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NOTIFICATION

The Ministry of Economic Affairs is introducing a new system of classification of industries in Bhutan. It is as follow:

Scale of Industry	Employment Size	Investment (million Nu.)
Cottage	1 - 4	< 1
Small	5 - 19	1 - 10
Medium	20 - 99	10 - 100
Large	100+	> 100

Under normal circumstances, both employment and investment should be applied. However, where there is a conflict in classification, investment will take precedence over employment. This notification is issued based on the Cottage, Small & Medium Industry (CSMI) Policy, 2012 of the Royal Government of Bhutan, endorsed during the 139th session of the Lhengye Zhungtshog meeting held on 24 July' 2012.

This notification is issued for conformity by all concerned henceforth.

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