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Government of India

Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution

Department of Food & Public Distribution

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated the 2nd November, 2010

To

The Principal Secretary,

Department of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Protection,

Government of Maharashtra,

Mantralaya Annexe,

Mumbai – 400032

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Subject: - Relaxation in percentage of broken grains in Custom Milled Raw Rice for Kharif Marketing Season 2009-10 – regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to letter No. Dhanabh-1209/C.R.4203 Part III/C.S.29, dated 1.9.2010 from Minister, Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Protection, Government of Maharashtra regarding relaxation in percentage of broken grains in Custom Milled Raw Rice for Kharif Marketing Season 2009-10 and to state that following relaxations have been allowed for balance quantity of custom milled raw rice that is yet to be delivered in Maharashtra, out of the paddy procured in Kharif Marketing Season 2009-10:

Percentage of broken grains in custom milled raw rice has been increased from existing 25% in uniform specifications of KMS 2009-10 to 28% without any value cut in the State of Maharashtra.

Separate account should be maintained for raw rice procured under relaxed specifications and this will be consumed in the State of Maharashtra only.

State Government is advised to complete delivery of this rice by 31st December 2010.

The above relaxation will be in operation with immediate effect.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

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