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Schedule 2 Export Policy

Section V, MINERAL PRODUCTS

Chapter 26 Ores, Slag And Ash.

Main Notes			
Sl.No.	Notes	Notification Date	Notification No
1	This Chapter does not cover: (a) slag or similar industrial waste prepared as macadam (heading 2517); (b) natural magnesium carbonate (magnesite), whether or not calcined (heading 2519); (c) sludges from the storage tanks of petroleum oils, consisting mainly of such oils (2710); (d) basic slag of Chapter 31; (e) slag wool, rock wool or similar mineral wools (heading 6806); (f) waste or scrap of precious metal or of metal clad with precious metal; other waste or scrap containing precious metal or precious metal compounds, of a kind used principally for the recovery of precious metal (heading 7112 or 8549); or (g) copper, nickel or cobalt mattes produced by any process of smelting (Section XV).		
2	For the purposes of headings 2601 to 2617, the term "ores" means minerals of mineralogical species actually used in the metallurgical industry for the extraction of mercury, of the metals of heading 2844 or of the metals of Section XIV or XV, even if they are intended for nonmetallurgical purposes. Headings 2601 to 2617 do not, however, include minerals which have been submitted to processes not normal to the metallurgical industry		
3	Heading 2620 applies only to: (a) slag, ash and residues of a kind used in industry either for the extraction of metals or as a basis for the manufacture of chemical compounds of metals, excluding ash and residues from the incineration of municipal waste (heading 2621); and (b) slag, ash and residues containing arsenic, whether or not containing metals, of a kind used either for the extraction of arsenic or metals or for the manufacture of their chemical compounds.		

Sub-Heading Notes			
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1	For the purposes of sub-heading 2620 21, "leaded gasoline sludges and leaded anti-knock compound sludges" mean sludges obtained from storage tanks of leaded gasoline and leaded anti-knock compounds (for example, tetraethyl lead), and consisting essentially of lead, lead compounds and iron oxide.		
2	Slag, ash and residues containing arsenic, mercury, thallium or their mixtures, of a kind used for the extraction of arsenic or those metals or for the manufacture of their chemical compounds, are to be classified in sub-heading 2620 60.		
Supplementary Notes			
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1	For the products of heading 2601, the percentage of Fe content, wherever specified, shall be calculated on the Dry Weight or Dry Metric Tonne (DMT) basis.		
Policy Condition			
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1	1. Exports of Iron ore other than those Specified under Free category can only be exported by STE. 2. Export of the following is Free:- (i) Iron ore of Goa origin when exported to China, Europe, Japan, South Korea and Taiwan, irrespective of the Fe content; (ii) Iron ore of Redi origin to all markets, irrespective of the Fe content; (iii) All iron ore of Fe content upto 64%		
2	Export authorization from Department of Atomic Energy would be required for export of items in Category-0(Nuclear materials, nuclear-related other materials, equipment and technology) of SCOMET.		

Export Licensing Notes			
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1	Rare Earth compounds are freely exportable, but rare earth phosphates, which contain uranium and thorium are prescribed substances and are controlled as per provisions of Atomic Energy Act, 1962 .		
2	Other minerals under code 2617 are freely exportable, except those which have been notified as prescribed substances and controlled under Atomic Energy Act, 1962.		

Product Description and Export Policy					
Itc(hs) Code.	Description	Export Policy	Policy Condition		
2601	Iron ores and concentrates, including roasted iron pyrites.				
260111	Iron ores and concentrates, other than roasted iron pyrites : -- Non-agglomerated				
26011111	60percent Fe or more but below 62percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011112	62percent Fe or more but below 65percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011119	65percent Fe and above	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011121	Iron ore lumps (below 60percent Fe, including black iron ore containing up to 10percent Mn) ---- Iron ore lumps below 55percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011122	Iron ore lumps (below 60percent Fe, including black iron ore containing up to 10percent Mn) ---- Iron ore lumps 55percent Fe or more but below 58 percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011129	Iron ore lumps (below 60percent Fe, including black iron ore containing up to 10percent Mn) ---- 58 percent Fe or more	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		

	but below 60 percent Fe				
26011131	Iron ore fines (62percent Fe or more) --- 62percent Fe or more but below 65percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011139	Iron ore fines (62percent Fe or more) --- 65percent Fe and above	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011141	Iron ore Fines (below 62percent Fe) ---- below 55percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011142	Iron ore Fines (below 62percent Fe) ---- 55percent Fe or more but below 58percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011143	Iron ore Fines (below 62percent Fe) ---- 58percent Fe or more but below 60percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011149	Iron ore Fines (below 62percent Fe) ---- 60percent Fe or more but below 62percent Fe	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
26011150	Iron ore concentrates	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export of Iron ore concentrate prepared by beneficitation and/or concentration of low grade ore containing 40 percent or less of iron produced by Kudremukh Iron Ore Company Limited can be exported by STE- Kudremukh Iron Ore Company Limited,		

			Bangalore.		
26011190	Others	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Subject to Policy Condition 1 of the Chapter.		
260112	Iron ores and concentrates, other than roasted iron pyrites : -- Agglomerated				
26011210	Iron ore pellets	Free	Export of Iron ore pellets manufactured by Kudremukh Iron Ore Company Limited (KIOCL) to be exported by KIOCL Limited, Bangalore or any entity authorised by KIOCL Limited, Bangalore.	92(RE-2013)	26.09.2014
26011290	Other	Free	However, Export of Rejects of iron ore chips and like generated from the manufacturing process after using imported raw material is Free and subject to the following-- The quantity of export of such rejects shall not be more than 10% of the imported raw materials i.e. pellets The size of the rejected pellets chips (fines) shall be less than 6 mm		
26012000	Roasted iron pyrites				

