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कृषि भवन, नई दिल्ली।  
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23/04/2025

To  
The Principal Secretary/Secretary,  
Food & Civil Supplies Department  
All State Government/UTs

Subject: Colour Coding of Gunny Bags to facilitate identification of crop year of stock for KMS 2025-26.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that it has been decided to adopt **BLUE** Colour Coding for gunny bags for KMS 2025-26. The colour coding will be in the manner as indicated below:

- a. Stencil or Branding as per indenters' requirements shall be in "**BLUE**" colour.
- b. Marking or stitching on the mouth of the bag after filling the grain will be done by the FCI/State Agencies in "**BLUE**" colour.
- c. For identification marking of the marketing season, there will be colour-coded strip/s on every jute bag. The width of each strip will be 4 threads. Each strip will be run along the length of the Bag and shall be in "**BLUE**".

**For bags to be supplied through the Jute Commissioner of India,**

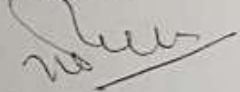
- d.(i) A single strip is to be printed for bags to be supplied through the Jute Commissioner of India. This single strip shall be printed at a distance of about 150 mm away from any selvedge of the bag.
- d.(ii) For the supply of jute bags to Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Kerala and Karnataka through the Jute Commissioner of India, an additional Black colour strip will be printed on each bag at a distance of about 150 mm away from other selvedges of the bag.

**For bags not purchased through the Jute Commissioner of India**

e. For jute bags not purchased through the Jute Commissioner of India, two strips shall be printed on each bag. Each of the two strips shall be printed at a distance of about 150 mm away from the respective selvages of each bag.

2. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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4. Jute Commissioner, Kolkata.
5. Chairman, IJMA, Kolkata