

EPCH delegation meets Hon'ble Finance Minister

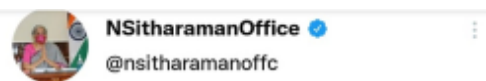
raises issues of concern, seeks support

New Delhi; 20th September 2021 | A delegation of handicraft exporters led by Shri Syed Zafar Islam, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha) met Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Hon'ble Union Finance Minister in presence of Mr. Raj Kumar Malhotra, Chairman, EPCH and raised various issues like restoration of Duty free Import of essential embellishment, trimmings and tools for handicrafts sector (DFIC), removal of alert on IEC (Risky exporters) and specifically Remission of Duties and Taxes on Exported Products (RoDTEP) rates for Handicrafts sector and requested for a relook at the RoDTEP rates announced recently. Also present were Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Director General, EPCH; and Mr. Avdesh Agarwal, General Secretary, Moradabad Handicrafts Exporters Association. The Minister gave a patient hearing in the matter and a positive outcome of the meeting is hoped.

Dr. Kumar, also extended the invitation to the Finance Minister to the forthcoming 52nd IHGF Delhi Fair- Autumn, 2021 scheduled to be held from 28-31 October, 2021 at India Expo Centre & Mart, Greater Noida, Delhi NCR. ■



Shri Syed Zafar Islam, Hon'ble Member of Parliament (Rajya Sabha); Mr. Raj Kumar Malhotra, Chairman, EPCH; Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Director General, EPCH; and Mr. Avdesh Agarwal, General Secretary, Moradabad Handicrafts Exporters Association at the office of Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Hon'ble Union Finance Minister, Govt. of India



Delegation led by Shri @syedzafarBJP, MP (RS), calls on Smt @nsitharaman.



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