## Public Notice for onboarding to Common Aptitude Test (CAT) 2023 for admission to MBA (IB) and MBA (BA) Programmes

The Indian Institute of Foreign Trade (IIFT), premier 'B-School" in the country, was established in 1963 under the Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Govt. of India to contribute in the skill building for the external trade sector of India. The Institute was granted "Deemed to be University" status in 2002. The National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) has recognized IIFT as Grade 'A' Institution in 2005 as well as in 2015. The Institute was granted the prestigious AACSB Accreditation in 2021. With this the IIFT figures amongst the top 900+ Business Schools of the world which have earned this accreditation.

From Academic Year 2024-25, for admission to IIFT's two years MBA (International Business) and MBA (Business Analytics) programmes, the Institute will consider the score of CAT 2023. Candidates will be shortlisted for the second round of the admission process i.e. WAT/Group Discussion/Extempore/Personal Interview etc. of MBA (International Business) and MBA (Business Analytics) programmes on the basis of their CAT Score and other parameters. Therefore, to take the admission to IIFT's MBA (IB) and MBA (BA) 2024-26 programmes, it is mandatory for all the aspirants to have valid CAT 2023 score.

Registration process for CAT 2023 has already started from 02<sup>nd</sup> August 2023 and last date for registration is 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023. Online exam of CAT 2023 will be conducted on 26<sup>th</sup> November 2023. For more details about CAT 2023, please visit to www.iimcat.ac.in

Application forms for IIFT's MBA (IB) and MBA (BA) 2024-26 programmes will tentatively be available on IIFT website i.e. <a href="www.iift.ac.in">www.iift.ac.in</a> by the end of September 2023.