

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS (PORT)
15/1, STRAND ROAD, CUSTOM HOUSE: KOLKATA-700 001.

PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 85/2017

It is notified for information of Importers, Exporters, Steamer Agents, Custom House Brokers and all concerned that M/s Central Warehousing Corporation, Container Freight Station, 18, Coal Dock Road, Kolkata-700088 was notified as "Customs Area" vide Public Notice No. 04/94 dated 05.01.1994 and was appointed as "Custodian" vide Public Notice No. 05/94 dated 05.01.1994 for (i) custodianship of containers, imported goods received in containers from Kolkata Port and the goods meant for export through Kolkata Port via their Container Freight Station and any other class of such goods lying in the CFS, (ii) custodianship of imported goods till cleared for home consumptions or in case of export cargo till the containers stuffed with export cargo and duly sealed by Customs are deposited to KoPT custody in the Dock.

Further, a Public Notice No.06/94 dated 05.01.1994 was issued regarding Procedures to be followed for Import/ Export Cargo and subsequently another Public Notice No. 91/94 dated 31.05.1994 was issued for an amendment of procedure for container movement to/ from the CFS. Later on, Public Notices Nos.03/2010 dated 04.02.2010 & 74/11 dated 30.12.2011, were issued for extension of areas of M/s Central Warehousing Corporation located at the northern side of the existing CFS.

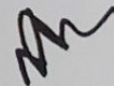
Now, after considering the request from M/s Central Warehousing Corporation, and reviewing their functions, in exercise of the power conferred to me under Section 45(1) of the Customs Act, 1962, I, Manish Chandra, Commissioner of Customs (Port), Custom House, Kolkata hereby extend the Custodianship of M/s Central Warehousing Corporation, Container Freight Station, 18, Coal Dock Road, Kolkata-700088, further for a period of 5 (Five) years with effect from the date of issuing this Public Notice.

Considering the volume of work, M/s Central Warehousing Corporation shall execute a Bond of Rs.**45 crore** (Rupees forty five crore only) with Commissioner of Customs (Port), Custom House, Kolkata or his authorized officer for the safety, storage and transshipment of Import/Export cargo at the said CFS. The Bond value shall however, be subject to satisfaction of the Commissioner of Customs (Port) or his authorized officer who will periodically review the performance of the Custodian. The existing insurance coverage submitted by M/s Central Warehousing Corporation shall

remain in force for the period of this extension. The Custodian is responsible for any loss arising on account of fire/ theft or other accidents.

All the conditions laid down in Public Notice No.06/94 dated 05.01.1994, Public Notice No. 91/94 dated 31.05.1994 and the procedures laid down in Public Notice No. 16/2011 dated 14.03.2011(Procedures to be followed by Container Freight Station) and in Public Notice No.73/2011 dated 26.12.2011(Procedure for movement of Imported Cargo in Containers from the Port to Container Freight Stations) and also the subsequent Public Notices Nos.45/2016 dated 31.05.2016(Doing away with endorsement & stamping on Custodian's Delivery Order) and 21/2017 dated 01.05.2017(Expansion of 24x7 Customs clearance and clarification of levy of MOT charges in CFSs attached to 24x7 Ports) issued shall be valid till further orders. However, working procedure will be reviewed from time to time and modified, if required. The applicant M/s Central Warehousing Corporation shall also follow the relevant rules and regulations.

The appointment of custodianship shall be reviewed after 5 (Five) years.



(MANISH CHANDRA)
Commissioner of Customs (Port)
Custom House, Kolkata.

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Dated: 15 .12.2017.