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No. 7-I/2011-S&I
Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution
Department of Food & Public Distribution

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi,
Dated: 30th August, 2011.

To
The Secretary,
Department of Food Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs
Government of Punjab,
Chandigarh.

Sub:- Relaxation in luster lost wheat purchased during Rabi Marketing Season 2011-12 in the State of Punjab.

Sir,

I am directed to refer your letter no. 1/449/2010-FPI/428 dated 25.4.2011 and dated 17.08.2011 on the subject cited above and to state that it has been decided to allow relaxation in luster lost wheat purchased by State agencies in Punjab during Rabi Marketing Season 2011-12 as under:

(i) Luster lost wheat containing up to 10% affected kernels may be accepted by FCI without value cut.
(ii) Luster lost wheat above 10% and upto 40% affected kernels may be accepted by FCI with 1/4th of one full value cut on flat basis.

The above relaxation will apply only to nine affected districts namely, Amritsar, Tarantaran, Kapurthala, Jalandhar, SBS Nagar, Ludhiana, Moga, Faridkot and Bhatinda. Further, luster lost wheat containing more than 10% affected kernels and upto 40% will be consumed within the State under PDS and other Welfare Schemes.

2. Luster lost wheat will be issued on priority by FCI.

Yours faithfully,

(B. C. Joshi)
Deputy Commissioner (S&R)

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