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"Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs

New Delhi, Dated 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2005.

To  
Shri Harish Madan  
Federation of Corrugated Box Manufacturers of India  
138, Mittal Estate No. 3  
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### **Subject : Standard Units of Quantity – regarding**

Sir,


1. Please refer to your representation to Secretary Finance dated March 4, 2005 on units of measurement in the 8-digit Central Excise Tariff Schedule.
2. The Additional Note No. (3) to Central Excise Tariff Act 1985 is reproduced below for case of reference.

"In column (3), the standard unit of quantity as specified for each tariff item to facilitate the collection, comparison and analysis of trade statistics".

3. Thus, standard units of quantity for each tariff item have been specified to facilitate collection, comparison and analysis of trade statistics. The units of quantity are indicative and have not been made mandatory. It would be pertinent to mention here that exactly similar note exists in the 8 digit Customs Tariff also that is in existence since February, 2003. On customs side also it is not mandatory to declare the quantity in terms of the said units of quantity in the bill of entry/shipping bill.

Yours faithfully,  
Sd/-  
[Abhol Kumar Srivastav]  
Deputy Secretary (CX I)

**Copy forwarded for information to : All Members of the Association.**

  
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