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Subject: Export Policy of Bio-fuels.

**S.O.** (E): In exercise of powers conferred by Section 3 of FT (D&R) Act, 1992, read with paragraph 1.02 and 2.01 of the Foreign Trade Policy, 2015-2020, as amended from time to time, the Central Government hereby amends the export policy of biofuels under Chapter 27 of ITC (HS), 2018, Schedule – 2 (Export Policy).

 New entries at Sl. No. 115A, 115B and 115C are inserted in Chapter 27 of Schedule 2 of ITC (HS) Classification of Export & Import Items as follows:

S.No.	Tariff Item HS Code	Unit	Item Description	Present Policy	Revised Policy	Policy Condition
115A	2207 20 00	Kg/u	Ethyl alcohol and other spirits, denatured, of any strength.	Free	Restricted	Export is permitted under license only for non-fuel purposes
115B	2710 20 00	Kg/u	Petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals (other than crude) and preparations not elsewhere specified or included, containing by weight 70% or more of petroleum oils or of oils obtained from bituminous minerals, these oils being the basic constituents of the preparations, containing biodiesel, other than waste oils.	Free	Restricted	Export is permitted under license only for non-fuel purposes
115C	3826 00 00	Kg/u	Biodiesel and mixtures thereof, not containing or containing less than 70 % by weight of petroleum oils and oils obtained from bituminous minerals.	Free	Restricted	Export is permitted under license only for non-fuel purposes

## 3. Effect of this Notification:

Export Policy of bio-fuels is revised from 'Free' to 'Restricted' as per the National Policy on Biofuels - 2018.

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