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**Subject: Automatic recognition to Authorised Economic Operators (AEOs) identified under Customs Programme - reg**

The Authorized Economic Operator (AEO) Scheme has been envisaged by World Customs Organisation (WCO) and is being implemented by many of the countries. In this scheme, different kinds of benefits are given to trusted stakeholders involved in cross border trade, based on their level of compliance. The basic idea is to facilitate the trade. Following global practices, Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs (CBIC) is also implementing AEO scheme as per the details given in the Circular No. 33/2016-Customs dated 22.07.2016(Available for download in pdf form at <https://goo.gl/P4iYzE>).

  
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