

Updated instruction for registration under India Handloom Brand for Garment and Made-up Manufacturers.

The Standard Operating Procedure for registration under India Handloom Brand was issued by this office and the registrations are being made. Since Garment and Made up manufacturers source their fabrics from different places and also combine different fabrics to make garment and made-up, the revised guidelines for the registration of the manufacturers of garments and made-ups under IHB will be henceforth as follows:

1. The Garment and Made up manufacturers will submit the application to the concerned Weavers' Service Centre in the prescribed format, along with registration fee of Rs.500/- plus service taxes applicable. If a manufacturer wants to apply for registration for both garments and made-ups, single application has to be submitted mentioning for both product along with registration fee of Rs. 1000/- plus service taxes applicable.

Separate applications for garments and made-ups by the same applicant at the same time will not be entertained.

The manufacturer for this purpose means those who have own stitching units and those who buy fabrics and getting it stitched from others.

2. They need not submit the garment and made-up samples for testing but they will give an undertaking that they will use the India Handloom Brand fabrics sourced from the India Handloom Brand registered manufacturers.
3. They will also give an undertaking that they will use the embellishments as detailed below.
 - a) Natural dyes or dyes free from banned amines will be used for dyeing/colouring.
 - b) (i) Zari with fastness and banned amine free dyes will be used, as prescribed in the Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) of IHB.
(ii) Design in weaving with natural fibres will be to any extent.
(iii) Embellishments can be to any extent but not more than 15% of fabric will be covered by other materials like beads, glass, mirror etc.
 - c) Threads and fabrics meeting the dyes and fastness parameters as prescribed in the SOP of IHB will be used for embellishments.
 - d) The mordants namely Copper Salts, Stannous Salts and Chromium Salts will not be used for dyeing and/or printing with natural dyes. The mordants namely Alum and Ferrous will be used.

4. They will maintain the name and contact details of the IHB registered manufacturers from whom they purchased the IHB fabrics and other relevant records for verification by the officials during onsite verification and whenever required.
5. The WSC will conduct the on-site verification of Garment and Made-up manufacturers and send the report to the IHB Cell, Delhi along with the original application, undertaking etc. The IHB cell will then forward the application and report to the Textiles Committee for registration.
6. On receiving the application, onsite verification report and recommendation of the IHB cell, the Textiles committee, Mumbai shall issue the registration number, logo and certificate under intimation to the IHB cell, Delhi and O/o Development Commissioner for Handlooms, as stipulated in the SOP of IHB.
8. Other requirements such as the Validity and renewal of registration, sourcing and fixing of IHB labels, Periodic surveillance, Appeal Procedure etc. will be as per the SOP of IHB.
9. The format of the undertaking is enclosed.

UNDERTAKING

(To be submitted along with application for registration for Garments/Made-ups
under India Handloom Brand)

I/We, the undersigned, hereby undertake the following:

1. I/We will use the India Handloom Brand Fabric for the manufacture of India Handloom Brand Garments/Made-ups
2. I/We will use only the embellishments as detailed below.
 - a) Natural dyes or dyes free from banned amines will be used for dyeing/colouring.
 - b) (i) Zari with fastness and banned amine free dyes will be used, as prescribed in the Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) of IHB.
(ii) Design in weaving with natural fibres will be to any extent.
(iii) Embellishments can be to any extent but not more than 15% of fabric will be covered by other materials like beads, glass, mirror etc.
 - c) Threads and fabrics meeting the dyes and fastness parameters as prescribed in the SOP of IHB will be used for embellishments.
 - d) The mordants namely Copper Salts, Stannous Salts and Chromium Salts will not be used for dyeing and/or printing with natural dyes. The mordants namely Alum and Ferrous will be used.
3. I/We will maintain the name and contact details of the IHB registered manufacturers from whom we purchase the IHB fabrics and other relevant records and produce for verification by the officials during onsite verification and whenever required.

I/We understand that in the event of non-compliance of the above undertaking and other conditions mentioned in the Standard Operating Procedure of India Handloom Brand, my registration will be cancelled.

(Signature of the Authorised Signatory)

(Office Seal)

Place:

(Name and Designation of the Signatory)

Date: