Government of India  
Ministry of Textiles  
OFFICE OF THE JUTE COMMISSIONER  
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4th Floor, Sector-I, Salt Lake City, Kolkata – 700064  
No. Jute (Mktg)/ 106/ 2018  
Dated: 25th August 2020

ORDER

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by Clause 6(1) (iii) of the Jute and Jute Textiles Control Order, 2016, I, Moloy Chandan Chakrabortty, Jute Commissioner, hereby direct that at no point in time you will hold more than 1500 quintals of raw jute on your own account and / or on account of third parties.

I further direct you to sell the quantity of raw jute if it is in excess of 1500 quintals held by you within 15(fifteen) days from the date of this Order and to send a compliance report indicating sale / delivery of the excess quantity of raw jute along with supporting documentary evidence for verification by fax on Numbers 033-23376972 and 23376974 or by email (jcooffice@jutecomm.gov.in) immediately. Raw jute stocked in a single premise irrespective of different names will be considered as total single stock.

If you fail to comply with the provisions of this Order, you shall be punishable under clause 11 of the Jute and Jute Textiles Control Order, 2016 read with Section 7 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 which provides for imprisonment and fine.

This Order shall come into force with immediate effect and remain valid till further orders subject to reservation of right to modify the same at any point of time.

I further state that this Order shall not be applicable to stocks of raw jute procured by The Jute Corporation of India Ltd.

Further, in pursuance of sub-clause (b) and (c) of clause 9(1) of the aforesaid Order, I direct to afford necessary facilities to my authorized representatives to enter and search their premises including the godowns and also to inspect their books and other records under their possession with a view to verifying whether or not stocks held by them have been correctly declared or not in response to this Order & also to seize raw jute which he/she has/have reason to believe to have been stored in contravention to this order.

I, hereby, reserve the right to authorize/request any official/officials of the State Governments/Law enforcing agencies to extend help in taking necessary measures in accordance with this order. Such officers/officials shall be deemed to be authorized representative of Jute Commissioner for the purpose of this order and without prejudice to any other action to be taken as deemed fit by them as per rules/procedures/orders/codes/laws covering their duties/posers.

(Moloy Chandan Chakrabortty)  
Jute Commissioner

To:  (All traders/dealers/agencies/stokists of raw jute)