

CORRIGENDUM

Apparel Export Promotion Council
Apparel House, Institutional Area,
Sector-44, Gurgaon - 122 003, Haryana, India

**AEPC Awards for
Excellence Honours- Entrepreneurship & Business Success
for the Financial year 2021-22 and 2022-23**

Invitation for Award Nominations

Date: 9th October, 2023

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is in continuation to our earlier Invitation for Award Nominations dated 29th September, 2023. The revised invitation for Award Nominations as under is issued. You are requested to go through the revised Invitation and submit your applications latest by 23rd October, 2023.

AEPC invites separate application for export awards for the financial year 2021-22 & 2022-23 from Council's member/registered exporters to recognize their meritorious performance in **13** different categories.

1. **Key dates:**

- **Last date of receipt of Applications: 23rd October, 2023 (Monday).**
 - **Award Function: 8th December, 2023**
2. The details of the Categories of Export Awards and the eligibility in addition to generic eligibility, are given at **Annexure-I**.
 3. The general eligibility criteria and terms and conditions are given at **Annexure-II**.
 4. The format of Chartered Accountant Certificate is given at **Annexure-III**.
 5. The format for a brief profile of the Chairman or CEO or Managing Director who shall be receiving the award is given at **Annexure-IV**.
 6. The awards are for the aggregate of the two years (2021-22 & 2022-23)
 7. One company will get one award only.
 8. Award will only be given if a suitable number of applications are received.

You are requested to kindly go through the circular completely before submitting the application.

Applications complete in all respect, should reach us on or before 23rd October, 2023 (Monday). For nominations, please click <http://aepcindia.com/aepc-export-award-2023>. The decision of an independent Jury shall be final and no correspondence in this respect shall be entertained. It would be mandatory for the applicant to come in person to receive the award.

The Council reserves the right to reject or not to entertain any application.

(Dr. Tamanna Chaturvedi)

Dy. Secretary General

Annexure-I

The eligibility criteria and terms/ conditions for grant of awards for the year 2021-22 & 2022-23 applicable across all categories are given below:-

- a) The base period for considering the awards would be the export performance during the FY 2021-22 & 2022-23. The award is open to those who are member of the Council under the Export Import Policy of the Government of India. The applicant must have paid AEPC subscription for the year 2021-22, 2022-23 & 2023-24.
- b) Applications for grant of Export Awards will be considered subject to the condition that nothing adverse about the business dealing of the applicants has come to the notice of the Council and/or other authorities.
- c) Items of exports for grant of Export Awards include all type of readymade garments (RMGs) falling in HS Code 61 & 62.
- d) Export Performance should include only those exports which have been reflected in the name of the applicant/Company.
- e) Export Performance should include the value of only those manufactured products which are exported from Indian Soil. The chartered Accountant's Certificate should clearly specify this.
- f) For grant of award in each category there should be minimum 3 applications.
- g) No application for Export Awards would be considered if the application forms are not properly filled-in and incomplete applications are liable to be rejected. Applications received after the due date is also liable to be rejected.
- h) Each application will be considered for the award in the Categories under the scheme and hence complete details should be given and each column of the application should be filled up.
- i) The export figures are to be given by the exporters in terms of FOB value of exports on the actual exports affected during the financial year 2021-22 & 2022-23. **Only direct exports will be taken into account for the purpose of selection of export awards.**
- j) FOB value of exports should be value of exports excluding commission paid/payable to overseas agents/importers only should be shown. **The exporters will have to produce a Chartered Accountant's Certificate certifying that the figures provided by the applicants were verified and found to be corrected by them.**
- k) AEPC will be checking all applicants details from RCMC & Vigilance Department & shall confirm that:
 - i. The payment has been duly received.
 - ii. There is no vigilance case against the applicant.
 - iii. The export performance mentioned includes 'Direct Exports' only.

All applications for Export Awards must be received latest by **23rd October, 2023 (Monday)**. Please click <http://aepcindia.com/aepc-export-award-2023> to file the application form.

Applications received thereafter **may not be considered for award.**

If you have any query, please contact **Mr. J S Rana, Additional Director (Mobile number 9910035722 e-mail jsrana@apecindia.com)**

