No.19011/21/2014-MPR Government of India Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers Department of Fertilizers

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 20th February 2015

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:

Date of induction of SSP units under Subsidy Scheme and recognition of Trial Production –regarding.

The undersigned is directed to state that under the existing guidelines for induction of New SSP units under the Nutrient Based Subsidy (NBS) scheme, the units are required to undergo a First Technical Inspection by PDIL/FEDO to confirm that the unit is technically competent to manufacture SSP as per the standards laid down in FCO and that the unit has installed the plants/machinery as per the capacity claimed and consent to operate granted by State Pollution Control Board. Based on the technical report of PDIL/FEDO, the Department issues a notification inducting the SSP unit making it eligible for production under the NBS scheme

- 2. It has been observed that many SSP units start commercial production before their induction into NBS Scheme and submit subsidy claims for the SSP produced before getting inducted formally into the NBS Scheme.
- 3. It is, accordingly, clarified that new SSP units will be inducted into the NBS scheme from the date of issue of the notification by this Department only after the 1st Technical Inspection of the plant by PDIL/FEDO is accepted by the competent authority. The SSP produced from the date of induction of the SSP unit into the NBS Scheme shall be eligible for subsidy subject to fulfillments of other conditions of subsidy payment. However, taking into account the fact that new SSP units are required to run the plant on trial basis before the actual commercial production and also at the time of first time technical inspection before the PDIL/FEDO inspection team, it has been decided to recognize the SSP produced by the new SSP units during trial run of the plant and at the time of first technical inspection of the unit upto a maximum of 3 days recognized capacity of the plant to be eligible for subsidy.
- 4. The new SSP unit after induction into the NBS scheme, will submit the details of SSP produced during the trial production and at the time of first technical inspection alongwith the details of raw material purchased and consumed to the office of Director (FA), Dept. of Fertilizers, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi for initial uploading of raw material and SSP data in the Fertilizer Monitoring System.

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