

New Delhi, dated the 14th July, 2010


OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub.-: Movement of Urea Fertilizers through coastal shipping – Amendment to the Order dated 25th June 2010- reg.

In continuation to this Department's Orders of even number dated 25th June, 2010, conveying the decision of the Government on movement of subsidised urea fertilizers through coastal shipping as an additional mode of transportation, the undersigned is directed to say that it has been decided in the Department to restrict the coastal freight under the subsidy regime on the basis of rail/road freight including "Peak Season Surcharge" for coastal freight so to bring the coastal freight at par with rail/road freight. Accordingly Para 9 of Order dated 25th June 2010 notifying the Standard Operating Procedure(SOP) for movement of urea through coastal Shipping may be amended as below:-

"The notional freight would be based on railway charges for movement of fertilizers from plant/port to the nearest railway rake point to the final destination. The road freight would be worked out on the basis of the normative lead applicable for final destination as per the per kilometer rate applicable for the same. The actual freight payment will be restricted to the rail/road freight to the destination or actual freight incurred whichever is less".

2. Other conditions in Standard Operating Procedure for movement of subsidized urea fertilizers through coastal shipping would remain unchanged.
3. This, issues with the approval of competent authority.


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