

F. No. 21/18/2016-AWD  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change  
(Animal Welfare Division)  
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New Delhi- 110003  
Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> November, 2016

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: Representation of PETA for prohibiting the import and export of all fur and exotic skin product to and from India to protect wildlife and other animals.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to Directorate General of Foreign Trade (DGFT), Department of Commerce, Ministry of Commerce and Industry's OM No. 01/89/180/AM-02/PC-2(A) Part-1 dated 04.05.2016 on the above subject and to say that this Ministry recommends prohibition or restriction on the items given in list furnished by DGFT (a copy of the same is enclosed), since cruelty is involved in sourcing such products.

2. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Encl: As above.

  
(R. S. Negi)

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To,

Directorate General of Foreign Trades,  
(Shri S. K. Mohapatra, Dy. DGFT),  
Department of Commerce,  
Ministry of Commerce and Industry,  
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