JUTE BATCHING OIL ORDER OF 28TH AUGUST, 2001

S.O. 828(E) - Whereas, the Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests vide G.S.R. 457 (E) dated 4th October, 1996 imposed certain restrictions for the use of Non-halogenated Hydrocarbons in the manufacture of Hessian and Sackings, therefore in exercise of the powers conferred by clauses 4 and 6 of the Jute and Jute Textiles Control Order, 2000. I, A. K. Kapas Jute Commissioner, hereby direct that content of Non-halogenated Hydrocarbon (Jute Batching Oil) on dry de-oiled basis in the jute goods for packaging purposes in India shall not exceed 3% by weight.

I further direct that no person shall manufacture and / or hold stock of jute goods meant for packaging purposes having more than 3 % Non-halogenated Hydrocarbons (Jute Batching Oil) by weight.

Any person who contravenes the above order shall be punishable under Section 7 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955.

This notification shall take effect from the date of its publication in the official gazette.

A. K. Kapas, Jute Commissioner.