



# SCOMET Update: Issuance of New Appendices and Aayat Niryat Forms (ANF)

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Dear Reader,

We are writing to you with an important update concerning Special Chemicals, Organisms, Materials, Equipment, and Technologies (SCOMET) items.

<b>Background</b>	The Government of India maintains a list of SCOMET items i.e., dual-use items having the potential for both civil/industrial application as well as weapons of mass destruction. Currently, the said list organizes the SCOMET items under eight (8) categories. The export of these items is prohibited or permitted under an authorization unless specifically exempted.
<b>Scope of Public Notice</b>	On April 26, 2023, the Government of India, vide Public Notice No. 10/2023 notified new Appendices and ANF forms for the submission of applications seeking authorization to export SCOMET items from India. This is pursuant to the new Foreign Trade Policy 2023 unveiled by the Government of India on March 31, 2023 for ease of doing business. The relevant Public Notice is available <a href="#">here</a> and the new Appendices and ANF forms are available <a href="#">here</a> .
<b>Next Steps</b>	To obtain authorization to export the SCOMET items, the exporters would need to submit an application in the new format of Appendices and ANF (as applicable) to the Directorate General of Foreign Trade ( <b>DGFT</b> ). The procedure to file the said application is laid down under the Foreign Trade Procedure, which is available <a href="#">here</a> .

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