2602	MANGANESE ORES AND CONCENTRATES, INCLUDING FERRUGINOUS MANGANESE ORES AND CONCENTRATES WITH A MANGANESE CONTENT OF 20% OR MORE, CALCULATED ON THE DRY WEIGHT				
260200	Manganese ores and concentrates, including ferruginous manganese ores and concentrates with a manganese content of 20percentor more, calculated on the dry weight.				
26020010	Manganese ore (46percent or more)	Restricted			
26020020	Manganese ore (44percent or more but below 46percent)	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Manganese Ore India Limited (MOIL) only.		
26020030	Manganese ore (40percent or more but below 44percent)	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Manganese Ore India Limited (MOIL) only.		
26020040	Manganese ore (35percent or more but below 40percent)	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Manganese Ore India Limited (MOIL) only.		
26020050	Manganese ore (30percent or more but below 35percent)	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Manganese Ore India Limited (MOIL) only.		
26020060	Ferruginous (10percent or more but below 30percent)	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Manganese Ore India Limited (MOIL) only.		
26020070	Manganese ore sinters, agglomerated	STE (State	Export is allowed through		

		Trading Enterprise)	Manganese Ore India Limited (MOIL) only.		
26020090	Other	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Manganese Ore India Limited (MOIL) only.		
26030000	Copper ores and concentrates	Free			
26040000	Nickel ores and concentrates	Free			
26050000	Cobalt ores and concentrates	Free			
2606	Aluminium ores and concentrates.				
260600	Aluminium ores and concentrates :				
26060010	Bauxite (natural), not calcined	Free			
26060020	Bauxite (natural), calcined	Free			
26060090	Other aluminium ores and concentrates	Free			
26070000	Lead ores and concentrates	Free			
26080000	Zinc ores and concentrates	Free			
26090000	Tin ores and concentrates.	Free			
2610	CHROMIUM ORES AND CONCENTRATES				
261000	Chromium ores and concentrates.				
26100010	Chrome ore lumps, containing 47percent Cr ₂ O ₃ and above	Restricted		13/2023	22.06.2023

26100020	Chrome ore lumps, containing 40percent or more but less than 47percent Cr ₂ O ₃	Restricted		13/2023	22.06.2023
26100030	Chrome ore lumps below 40percent Cr ₂ O ₃	Restricted		13/2023	22.06.2023
26100040	Chrome ore friable and concentrates fixes containing 47percent Cr ₂ O ₃ and above	Restricted		13/2023	22.06.2023
26100090	Other	Restricted		13/2023	22.06.2023
26110000	Tungsten ores and concentrates	Free			
2612	Uranium or thorium ores and concentrates.				
26121000	Uranium ores and concentrates	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
26122000	Thorium ores and concentrates	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
2613	Molybdenum ores and concentrates.				
26131000	Roasted	Free			
26139000	Other	Free			
2614	Titanium ores and concentrates.				
261400	Titanium ores and concentrates :				
26140010	Ilmenite, unprocessed	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
26140020	Ilmenite, upgraded (beneficiated ilmenite	STE (State	Export is allowed through		

	including ilmenite ground)	Trading Enterprise)	Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
26140031	Rutile: ---- Rare earth oxides including rutile sand	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
26140039	Rutile: ----Other	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
26140090	Other	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
2615	Niobium, tantalum, vanadium or zirconium ores and concentrates.				
26151000	Zirconium ores and concentrates	STE (State Trading Enterprise)	Export is allowed through Indian Rare Earths Limited (IREL) only.		
261590	Other				
26159010	Vanadium ores and concentrates	Free			
26159020	Niobium tantalum ores and concentrates	Free	Subject to Policy Condition 2 of the Chapter.		
2616	Precious metal ores and concentrates.				
26161000	Silver ores and concentrates	Free			
261690	Other				
26169010	Gold ores and concentrates	Free			

26169090	Other	Free			
2617	Other ores and concentrates.				
26171000	Antimony ores and concentrates	Free			
26179000	Other	Free			
26180000	Granulated slag (slag sand) from the manufacture of iron or steel	Free			
2619	Slag, dross (other than granulated slag), scalings and other waste from the manufacture of iron or steel.				
261900	Slag, dross (other than granulated slag), scalings and other waste from the manufacture of iron or steel :				
26190010	Converted slag (scull) of blast furnace	Free			
26190090	Other	Free			
2620	Slag, ash and residues (other than from the manufacture of iron or steel) containing metals, arsenic or their compounds.				
26201100	Containing mainly zinc : -- Hard zinc spelter	Free			
262019	Containing mainly zinc : -- Other				
26201910	Zinc dross	Free			
26201990	Other	Free			
26202100	Containing mainly lead : -- Leaded gasoline sludges and leaded anti-knock compound	Free			

	sludges				
262029	Containing mainly lead : -- Other				
26202910	Lead dross	Free			
26202990	Other	Free			
262030	Containing mainly copper				
26203010	Brass dross	Free			
26203090	Other	Free			
262040	Containing mainly aluminium				
26204010	Aluminum dross	Free			
26204090	Other	Free			
26206000	Containing arsenic, mercury, thallium or their mixtures, of a kind used for the extraction of arsenic or those metals or for the manufacture of their chemical compounds	Free			
26209100	Other : -- Containing antimony, beryllium, cadmium, chromium or their mixtures	Free	Subject to Policy Condition 2 of the Chapter.		
26209900	Other : --Other	Free			
2621	Other slag and ash, including seaweed ash (kelp); ash and residues from the incineration of municipal waste.				
26211000	Ash and residues from the incineration of	Free			

	municipal waste				
26219000	Other	Free			