woven abrasive waddings" from one supplier or are they going to purchase the components of the line separately from different manufacturers. The committee also decided to call for the technical literature/ brochure of the machines manufactured by the two machinery manufactures mentioned by the unit from whom they will be purchasing the said machinery.

Agenda Point No. 4: Application received from M/s. Juki India Private Ltd, Bangalore for enlistment as manufacturers of 'JIN' Brand Sewing & Cutting Machines.

M/s. Juki India Private Ltd earlier enlisted in the Indicative List of Machinery Manufacturer under ATUFS, Annexure-I and II have applied for restoration of their name under Annexure-III. They have informed that they have registered the JIN trademark and selling industrial sewing machines, power driven cloth cutting machines etc under the said brand name. However, these machines are manufactured under consignment contract with the following manufacturing units:

1. Zhejiang Maqui Sewing Machine Company Ltd., China
2. Taizhou Phlps Sewing Machine Co., Ltd., China
3. Skyknit Equipment Company, India

In view of the above, can a manufacturer, who is not manufacturing the machine, but getting it outsourced from other manufacturers be enlisted under ATUFS and if so whether the manufacturing units should also be enlisted along with M/s. Juki India Private Ltd?

Decision Taken: The committee after going through the request of the unit noted that M/s. Juki India Private Ltd., Bangalore was getting the machines under consignment contract from different manufacturers and since only those units which are actually manufacturing benchmarked quality textile machinery, can be enlisted under ATUFS, the committee decided to not enlist M/s. Juki India Private Ltd., Bangalore as manufacturers of 'JIN' Brand Sewing & Cutting Machines under ATUFS.

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List of Machine Manufacturers placed before 26th Internal Technical Committee

Sl. File No.	Name of the unit	Indigenous	BUSINESS LICENCE			Under taking	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	P-72 M/s. Parama Texmach Pvt Ltd. L2117, Sachin, GIDC, Surat, Gujarat -394230	Indigenous	Yes	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-7, MC-2-24, MC-2-41, MC-2-42, MC-2-56, MC-2-75	Verified	The unit has submitted the sales figure for only the last six months. Hence, TTC may take a view on consideration	Not Recommended as the unit is newly incorporated and they have submitted sales figure of 6 months only
2	P-73 M/s. P Mech Engineers. Plot No C1-6229, Sachin GIDC Road No-62, Sachin, Surat-394230, Gujarat	Indigenous	-	Udyog Aadhar	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-47	Verified	All documents are in line, Hence, TTC may take a view on consideration	The Committee decided to carry out Video Conference of the unit to ascertain their manufacturing capacity.
3	T-66 M/s. Technotex Engineering Plot No.99, Tirthboomi IND. Park, Gattad to Bakrol Road, Bakrol Bujrang, Daskoi, Ahmedabad-382 430 Gujarat	Indigenous	-	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-40	Verified	The unit has submitted the sales figure for only the last one year. Hence, TTC may take a view on consideration	The Committee decided to carry out Video Conference of the unit to ascertain their manufacturing capacity.
4	A-22 M/s. Almac Laser Pvt. Ltd. Plot No.50, Baroda Co-Operative Industrial Estate, Dharamsinh Desai Road, Near T.P 13 Water, Tank, Vadodara, Gujarat 390024	Indigenous	-	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-1-10, MC-2-20, MC-2-30, MC-2-31, MC-2-66, MC-2-68, MC-2-71, MC-2-83, MC-3-0-17, MC-4-45, MC-4-82	Verified	The application was rejected as per 4th IMSC decision, and now the unit again submitted all fresh required documents. Hence, TTC may take a view on consideration	Recommended for MC-4-82, MC-1-10, MC-2-31, MC-2-71, MC-2-66 , MC-4-45.
5	R-5 M/s. Raj Industries. Plot No.6316, Road No. 62, GIDC Sachin, Dist. Surat -394 230. Gujarat.	Indigenous	-	Yes	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-42, MC-2-41, MC-2-53, MC-2-5, MC-2-39, MC-2-24, MC-2-22, MC-2-8	Verified	As per 17th TTC decided to obtain client feedback of machine and performance. Accordingly, two clients are submitted their feedback as good alongwith commercial invoice. Hence, TTC may take a view on consideration	The Committee decided to await the feedback from the remaining clients of the unit.

