

*F.NO. 212/14/99-CX.6*  
Government of India  
Ministry of Finance  
Department of Revenue  
Central Board of Excise & Customs

New Delhi, the 5, Jan. 2000

**Subject: ECC based on PAN - date of introduction changed to 1.2.2000**

It is directed to refer to the Board's Circular number 493/59/99-CX dated 12<sup>th</sup> November, 1999 regarding introduction of new Excise Control (new ECC) number based on Permanent Account Number (PAN) allotted by the Income Tax Department. The Government has decided to extend the date of introduction of new ECC number from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2000 to 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2000. The aforesaid Circular stands modified to this extent.

2. The Trade and field formations may suitable be informed.