Annexure-II**Details of the AEPC Export Awards 2021-22 & 2022-23**

Category	Award Category	Type of Award	Remarks	Eligibility in addition to generic as mentioned in Annexure I
CATEGORY-1	HIGHEST GLOBAL EXPORTS 2021-22 & 2022-23 (ABOVE Rs. 500 CR. IN EACH YEAR)	Gold Trophy	1 st Highest Exports	None
		Silver Trophy	2 nd Highest Exports	
		Bronze Trophy	3 rd Highest Exports	
CATEGORY-2	HIGHEST GLOBAL EXPORTS 2021-22 & 2022-23 (ABOVE Rs. 100 CR. And UPTO Rs. 500 CR. IN EACH YEAR)	Gold Trophy	1 st Highest Exports	
		Silver Trophy	2 nd Highest Exports	
CATEGORY-3	HIGHEST GLOBAL EXPORTS 2021-22 & 2022-23 (LESS THAN Rs. 100 CR. IN EACH YEAR)	Gold Trophy	1 st Highest Exports	
		Silver Trophy	2 nd Highest Exports	
CATEGORY-4	HIGHEST EXPORTS IN KNITTED GARMENTS 2021-22 & 2022-23 (ABOVE RS. 100 CR. IN EACH YEAR)	Highest Exports Performance		
CATEGORY-5	HIGHEST EXPORTS IN WOVEN GARMENTS (2021-22 & 2022-23 IN EACH YEAR)	Highest Exports Performance		
CATEGORY-6	HIGHEST EXPORTS IN MMF GARMENTS (2021-22 & 2022-23 IN EACH YEAR)	Highest Exports Performance		
CATEGORY-7	HIGHEST EXPORTS TO FTA COUNTRIES (2021-22 & 2022-23	Highest Exports Performance		The criteria for award would be highest value of exports achieved in 2021-22 & 2022-23 by applicants in Australia/ UAE/ Japan / Korea/ ASEAN countries.

CATEGORY- 8	HIGHEST EXPORTS BY NEW ENTREPRENEUR (2021-22 & 2022-23)	Highest Exports Performance		The company should be established after 31.3.2019 and must be a member of AEPC during 2021-2022 & 2022-23 (between 01.04.2021 and 31.03.2023).
CATEGORY-9	AWARD FOR MOST DYNAMIC WOMAN ENTREPRENEUR (2021-22 & 2022-23)	Highest Exports Performance		<p>i) The candidate should be proprietor / Director/Partner of the company. The Unit must be manufacturer exporter.</p> <p>ii) The criteria for award would be highest value of exports achieved in 2021-22 & 2022-23 by applicants who qualify serial (i) above.</p>
CATEGORY- 10	AWARD FOR HIGHEST EMPLOYMENT (2021-22 & 2022-23)	Highest number of labour work force		The criteria for award would be highest number of labour work force in 2021-22 & 2022-23 in applicant's factory.
CATEGORY 11	AWARD FOR HIGHEST WORKWEAR EXPORTS (2021-22 & 2022-23)	Highest Exports Performance		The criteria for the award would be highest value of exports achieved in 2021-22 & 2022-23 by applicants in workwear category.
CATEGORY 12	AWARD FOR ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE (2021-22 & 2022-23)	Highest spend on Environmental Compliance measures		<p>The candidate must be Manufacturer exporter with UDYOG (All Infrastructure & Processes focused on reducing toxic impact on Environment & People. These can be reduced use of toxic substances, products that are easier to recycle, and reduce water waste and reduce pollution and waste, recycle and reuse materials, etc.)</p> <p>THE 3 R'S (REDUCE, Re-USE & RECYCLE) - (The principle of reducing waste, reusing and recycling resources and products is often called the "3Rs." Reduce means to cut back on the amount of trash we generate. Reuse means to find new ways to use things that otherwise would have been thrown out. Recycle</p>

				means to turn something old and useless (like plastic milk jugs) into something new and useful (like picnic benches, playground equipment and recycling bins) Sustainability Certifications
CATEGORY 13	AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN SOCIAL COMPLIANCE (2021-22 & 2022-23)	Highest spend and efforts taken on Social Compliance measures		The candidate must be manufacturer exporter with highest spend on social compliance measures. Organizations who engage community to achieve sustainable outcomes, equitable decision-making processes, and deepen relationships and trust between government organisations and communities.

**FORMAT OF CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT'S CERTIFICATE
ON THE CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT'S LETTER HEAD
(PLEASE SUBMIT SEPARATE CERTIFICATE FOR EACH CATEGORY)**

This is to certify that the total FOB value of exports of readymade garments of M/s.during the Financial Year **2021-22 & 2022-23** were of the value shown below. The export figure pertains to the following award category/ categories for which the application is made.

- The **value of exports should be consolidated for those manufactured products only, which are exported from Indian soil.**
- FOB value of exports should be **excluding commission paid / payable to overseas agents / importers.**

**DETAILS OF EXPORT PERFORMANCE
(Write the type of award you wish to apply)**

Category No.	Award Category	FOB value of exports (in INR) 2021-22	FOB value of exports (in INR) 2022-23	Total FOB value of exports (In INR) 2021-22 & 2022-23

Note: The export performance should be separately shown for each category of awards.

Declaration:

The export figures quoted by the exporter/ applicant are for the year **2021-22 & 2022-23** (i.e. 01.04.21 to 31.03.23) and are based on actual exports covered by the bills of landing / airway bills/ post parcel receipts (as the case may be) of dates between 01.04.21 to 31.03.23.

The exchange rate calculated for arriving at the FOB value is as per the Bank Certificate of exports and commission paid / payable to overseas agents have been deducted while arriving at the above FOB value exports.

Name of Authorized Representative of applicant

Designation and Signature

Rubber Stamp of the firm

Name and address of the
Chartered Accountant's firm

Signature of The Chartered Accountant's

Seal / Stamp

Membership Number of the Firm of Chartered Accountant

Date:

Place:

