



THE NATIONAL SMALL INDUSTRIES CORPORATION LTD.

An ISO 9001:2015 certified Government of India Enterprise under the Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSME)

Capacity Building of First Time MSE Exporters (CBFTE) Scheme

Ministry of MSME has issued vide OM No. 4(8)/2021-IC dated 15-07-2022, Guidelines of Capacity Building of First Time MSE Exporters (CBFTE) scheme envisaging following Financial benefits for the MSE Exporters:

“Reimbursement of Fee paid on Testing & Quality Certification acquired by MSEs to export products.”

A. Eligibility Conditions to avail the Scheme benefits:

- i. Micro and Small Enterprise (MSE) with valid Udyam Registration.
- ii. The applicant's Importer Exporter Code (IEC) must not be older than 3 years on the date of export shipment.
- iii. Scheme is applicable from the date of issuance of scheme guidelines i.e. 15th July 2022.

B. Scale of Assistance and Eligible Items of Expenditure

Fee paid on Testing & Quality Certification acquired by MSEs to Export Products.	75 percent of the testing and quality certification with a ceiling of Rs. 1.00 Lakh or actual, whichever is lower, subject to following conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Financial assistance is allowed for a maximum of 3 certificates per financial year per MSE unit.Certificate, for the financial assistance requested, should be attained within the same financial year.
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MSEs, seeking re-imbursement of claim, shall submit the following requisite documents at the nearest NSIC Branch Office within 30 days of export shipment of products:

1. Valid Udyam Registration Certificate.
2. Claim Form as per prescribed format.
3. Import Export Code (IEC) not more than 3 years old on the date of export shipment.
4. Testing and Quality Certification acquired within the current FY. (self-attested copy)
5. Original Invoice/Bills along with payment receipt for claiming cost incurred to acquire the Testing and Quality Certification.
6. Proof of export shipment of product for which Testing and Quality Certification is claimed. Any one of the following document may be collected- Airway Bill, Bill of Lading, Shipping Bill, Letter of Credit etc.
7. Proof of mandatory requirement of Testing and Quality Certification for such export.
8. Self-certification by MSE that he/she has not availed benefits under Market Access Initiative (MAI) Scheme of Department of Commerce, for the same purpose.
9. Undertaking as per prescribed format from MSE for number of times assistance availed under the scheme during current financial year.
10. PFMS Unique ID.

For more details, kindly refer our website-www.nsic.co.in for Scheme Guidelines or contact the nearest NSIC branch office. as per link below:

[Our Offices - NSIC : National Small Industries Corporation Ltd.](http://www.nsic.co.in)

You may also contact: 011-26826847