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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Finance**  
**Department of Revenue**  
**Central Board of Excise & Customs**  
**(Anti Smuggling Unit)**  
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**PRESS NOTE**

**Sub: Press Release regarding grant of Presidential Awards to the officers of the Customs & Central Excise and Directorate of Enforcement.**

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The officers of the Customs & Central Excise Department are considered for grant of Presidential Award of Appreciation Certificate for exceptionally meritorious service rendered at the risk of life and specially distinguished record of service on their achieving and maintaining excellence in the discharge of their duties. These awards are announced on the eve of Republic Day. This year 35 officers have been selected for grant of Presidential Award of Appreciation Certificate for '**Specially distinguished record of service**'. These officers have exhibited exceptional commitment and devotion to duty on a sustained basis, while achieving the goals set for their organizations.

2. The list of officers, along with their designation and their present place of posting, who have been selected for grant of the Presidential Award of Appreciation Certificate for *Specially distinguished record of Service* on the occasion of Republic Day, 2012, is given below:

**SPECIALLY DISTINGUISHED RECORD OF SERVICE**

**ADDITIONAL COMMISSIONERS/ADDITIONAL DIRECTORS/  
JOINT COMMISSIONERS/JOINT DIRECTORS**

1. Shri M. Sathish Kumar Reddy, Director (International Customs Division), Central Board of Excise & Customs, New Delhi.
2. Shri Gudavalli Sreenivasa Rao, Additional Director, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Mumbai.
3. Shri Gurusharan Singh, Additional Director, Directorate General of Central Excise Intelligence, Regional Unit, Ludhiana.
4. Shri Pashupati Nath Pandey, Consul (Economic), Additional Director, Consulate General of India, Hong Kong.
5. Shri Samir Subhash Bajaj, Joint Director, Directorate of Enforcement, Mumbai.

**APPRAISERS/SUPERINTENDENTS / SENIOR INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS**

6. Shri Kurian P. Mathew, Senior Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Regional Unit, Trivandrum.
7. Shri Sunil Kumar Verma, Senior Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Regional Unit, Jaipur.
8. Shri Sridev Kumar Chitta, Superintendent, Commissionerate of Customs & Central Excise, Hyderabad-II, Hyderabad.
9. Shri S.Subramanian, Appraiser (Systems), Directorate General of Systems and Data Management, South Zone, Chennai.
10. Shri Rakesh Rajani, Senior Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Ahmedabad.
11. Shri Ashok Kumar, Superintendent, Jawaharlal Nehru Custom House, Nhava Sheva, Raigad.
12. Shri Subir Kumar Jana, Senior Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Regional Unit, Siliguri.

13. Shri Sujit Roy, Superintendent, Central Bureau of Narcotics, Gwalior.
14. Shri V. Srinivas Nayak, Superintendent, Commissionerate of Customs, Mangalore.
15. Ms. N.Uma Shanti, Superintendent, Central Excise, Large Tax Payers Unit, Bangalore.
16. Shri Dave Janardan, Superintendent, Commissionerate of Central Excise, Vadodara.

#### **ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER**

17. Shri Uttam Kumar, Administrative Officer, Commissionerate of Central Excise, Shillong.

#### **INSPECTORS/INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS**

18. Shri Kuntamukkula Srinivasa Subba Rao, Inspector, Commissionerate of Central Excise, Hyderabad-III, Hyderabad.
19. Shri Ramakrishnan K, Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Regional Unit, Mangalore.
20. Shri Brijender Singh Sodhi, Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Lucknow.
21. Shri Kamal Kumar, Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Hqrs. New Delhi.
22. Shri Mahesh Sharad Bhalerao, Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Mumbai.
23. Shri Gajraj Singh Thakur, Intelligence Officer, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Ahmedabad.
24. Shri Subhash Prasad Singh, Inspector, Commissionerate of Service Tax, Mumbai-I, Mumbai
25. Shri Pankaj Kumar, Inspector, Commissionerate of Service Tax, Delhi.
26. Shri H.S. Hariprasad, Intelligence Officer, Directorate General of Central Excise Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Bangalore.
27. Shri Kajal Chaudhuri, Intelligence Officer, Directorate General of Central Excise Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Kolkata.
28. Shri Balaji K.P, Inspector, Central Excise, Large Taxpayers Unit, Chennai.
29. Shri Mahesh Krishna Parnerkar, Intelligence Officer, Directorate General of Central Excise Intelligence, Zonal Unit, Mumbai.
30. Shri M.Mallikarjuna, Inspector, Commissionerate of Central Excise, Belgaum.
31. Shri Abinash Kumar Sinha, Intelligence Officer, Central Economic Intelligence Bureau, New Delhi.
32. Shri Ranbir Singh, Inspector, Commissionerate of Central Excise, Delhi-IV, Faridabad.
33. Shri Manoj Kumar Mishra, Inspector, Directorate General of Central Excise Intelligence, Regional Unit, Indore.

#### **PRIVATE SECRETARY**

34. Smt. Hema Swaminathan, Private Secretary, Commissionerate of Customs (Export), Customs House, Chennai.

#### **DRIVER**

35. Shri Gopal Singh, Driver, Grade-II, Directorate of Revenue Intelligence, Delhi Zonal Unit, New Delhi.

3. A copy of the notification being issued in this regard is enclosed.

4. It is requested that wide publicity in the English and Indian Language Newspapers may be given on the eve of the Republic Day, 2012.

**Encl: As above**

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To  
The Principal Information Officer,  
Press Information Bureau,  
Government of India,  
New Delhi.

**Copy to:**

1. Smt. Neeta Lall Butalia, Commissioner, DP & PR, Customs & Central Excise, C.R. Building, New Delhi with a request that steps may be taken to give wide publicity in the departmental journals and publications.
2. Additional Director General, Directorate of Systems, New Delhi for placing it on the website of Central Board of Excise & Customs (soft copy of the above is e-mailed).
3. Shri Samanjasa Das, OSD (CX.9), Spokesperson, CBEC (Soft copy of the above is e-mailed).
4. The Director, Public Relations (Finance) Room No.135, North Block, New Delhi, for information with a request that wide publicity in the English and Indian Language Newspapers maybe given on the eve of the Republic Day, 2012.

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