

**R K Trivedi**  
Executive Director



Ref. NSAI/2022/007

Date: 21-03-2022

To,  
The Secretary,  
Consumer Affairs,  
Department of Consumer Affairs,  
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution,  
Government of India, Krishi Bhavan,  
New Delhi – 110114

**Dear Sir,**

**Sub: Legal Metrology (Packaged Commodities) Amendment Rules, 2021 – Reg.**

**Ref:** Gazette Notification No. G.S.R. 779(E) dated 21-11-2021 of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Consumer Affairs), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.

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We submit that the Central Government, vide Gazette Notification cited above, has made certain amendments to the Legal Metrology (Packaged Commodities) Rules, 2011 and this amendment comes into force on the **1<sup>st</sup> day of April 2022**.

In this connection, it is submitted that the seed industry is having huge inventory of packing material, which complies with the existing Rules.

In view of the above, we request to kindly consider postponing **implementation of the above amendment till December, 2022** and thereafter permit to affix the sticker on the leftover packing material, if any, in order to avoid huge loss to the industry.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

  
**R K Trivedi**