## No. 19011/29/2013-MPR Government of India Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers Department of Fertilizers

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi Dated the 16th February, 2016

## OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Notification of Jhamarkotra Rock Phosphate Chips (30% P2O5) as primary raw material for manufacturing SSP under the NBS Policy.

The undersigned is directed to refer to this Department's letter No. 19011/33/2001-MPR dated 10.8.2005 regarding use of grades of Rock Phosphate for manufacturing SSP under the Concession Scheme/NBS Policy. These guidelines, inter alia, lay down that Department of Fertilizers will notify the grade/blending of Rock Phosphate after one year, after being satisfied about the feasibility of production of SSP, as per the FCO specification, based on the recommendation of PDIL.

- 2. Based on the recommendation of PDIL, SSP industry was allowed provisionally for a period of one year to use RSMML's Rock Phosphate Chips having 30% P2O5 content as primary rock phosphate for manufacturing SSP under the NBS Policy.
- 3. Now, based on the final recommendation of PDIL, RSMML's Rock Phosphate Chips having 30% P2O5 content is hereby notified/specified for using as primary rock for production of SSP under the NBS Policy with immediate effect, by the SSP industry.
- 4. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

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To,

- 1. All Chief Secretaries of States/UTs.
- 2. All Agriculture Production Commissioner/Secretaries/ Director Agriculture of all States/ UTs.
- 3. All manufacturers/marketers of SSP.
- 4. Managing Director of PDIL and FEDO.
- 5. DG, Fertilizers Association of India.

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