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Government of India
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology

Dated: 23rd December, 2016

CIRCULAR No.2 of 2016

Subject: Implementation of clarification on Server/Storage Power Supplies – Regarding.

Whereas Govt. of India, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MeitY), had mandated Compulsory Registration for 15 electronic items vide “Electronics and IT Goods (Requirement of Compulsory Registration) Order, 2012” (hereinafter called the Order) notified in the Gazette of India vide S.O. No. 2357(E) dated 03.10.2012 and,

Whereas it has further included fifteen more products including Power Adaptors to the Schedule of “Electronics and IT Goods (Requirement of Compulsory Registration) Order, 2012” vide S.O. No. 2905(E) published in Gazette of India on 13th Nov. 2014 and,

Whereas this Ministry has clarified vide Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) on 23rd December, 2015, that power supplies for servers/storage stand covered under the definition of power adaptors and,

Whereas the date of coming into effect of the power supplies for server/storage devices was extended till 31st December 2016 vide Circular No.1 of 2016 dated 08th September, 2016.

It has been brought to the notice of this Ministry that the industry is working to comply with the deadline of 31st December 2016 for detachable power supplies for server/storage but in view of the large volume of products to be covered under registration, the industry has sought time to comply with the provisions of the Order. Taking cognizance of the same, the implementation of the clarification issued vide FAQ no. 42 (Part II) is postponed upto 31st January, 2017. Accordingly, the detachable Power supplies for server/storage devices shall stand covered under the “Electronics and IT Goods (Requirement of Compulsory Registration) Order, 2012” w.e.f. 1st February, 2017.


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