

भारत सरकार/ Government of India वसूत्र मंत्रालय/ Ministry of Textiles

पटसन आयुक्त का कार्यालय/ Office of the Jute Commissioner पाटसन भवन, सीएफ ब्लॉक, / Patsan Bhawan, CF Block, सातंवा व आठवां तल, एक्शन एरिया- I, / 7th & 8th Floor, Action Area-I, न्यूटाउन, कोलकाता - 700 156/ Newtown, Kolkata - 700 156

No. Jute(Mktg)/106 /Raw Jute Registration/15-II

Date: 05 -03-2024

ORDER

In exercise of powers conferred under Clause 6(i) of the Jute and Jute Textiles Control Order, 2016, I, Moloy Chandan Chakrabortty, Jute Commissioner vide vide Orders dated 18-06-2021, 29-06-2022 & 07-07-2023 had directed all dealers / traders / agencies / stokists etc. trading with 500 Kgs or more quantity of raw jute in a jute year (July-June) (kutcha and pucca, baled and unbaled raw jute) to apply to the office of the Jute Commissioner for registration in this office 'JUTE SMART' portal.

- 2. Now, after considering the request of the Jute Balers' Association and to provide opportunity to the left out dealers / traders / agencies / stockists etc, I hereby direct all dealers / traders / agencies / stockists etc. trading with 500 Kgs or more quantity of raw jute in a jute year (July-June) (kutcha and pucca, baled and unbaled raw jute), who have not yet applied for registration to apply for registration within a period of 55 days from the date of publication of this Order in the proforma in this office's website [jutecomm.gov.in] & 'JUTE SMART' portal. The application is to be submitted online through 'JUTE SMART' portal of this office from 5th March, 2024 to 30th April, 2024. The detailed procedure of submission of the application is provided in this office website namely, [jutecomm.gov.in]. After online submission, hardcopy signed/stamped print out has to be mandatorily submitted to this office by post or in person. It is strictly prohibited to submit multiple applications or submit a fresh application if registration has already been issued from the office of the Jute Commissioner.
- 3. On successful registration, certificate of registration will be provided to the respective traders / agencies /stockists / dealers if the details are found in order. Such certificate will have validity for specific duration & also can be revoked anytime for commission of any offence under Section 7 of the E.C. Act 1955 or for non-submission of data/records/falsification/non-cooperation in any other form.
- 4. If they fail to comply with these directions or if they submit any information which is found to be false in any material particular, they shall be punishable under Clause 11 of the aforesaid Jute and Jute Textiles Control Order read with Section 7 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955, which provides for both imprisonment and fine and they shall not be allowed to trade raw jute. Further, failure in providing correct information will result in searching and seizing of raw jute stock under Clause 9 of the Jute and Jute Textiles Control Order, 2016.

5. No trading/stocking of raw jute will be allowed by any trader/dealer/agency or stockists etc. without registration certificate issued by this office. Any contravention of this order will be punishable under Section 7 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955.

Note: Those traders whose application date is from 07-07-2023 to 30-11-2023 and they have NOT been issued registration yet AND those traders who have been allowed rectification of shortcomings vide this office Circular dated 09-01-2024 are STRICTLY DIRECTED TO NOT APPPLY AGAIN FOR REGISTRATION as the registration process is still ongoing. They are advised to follow this office website regularly for updates.

(Moloy Chandan Chakrabortty)
Jute Commissioner

To

1) All traders/dealers/agencies/stockists/brokers etc. of raw jute.

2) The President, Jute Balers' Association, 12, India Exchange Place, Kolkata- 700 001.