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### SHOW CAUSE NOTICE

Shri Madathikunnel Abdul Vahab, aged 34 years (DoB :04.05.1985 Puthiyedath, Thazhath, Moozhikka Chelavoor, Post Kozhikode, Keral, India, PIN 673571 (hereinafter referred to as the 'passenger'), holding an Indian Passport No.L1615918 had arrived at Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel International Airport, Ahmedabad, by Indigo Airways Flight No. 6E 072 from Dubai to Ahmedabad on 05.03.2020. The passenger was carrying one grey Back Pack as Hand Bag. The said passenger had opted for green channel. On the basis of information received and subsequent passenger profiling and scrutiny of the passenger manifest, the passenger was intercepted at the exit of the green channel for personal search and examination of his baggage in the presence of panchas.

2. Thereafter, the passenger was asked whether he was carrying any contraband/ prohibited goods with him or whether had any dutiable item for declaring before the Customs, to which he denied. The AIU officers asked the passenger to put his baggage in the X-Ray Baggage Screening Machine installed near the green channel. On screening the said baggage i.e. one grey Back Pack as Hand Bag, nothing objectionable was noticed on the screen. The AIU officers asked the passenger to walk through the Door Frame Metal Detector ("DFMD"), prior to walking through the said DFMD, the passenger was asked to remove all metallic substances from his body. Thereafter, he readily removed the wallet, belt, mobile etc. and kept them on the table. After that he was asked to walk through the Door Frame Metal Detector (DFMD) wherein a loud beep sound was heard in the lower part of the DFMD. The AIU officer politely asked the passenger whether he had any metallic substance on his body, however the passenger denied. The Customs officers asked again the passenger to pass through the DFMD and while he passed through the DFMD, a loud beep sound was again heard in the lower part of the DFMD. The passenger was asked whether he had concealed any metallic substance with him, to which he denied again. On suspicion the passenger was asked to remove his shoes and socks and on removal of socks, grey colored adhesive tapes had been wrapped on the feet. On scrutiny of underneath to feet, a rectangle shaped packet covered with thick black adhesive tape was found. The passenger was asked to cut open the said two black packets recovered from his socks