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## PRESS NOTE

Sub: Registration of Independent Ginning Factories, Independent Pressing Factories, Cotton Ginning & Pressing Factories, Cotton Traders, Surgical Cotton or Cotton Wadding manufacturing units in terms of the Notification No.S.O.786 (E) dated 27<sup>th</sup> Feb, 2013 of Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India.

It is hereby informed that the Office of the Textile Commissioner, Mumbai has developed a web based online system for filing of Registration form by the Independent Ginning factories, Independent Pressing factories, Cotton Ginning & Pressing factories, Cotton Traders and Surgical Cotton or Cotton Wadding manufacturing units. The concerned Units/ Traders shall register with Office of Textile Commissioner in terms of notification No. 786 (E) dated 27th Feb, 2013 of Ministry of Textiles, Govt. of India by visiting the website http://www.txcindia.gov.in and then following the heading "Collection of Statistics on Cotton" and accessing the link "Online Registration of Units/ Cotton Traders". After submission of online applications, the units/ cotton traders have to submit the hard copy of online registration application duly signed to the concerned Regional office of Textile Commissioner.

This online system will be operational with effect from 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2013. On commencement of the online system, all the concerned Units/ Traders can complete the Registration process by submitting their particulars on-line in the website of the Office of Textile Commissioner. The Units/ Traders who had already submitted application for registration physically/ by post, shall not be required to register through the web based online system once again. The Registration Number for these Units/ Traders will be communicated shortly.

The Guidelines for filing the application for Registration of the Units/ Cotton Traders are available on the website http://www.txcindia.gov.in, under the heading "Collection of Statistics on Cotton" under the link "Guidelines for Online Registration".

The development of online web based system for submission of monthly returns is in progress. The date of commencement of online web based system for submission of monthly returns will be informed shortly.

For any queries/details, the Units/Trade may contact concerned Officer In-charge of Regional Office of the Textile Commissioner.

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