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## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF FINANCE

## (DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE)

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New Delhi, the 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2017

G.S.R....(E).- In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 11 of the Central Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017 (12 of 2017) (hereafter in this notification referred to as "the said Act"), the Central Government, on being satisfied that it is necessary in the public interest so to do, on the recommendations of the Council, hereby exempts the goods specified in column (3) of the Table below, from the so much of the central tax leviable thereon under section 9 of the said Act, as in in excess of the amount calculated at the rate of 2.5 per cent., when supplied to the institutions specified in the corresponding entry in column (2) of the Table, subject to the conditions specified in the corresponding entry in column (4) of the said Table-

**Table** 

S.	Name of the Institutions	Description of the goods	Conditions
No.			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	Public funded research institution other than a hospital or a University or an Indian Institute of Technology or Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore or a National Institute Technology/Regional Engineering College	(a) Scientific and technical instruments, apparatus, equipment (including	
		(d)Prototypes, the aggregate value of prototypes received by an institution does not exceed fifty thousand rupees in financial year.	officer not below the rank of the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India or the Deputy Secretary to the State Government or the Deputy Secretary in the Union Territory in the concerned department to the supplier at the time of supply of the specified goods; or  (b) an institution registered with the Government of India in the

			Department of Scientific and
			Research and such institution
			produces a certificate from an
			officer not below the rank of the
			Deputy Secretary to the
			Government of India or the
			Deputy Secretary to the State
			Government or the Deputy
			Secretary in the Union territory
			in concerned department to the
			supplier at the time of supply of
			the specified goods;
			(ii) The institution produces, at
			the time of supply, a certificate
			to the supplier from the Head of
			the Institution, in each case,
			certifying that the said goods are
			required for research purposes
			only;
			(iii) In the case of supply of live
			animals for experimental
			purposes, the institution
			produces, at the time of supply, a
			certificate to the supplier from
			the Head of the Institution that
			the live animals are required for
			research purposes and enclose a
			no objection certificate issued by
			the Committee for the Purpose
			of Control and Supervision of
			Experiments on Animals.
2.	Research institution,	(a) Scientific and technical	(1) The institution is registered
	other than a hospital	instruments, apparatus,	with the Government of India in
		equipment (including	the Department of Scientific and
		computers);	Research, which-
		(b) accessories, parts,	(i) produces, at the time of
		consumables and live animals	supply, a certificate to the
		(experimental purpose);	supplier from the head of the
		(c) computer software,	institution, in each case,
		Compact Disc-Read Only	certifying that the said goods are
		Memory (CD-ROM),	essential for research purposes
		recorded magnetic tapes,	and will be used for stated
		microfilms, microfiches;	purpose only;
		(d) Prototypes, the aggregate	(ii) in the case of supply of live
		value of prototypes received	animals for experimental
		by an institution does not	purposes, the institution
		exceed fifty thousand rupees	produces, at the time of supply, a
		in a financial year.	certificate to the supplier from
			the Head of the Institution that
1			the live animals are required for

			research purposes and enclose a no objection certificate issued by the Committee for the Purpose of Control and Supervision of Experiments on Animals.  (2) The goods falling under (1) above shall not be transferred or sold by the institution for a period of five years from the date of installation.
3.	Departments and laboratories of the Central Government and State Governments, other than a hospital	(a) Scientific and technical instruments, apparatus, equipment (including computers); (b) accessories, parts, consumables and live animals (experimental purpose); (c) Computer software, Compact Disc-Read Only Memory(CD-ROM), recorded magnetic tapes, microfilms, microfiches; (d) Prototypes, the aggregate value of prototypes received by an institution does not exceed fifty thousand rupees in a financial year.	(i) The institution produces, at the time of supply, a certificate to the supplier from the Head of the Institution, in each case, certifying that the said goods are required for research purposes only; (ii) in the case of supply of live animals for experimental purposes, the institution produces, at the time of supply, a certificate to the supplier from the Head of the Institution that the live animals are required for research purposes and enclose a no objection certificate issued by the Committee for the Purpose of Control and Supervision of Experiments on Animals.
4.	Regional Cancer Centre (Cancer Institute)	(a) Scientific and technical instruments, apparatus, equipment (including computers); (b) accessories, parts, consumables and live animals (experimental purpose); (c) Computer software, Compact Disc-Read Only Memory(CD-ROM), recorded magnetic tapes, microfilms, microfiches.	(i) The goods are supplied to the Regional Cancer Centre registered with the Government of India, in the Department of Scientific and Research and such institution produces a certificate from an officer not below the rank of the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India or the Deputy Secretary to the State Government or the Deputy Secretary in the Union territory in concerned department to the supplier at the time of supply of the specified goods; (ii) the institution produces, at the time of supply, a certificate to the supplier from the Head of the Institution, in each case, certifying that the said goods are required for research purposes

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(iii) in case of supply of live
animals for experimental
purposes, the institution
produces, at the time of supply, a
certificate to the supplier from
the Head of the Institution that
the live animals are required for
research purposes and enclose a
no objection certificate issued by
the Committee for the Purpose
of Control and Supervision of
Experiments on Animals.

Explanation. - For the purposes of this notification, the expression, -

- (a) "Public funded research institution" means a research institution in the case of which not less than fifty per-cent. of the recurring expenditure is met by the Central Government or the Government of any State or the administration of any Union territory;
- (b) "University" means a University established or incorporated by or under a Central, State or Provincial Act and includes -
  - (i) an institution declared under section 3 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956) to be a deemed University for the purposes of this Act;
  - (ii) an institution declared by Parliament by law to be an institution of national importance;
  - (iii) a college maintained by, or affiliated to, a University;
- (c) "Head" means -
  - (i) in relation to an institution, the Director thereof (by whatever name called);
  - (ii) in relation to a University, the Registrar thereof (by whatever name called);
  - (iii) in relation to a college, the Principal thereof (by whatever name called);
- (d) "hospital" includes any Institution, Centre, Trust, Society, Association, Laboratory, Clinic or Maternity Home which renders medical, surgical or diagnostic treatment.
- 2. This notification shall come into force with effect from the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2017.

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