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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE

NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 23rd March 1966

S.O. 963.—Whereas the Central Government is of opinion that in exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 (22 of 1963), the rubber belts mentioned in Annexure I to this notification should be subject to inspection prior to export;

And whereas the Central Government has formulated the proposals specified below for the said purpose and has forwarded the same to the Export Inspection Council as required by sub-rule (2) of rule 11 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Rules, 1964;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the said sub-rule, the Central Government publishes the said proposals for the information of the public likely to be affected thereby.

2. Notice is hereby given that any person desiring to forward any objection or suggestion with respect to the said proposals may forward the same within thirty days of the date of publication of this notification to the Export Inspection Council, World Trade Centre, 14/1-B, Ezra Street, 7th Floor, Calcutta-1.

Proposals

- (1) To notify that the said rubber belts shall be subject to inspection prior to export:
- (2) To specify the type of inspection in accordance with the draft Export of Rubber Belts (Inspection) Rules, 1966 set out in Annexure III to this notification as the type of inspection which would be applied to such rubber belts:

- (3) To recognise the specifications as specified in Annexure II to this notification as the standard specifications for rubber belts;
- (4) To prohibit the export, in the course of international trade, of any of the aforesaid rubber belts unless the same is accompanied by a certificate issued by an agency recognised by the Central Government under section 7 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 (22 of 1963) to the effect that the rubber belts are export-worthy.

3. Nothing in this notification shall apply to the export by land, sea or air of samples of rubber belts to prospective buyers.

4. In this notification 'rubber belts' shall mean rubber belts of either category specified in Annexure I to this notification, made of fabric or cord or both treated with rubber or rubber-like compounds and used for power transmission.

ANNEXURE I

1. V-Belts.
2. Fan-Belts.

ANNEXURE II

Specification for V-Belt

1. Construction:

1.1. **Material.**—The V-belt shall consist of fabric or cord or both treated with rubber or rubber-like compounds, the whole being moulded together in a uniform manner and shape.

1.2. **Finish.**—The surface of the finished belt shall be so impregnated with the rubber or compound that the internal structure of the belt will not be adversely affected by moisture under normal operating conditions.

2. Requirements:

2.1. **Dimensions.**—The nominal cross-sectional dimensions, (i.e. top width and thickness) will be as follows:

Type	Nominal top width	Nominal Thickness
A	13 mm	8 mm
B	17 mm	11 mm
C	22 mm	14 mm
D	32 mm	19 mm
E	38 mm	25 mm

2.2. **Tolerance and Tension.**—The tolerance and tension when measuring for new V-belt on pulley shall be as follows:

Type	Total Tension on belt (Kg.)	Position of top surface of belt with respect to top pulley groove	Minimum clearance at bottom of groove
A	23	+1.6—1.6 mm	2.4 mm
B	29	+1.6—1.6 mm	3.2 mm
C	75	+1.2—2.0 mm	4.0 mm
D	136	+0.8—3.2 mm	4.8 mm
E	181	+0.8—3.2 mm	6.4 mm

3. Marking:

3.1. Each belt shall be indelibly marked with the manufacturer's name, trade mark, if any and the manufacturer's identifying code.

ANNEXURE III

Draft rules proposed to be made under section 17 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963

1. Short title and commencement.—(1) These rules may be called the Export of Rubber Belts (Inspection) Rules, 1966.

(2) They shall come into force on 1st May, 1966.

2. Definition.—In these rules, "rubber belts" mean V-Belt or fan-belts made of fabric or cord or both, treated with rubber or rubber-like compounds and used for power transmission.

3. Basis of inspection.—Inspection of rubber belts for export shall be carried out with a view to seeing that rubber belts conform to the specifications recognised by the Central Government under section 6 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 (22 of 1963), or as the case may be, any other stipulations stipulated in the export contract.

4. Procedure of inspection.—(1) An exporter intending to export rubber belts shall give intimation in writing of his intention so to do and submit along with such intimation a declaration of the specifications, stipulated in the contract relating to such export, to any one of the inspection agencies (hereinafter referred to as the Agency) recognised under section 7 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 to enable it to carry out the inspection in accordance with rule 3.

(2) Every intimation and declaration under sub-rule (1) shall be given not less than fifteen days before the expected date of commencement of loading.

(3) On receipt of intimation and declaration under sub-rule (2), the Agency shall inspect the consignment of rubber belts with a view to seeing that the same conforms to the specifications recognised under section 6 of the Export (Quality Control and Inspection) Act, 1963 or, as the case may be, any other stipulations stipulated in the Export Contract.

(4) If after inspection, the Agency is satisfied that the consignment of rubber belts to be exported, complies with the requirements of rule 3, it shall, within fifteen days of the receipt of intimation and declaration under sub-rule (2), issue a certificate to the exporter declaring the consignment to be export-worthy.

5. Place of inspection—Every inspection under these rules shall be carried out either—

(a) at the premises of the manufacturer of such products, or

(b) at the premises at which the goods are offered by the exporter provided adequate facilities for the purpose exist therein.

6. Inspection fee.—Subject to a minimum of Rs. 75 for each consignment, a fee at the rate of twenty paise for every one hundred rupees of invoice value of each such consignment shall be paid as inspection fee under these rules.

7. Appeal.—(1) Any person aggrieved by the refusal of the Agency to issue a certificate under sub-rule (4) of rule 4 may, within ten days of receipt of communication of such refusal by him, prefer an appeal to a panel of experts consisting of not less than three persons appointed for the purpose by the Central Government.

(2) The decision of the panel on such appeal shall be final.

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