F.No.7-2/2014-S&I  
Government of India  
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution  
Department of Food & Public Distribution  

To,

The Principal Secretary,  
Department of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Protection,  
Government of Madhya Pradesh,  
Mantralaya, Vallah Bhawan,  
Bhopal-462004

Krish Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 28th April, 2014

FAX No: 0755-2553750

Subject:- Relaxation in Uniform specifications of wheat for Rabi Marketing Season 2014-15 in Madhya Pradesh.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to DO letter No. 1320/PS Food/2014 dated 27th March, 2014 seeking relaxation in specifications of wheat for Rabi Marketing season 2014-2015 due to damage to the wheat crop by unseasonal rains and hail storms.

2. In order to reduce the hardship of farmers and to avoid distress sale of wheat, it has been decided to procure wheat in Madhya Pradesh with the following relaxations in the uniform specifications of wheat during the Rabi Marketing Season 2014-2015 with immediate effect:

   (a) Luster lost wheat containing up to 10% affected kernels may be accepted without any value cut.
   (b) Luster lost wheat above 10% and up to 20% affected kernels may be accepted with $1/4$th of one full value cut on flat basis.

   These relaxations shall be applicable for revenue districts falling under FCI district Bhopal, Indore, Satna, Sagar, Ujjain and Gwalior from where samples were collected by the joint team with the condition that entire quantity of wheat procured under relaxed specification with luster lost grains above 10% and upto 20% have to be consumed with in the State only on overriding priority. Separate account should be maintained for wheat procured under FAQ and relaxed specification.

Yours faithfully,

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