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No. Jute (Mktg)/160/80-III

Date : 06-03-2017

To
The Chief Commissioner of Customs,
“Customs House”
15/1, Strand Road,
Kolkata – 700001.

Sub: Illegal import of jute bags from Bangladesh and Nepal.

Sir,

The Jute Commissioner has issued a Notification dated 03-03-2017 stipulating certain conditions on import of raw jute and jute goods. A copy of the Notification is **enclosed**.

You are requested to forward the Notification to all concerned officers posted at different borders with the request to implement the Notification dated 03-03-2017. This Notification supersedes all earlier Notifications.

Yours faithfully,

(Dipankar Mahto)

Deputy Jute Commissioner.

Copy to :

Assistant Commissioner of Customs,
LCS Petrapole, Bangaon, West Bengal.

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NOTIFICATION
Kolkata, the 3rd March, 2017

S.O. _____ Pursuant to Clause 4(2) of the Jute and Jute Textiles Control Order 2016 and in supersession of Notification No. S.O. 4158 (E) dated 22-12-2016 published in the Gazette of India, the Jute Commissioner hereby directs all the manufacturers, importers, processors, traders of jute and jute textiles to mark / print / brand the items of jute and jute textiles mentioned in Column (2) of the table below with the corresponding words specified in the Column (3):-

TABLE

S.No. (1)	Description of Jute Textiles (2)	Words to be marked/printed/branded (3)
1.	Every bag manufactured fully from Indian jute.	(a) "Manufactured in India" on the body of the bag.
2.	Every packed bale of Indian jute products manufactured fully from Indian jute.	(a) "Manufactured in India" and name of the manufacturer on the pack sheet of the bale.
3.	Every imported jute bag	(a) "Bag made in – Country of Origin" (b) "Not to be used for packing foodgrains and sugar" on the body of the bag of below 25 inches in width and 40 inches in length.
4.	Imported sacking jute cloth(in cut or roll form)	(a) "Cloth made in – Country of Origin" at every six feet on the cloth
5.	Every imported packed bale containing raw jute or jute products	(a) "Made in Country of Origin" (b) (i) Raw Jute: "Not to be used for manufacture of jute products for packing foodgrains and sugar". (ii) Jute Products: "Not to be used for packing foodgrains and sugar". (c) Name & Address of the Importer
6.	Imported jute yarn.	(a) "Made in Country of Origin". (b) Name & Address of the Importer on the outside covers.

Jute Commissioner further directs all the importers of jute and jute textiles to abide by the following stipulations:-

(a) Printing shall be made with indelible ink and total Marking/Printing/Branding size shall be at least 2 inches per letter.

(b) In every imported sacking jute bag or cloth of below 25 inches in width, there should be four consecutive RED warp threads at a distance of about 15 cm of the edge and four consecutive GREEN warp threads at a distance of about 30 cm from the edge.

The aforesaid order will come into force from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette and will be valid until further order.



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A.MADHUKUMAR REDDY, Jute Commissioner