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Government of India
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Department of Commerce
FT (LAC) Division

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Preferential Trade Agreement between India and Chile

As you are aware, India-Chile PTA, signed on March 8, 2006 has been implemented with the signing of PTA by Chilean President on August 16, 2007 and issue of Custom Notifications in India on August 17 and September 11, 2007. Under the PTA, Chile has offered tariff concessions on 296 tariff lines of India at 8-digit HS level. The Chilean Offer List is available on Department's Website : www.commerce.nic.in .

2. The main chapters of HS at 2-digit level, which have significant export value or number of tariff lines, pertaining to your Council/Organization are enlisted in the *Annex*.

3. You are requested to give wide publicity about the tariff concessions on Indian products under the PTA to your member-exporters. You are also requested to draw an appropriate export strategy so that maximum advantage of the PTA can be taken by Indian exporters. The proposed strategy prepared in consultation with your members may please be made available by 5th November, 2007.

Sd/-
 (KHALID BIN JAMAL)
 Deputy Secretary

Annex

(Export in million US\$)

Chile's Offer List to India (India-Chile PTA)					
Chapter	Description	No. of Tariff Lines	Export Value 2005-06	Export Value 2006-07 (Apr.-Dec.)	Major EPCs Concerned
84	Nuclear Reactors, Boilers, Machinery and Mechanical Appliances : Parts thereof	10	8.73	9.7	EEPC
85	Electrical Machinery and Equipment and Parts thereof : Sound Recorders and Reproducers, Television Image and Sound Recorders and Reproducers and Parts	10	9.00	7.2	EEPC