No. 23011/18/2015-MPR Government of India Ministry of Chemicals & Fertilizers Department of Fertilizers

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 22nd December, 2016

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:

Implementation of the Nutrient Based Subsidy (NBS) policy for Phosphatic and Potassic (P&K) Fertilizers and revision in the NBS Rates for 2016-17 - regarding.

The undersigned is directed to invite a reference to this Department O.M. of even number dated 30th March 2016 notifying NBS subsidy rates for 2016-17, wherein it has been mentioned that the subsidy rates will be reviewed on half yearly basis.

2. The per Kg subsidy rates on the nutrients, namely Nitrogen (N), Phosphate (P), Potash (K) and Sulphur (S) contained in P&K fertilizers covered under NBS Policy, applicable from 1.10.2016, have been reviewed. It has been decided to maintain the same rates as notified on 30.3.2016 and reproduced below for the rest of the year from 1.10.2016 to 31.3.2017:

S. No	Nutrients	NBS (Rs. per Kg of Nutrient)
1	N	15.854
2	Р	13.241
. 3	K	15.470
4	S	2.044

- 3. Similarly, the per MT subsidy on various grades of P&K fertilizers covered under FCO and NBS Policy and other provisions of the NBS Scheme shall remain unchanged for the rest of the year 2016-17 as mentioned in this Department's O.M. of even number dated 30.03.2016.
- 4. This issues with the concurrence of IFD vide diary No.1270/AS&FA dated 22nd December, 2016 and approval of the competent authority.

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- 12. Director (Movement)/Director (FPP), Dept. of Fertilizers, New Delhi.
- 13. All P&K Fertilizer Manufacturers& importers.

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