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With The Roll-Out of GST, Check Posts Get Abolished Across 22 States in India

The Goods and Services Tax (GST) was rolled out on 1st of July 2017. With the roll-out of the GST, 22 States in India have abolished their check posts. The details are as under —

Cabinet Secretary reviews post GST situation with Secretaries and Senior Officers of different Departments; Ask them among others to ensure that there is adequate supply of commodities especially essential and consumer items to keep their prices under

check.

The Cabinet Secretary, Shri P.K. Sinha reviewed the post GST implementation situation here today with the Secretaries and Senior Officers of the different Ministries/Departments of the Government of India. The Review Meeting was attended by the Secretaries/Senior Officers of different Ministries/Departments including Revenue, Textile, Food, Agriculture, Consumer Affairs & Public Distribution, Food Processing, Railways, MSME, Rural Development, Tourism, Fertilizers, Pharma and Department of Financial Services (DFS), Chairperson and Members of Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Additional Secretary, GST Council among others?

<u>Meeting on Strengthening Regulatory</u> and Standards Framework

As a follow-up to 4th National Standards Conclave, Commerce & Industry Minister Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman took review meeting of all the relevant ministries, regulators and organizations today.

ADB and India Sign \$220 Million Loan Agreement for Improving Road Connectivity and Transport Efficiency on State Highways of Rajasthan

The Asian Development Bank (ADB) and the Government of India today signed a \$220 million loan for improving connectivity as well as transport efficiency and safety on State Highways of Rajasthan.