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Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare

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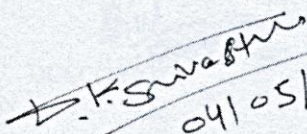
OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Relaxation for revalidation of certified seed after expiry of validity period- reg.

In continuation of O.M. of even no. date 09.04.2021, undersigned is directed to convey the approval of Competent Authority of this Department for further extending the period to apply for the revalidation of seed lots (**for first revalidation**) after the expiry period till the final recommendation of ICAR in this regards. The first revalidation will be for six months only from the date of testing of seed lots.

All State Seed Certification Agencies are advised to consider the request of Seed Producing Agencies for revalidation of the seeds lot after expiry period **for first revalidation of seed lots only**.

Accordingly, all State Seed Certification Agencies are advised to refrain from revalidation of the seed lots beyond 1st revalidation. All other terms and conditions as stipulated in Annexure-XII of IMSCS – 2013 shall remain unchanged including the condition that re-testing during revalidation of the seed lots must be in conformity to minimum prescribed standards.


04/05/2022
(Dr. Dilip Kr. Srivastava)
Deputy Commissioner (QC)

Distribution:

1. All State Seed Certification Agencies.
2. All State Seed Corporation including NSC.
3. The Director of Agriculture of all States and UTs.
4. The Director of Horticulture of all States and UTs.
5. The Executive Director, NSAI, New Delhi
6. The Executive Director, FSII, New Delhi.

Copy for favor of information to:-

1. PPS to Secretary (A&FW), DA&FW, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. PPS to Agriculture Commissioner, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
3. PPS to Joint Secretary (Seeds), Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. PPS to ADG (Seeds), ICAR, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.