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Government of India  
Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers  
Department of Fertilizers

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
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To

The Chief Secretaries of States/ The Agricultural Production Commissioners/The Secretaries/The Director (Agriculture) of all the State Governments.

Subject: Requirement of the prior approval of the Department of Fertilizers for sale of SSP under the marketing arrangements under the Concession Scheme.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to say that the sale of SSP by the manufacturers through the dealers' network of the other fertilizer Companies is permissible under the extant guidelines under the Concession Scheme. In order to sell SSP through the marketers, the manufacturers are required to obtain permission of Department of Fertilizers prior to sale of the SSP during a particular period. However it has been observed that some of the manufacturers sold their SSP prior to marketing arrangement granted by Department of Fertilizers, which is not in conformity of the given policy of the Government.

2. The above said matter has been examined in the Department and it has been decided that the entire payment of concession on the sales of SSP, executed by the marketer before granting permission of Department of Fertilizers for marketing arrangement, would be made by the Department to the manufacturer/marketer, only on the receipt of the Proforma 'B' from the State Governments. Accordingly, for the sale of SSP made by the marketer prior to the permission of marketing arrangement from Department of Fertilizers, no 'On Account' payment of concession would be released to the manufacturer/marketer. However, 100% payment would be released to the units only when Proforma 'B' is received from the State Governments concerned under the prescribed procedure as required under the existing guidelines/policy.

3. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Varinder Gupta)

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1. Director (Accounts), Department of Fertilizers, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. Controller of Accounts/P&AO, Department of Fertilizers.
3. Director (Fin.)/ AFA/Section Officer (Fin.), Department of Fertilizers.
4. US (Concession Wing), AD (Accounts), Concession Wing.
5. Shri Sheodhar, Chief Engineer, Projects & Development (I) Ltd., PDIL Bhawan, A-14, Sector 1, NOIDA
6. FAI, Shaheed Jit Singh Marg, New Delhi.
7. All SSP manufacturers.
8. NIC, Department of Fertilizers for uploading on the Department's website.
9. Guard file/policy file

  
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