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All Members of the Council

Dear Members

<u>Subject: Request for inputs on trade related issues to be taken up with Tajikistan during the 11th</u> <u>Session of India-Tajikistan Joint Commission Meeting scheduled on 24th and 25th February, 2020,</u> <u>at New Delhi</u>

We wish to inform you that FT(CIS) Division in the Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, is looking after the bilateral trade matters with 12 CIS countries, namely Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan and Ukraine. In order to discuss the bilateral trade and economic related matters, there exists an institutional mechanism in the form of Inter-Governmental Commission (IGC)/ Joint Commission Meeting (JCM) and Joint Working Group (JWG) with these countries, except Moldova.

The **11th Joint Commission Meeting with Tajikistan is scheduled on 24th and 25th February, 2020 in** New Delhi and shall be co-chaired by the Commerce Secretary.

Members are requested to urgently inform about any trade related issues, including any Non-Tariff Barriers which they face while exporting to Tajikistan, which they would like the Department of Commerce to take up in the Joint Commission Meeting so that bilateral trade between India and Tajikistan gets enhanced.

Members are requested to kindly send their issues latest by 2:00pm on 7th February, 2020, at <u>plexnr@plexconcil.org</u>, so that the same may be included for discussion at the Joint Commission Meeting.

Look forward to your urgent response.

Yours faithfully

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