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Dear Members,

**Sub: DGFT issues Public Notice No. 21/2015-20 dated 05.08.2022, providing extension of validity of Status Certificates, issued in FY 2015-16 and 2016-17 under current FTP, upto 30.9.2022**

DGFT Public Notice No. 21/2015-20 dated 05.08.2022 ([CLICK HERE](#)) has extended the validity of Status Certificate, issued under the current FTP, till a period of 5 years from the date on which application for recognition was filed or **30<sup>th</sup> September, 2022** only, whichever is later.

The Public Notice provides as under:

<b>Existing Para 3.20 (a) of HBP</b>	<b>Amended Para 3.20 (a) of HBP</b>
<b>3.20 Validity of Status Certificate</b>  (a) Status Certificates issued under this FTP shall be valid for a period of 5 year from the date on which application for recognition was filed or 30.06.2022 only whichever is later	<b>3.20 Validity of Status Certificate</b>  (a) <b>Status Certificates issued under this FTP shall be valid for a 5 years from the date on which application for recognition was filed or 30.09.2022 only whichever is later.</b>

This is for your information please.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

**Dr. L.B. Singhal**  
**Secretary General-AEPC**

**Enclosure: As above.**