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Ministry of Steel  
Government of India  
Technical Division

GPOA-3, Netaji Nagar, New Delhi  
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ORDER

In continuation to this Ministry's Order of even number dated 20.11.2025 and in pursuance to the decision taken by the Competent Authority, the ITC-HS Codes mentioned in **Annexure I** are exempted from mandatory compliance of QCO issued by Government of India.

2. The mandatory adherence requirement of QCO for the aforesaid ITC-HS Codes shall be exempted for imports of steel products with Bill of lading having shipped on board date on or before 30.06.2026.



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## Annexure I

IS_Standards	IS_Standards	Description	ITC_HS_CODE
1	IS 10325:2000	Square Tins – 15 kg/litre For Ghee, Vanaspati, Edible Oils and Bakery Shortenings	73102110
			73102910
2	IS 1161: 2014	Steel Tubes For Structural Purposes — Specification	73043119
			73043129
			73043139
			73043919
			73043929
			73043939
			73045910
			73045920
			73045930
			73049000
			73053190
			73053990
			73059099
3	IS 1239 (Part-1): 2004	Steel Tubes, Tubulars And Other Wrought Steel Fittings -- Specification Part 1 Steel Tubes	73043119
			73043129
			73043919
			73043929
			73049000
			73063090
			73069019
4	IS 13997:2014	Drums, Large Open Top	73101090
			73101090
5	IS 14756 : 2024	Stainless Steel Utensils - Specification	73239310
			73239390
6	IS 15155 : 2020	Bar or wire Wrapped Steel Cylinder Products Pipes with Mortar Lining and Coating Including Specials - specifications	73053190
			73053990
			73059099
			73063090
			73069090
			73079190
			73079290
73079390			
73079990			
7	IS 1783 (Part 1) :2014	Drums, Large, Fixed Ends, Grade 'A' Drums	73101090
8	IS 1783 (Part 2) :2014	Drums, Large, Fixed ends, Grade 'B' Drums	73101090
9	IS 17875: 2022	Stainless Steel Seamless Pipes and Tubes for General Services — Specification	73044100
			73044900
10	IS 17876: 2022	Stainless Steel Welded pipes and tubes for general service	73053190
			73053990
			73064000
11	IS 2141:2005	Hot Dip Galvanized Stay Strand	73121030
			73129000

12	IS 2552:1989	Steel Drums (Galvanized and Ungalvanized)	73101090
			73102190
			73102990
13	IS 3575:1993	Bitumen Drums	73101090
14	IS 4270: 2001	Steel Tubes Used for Water Wells - Specification	73043119
			73043129
			73043139
			73044100
			73044900
			73045110
			73045120
			73045130
			73045910
			73045920
			73045930
			73049000
			73053190
			73053990
			73059099
73063090			
73064000			
73065000			
73069090			
15	IS 6913 : 1973	Stainless steel tubes for the food and beverage industry	73044100
			73044900
			73064000
16	IS 916:2000	Square Tins for Solid Products	73102110
			73102910