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Sl. File no.	Name of the unit	Abroad	Embassy Certificate	BUSINESS LICENCE	Undertaking	Valid I.S.O/C 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	M/s. Lianyungang Runian Industrial Co Ltd. China	Abroad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-10, MC-2-30, MC-2-59, MC-2-62, MC-2-66, MC-2-70, MC-2-77	Verified	Yes	Ministry of External Affairs, Republic of China has certified the Business Licence of the applicant machine manufacturer, which is seen by Indian Embassy. The 18th TAMC has decided to consider such documents. Hence the TTC also considers it as eligible.	The 19th TTC decided to defer the matter for English translation of the Business Licence. Accordingly, it was translated and found to be in order.	Not Recommended as the Business Licence is for manufacturing stainless steel parts and machinery and not textile machinery.
2	M/s. Ultrajet Engineering SDN BHD. Malaysia Email: info@ultrajet.com.my	Abroad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-48, MC-2-49, MC-2-46	Verified	Yes	Embassy certificate issued by the High Commission of India, Kuala Lumpur.	The application was rejected for non submission of document as per 4th IMSC decision, and now the unit again submitted all fresh required documents. Hence, it may be considered	The committee decided to call for Memorandum of Articles and other documents because as per Business Licence the unit is incorporated in December 2020 only.
3	M/s. Anchor Machinery Co. Ltd Taiwan Email: anchorpe@hotmail.com	Abroad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-3-e-9	Verified	Yes	Ministry of External Affairs, Taipei has certified the Business Licence of the applicant machine manufacturer, which is seen by Indian Embassy. The 18th TAMC has decided to consider such documents. Hence the TTC also considers it as eligible.	The 12th TTC decided to call for the business license of the unit. Accordingly, unit has now submitted the business license. Hence, TTC may take view on consideration.	Recommended

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List of Video Conference of Machine Manufacturers placed before 26th Internal Technical Committee

Sr. No.	File	Name of the unit	Indigenous	Certificate of incorporation	Udyog Aadhar	Ack from DIC	Undertaking	Valid I.S.O	Sales figure	Eligible Textile Machine covered under which annexure of ATUFS	ISO Verification	In which ITC referred to call for Representation	Technical Committee Decision
1	E-21	M/s. Elex International B-XXIII-1706/7, Link Road, Industrial Area-A, Near Cheema Chowk, Ludhiana-141 003, Punjab	Indigenous	-	Udyog Aadhar	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-04-38, MC-04-71	Verified	As per 24th ITC decision, online verification is to be done	Recommended
2	C-52	M/s. Chamunda Enterprise 44, Shree Hari Estate, Above Mahadev Estate Nr Ramol, Police Station, CTM, Ramol, Ahmedabad	Indigenous	-	Udyog Aadhar	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-2-7, MC-2-8, MC-2-15, MC-2-23, MC-2-25	Verified	The 25th ITC decided to do a video conference to ascertain the manufacturing capability of the unit. The unit was also be asked to submit the latest sales figure which is yet to be submitted	Not Recommended as the unit is not manufacturing benchmarked technology machines (PLC not found).
3	E-11	M/s. Eagle Engineering 70, Mahatma Industrial Estate, Kapodra, Surat-395006, Gujarat	Indigenous	-	Udyam Certificate	-	Yes	Yes	Yes	MC-1-B-5	Verified	All documents are in line; Hence, ITC may take a view on consideration	Not Recommended as the unit is newly incorporated.

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