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Government of India
Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers
Department of Fertilizers

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 19th June, 2012

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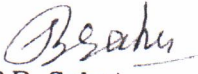
- 1) All Chief Secretaries of States/Union Territories.
- 2) All Agricultural Production Commissioners/ Secretaries (Agriculture)/
Commissioners/ Commissionerate/ Director (Agriculture)/ Directorate of Agriculture
of the State Governments/UTs.

**Sub: Use of subsidized fertilizers by manufacturers of mixture fertilizers
and customized fertilizers - regarding**

In pursuance to decision taken during the meeting held on 3.4.2012 under the chairmanship of Secretary (Fertilizers) with the representatives of State Governments and fertilizer companies, the undersigned is directed to convey the following in respect of Mixture and Customized fertilizers:

It is reiterated that -

- (i) mixture/customized fertilizer manufacturers shall be allowed to source the subsidized P&K fertilizers and Urea directly from the manufacturers/ importers only after it is received in the district. In no case the mixture/customized fertilizers should be allowed to source subsidized fertilizers from dealers/retailers.
 - (ii) In order to monitor usage of subsidized fertilizers in the manufacture of Mixture & Customized fertilizers, Department of Fertilizers will register all mixture/customized fertilizer manufacturers in Fertilizer Monitoring System (FMS) as it is done in case of dealers in a time-bound manner.
 - (iii) Mixture/customized fertilizer manufacturers will have to send the report of receipt of subsidized fertilizers through mobile FMS (mFMS). After receipt of information from mixture/customized fertilizer manufacturers, the balance payment of subsidy shall be released to the manufacturers/importers of subsidized fertilizers by DoF.
2. Director (Fertilizer Accounts), Dept. of Fertilizers will take necessary follow up action in respect of points (ii) and (iii) above and may issue necessary guidelines in this respect. All manufacturers of mixture/customized fertilizers may be directed to get in touch with the office of Director (Fertilizer Accounts) (Tel. No. 011-23062608; e-mail: dirfa-fert@nic.in) for guidance, if required, in this regard.


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- 1) Secretary, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
- 2) Joint Secretary (INM), Dept. of Agriculture & Cooperation, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
- 3) Executive Director, FICC, Department of Fertilizers, New Delhi.
- 4) Director (FA), Department of Fertilizers.
- 5) Director General, Fertilizer Association of India (FAI).
- 6) All manufacturers & Importers of subsidized fertilizers.
- 7) All SSP manufacturers.
- 8) Fertilizer Mixture Manufacturers Association of India (R).
- 9) NIC, DoF for uploading it on website