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विपणन एवं निरीक्षण निदेशालय/Directorate of Marketing & Inspection,
गुणवत्ता नियंत्रण अनुभाग/Quality Control Section,
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Date: 27.02.2024

To,

M/s Geo-Chem Laboratories Pvt. Ltd.,
Pr agati, Adjacent to Crompton Greaves,
Kanjur Marg(E) Mumbai-400042

Subject: Renewal of Certificate of Approval of M/s Geo-Chem Laboratories Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai for Grading & Marking of fresh Fruits & Vegetables for Export under AGMARK reg.

Sir,

With reference to your application No. GC/KJM/PSB/001/2023-24 dated 13.05.2023 & Nil dated 05.01.2024 and same has been forwarded by DMI, Regional Office-Mumbai vide their letter No.Q.11036/17/2012/WR/F&V/1214 & Q.11036/17/2012/WR/F&V/1416 dated 04.12.2023 & 19.01.2024 respectively. It is hereby informed that your laboratory is renewed **upto 14.05.2025** for grading & marking of fresh Fruits & Vegetables under AGMARK for Export (**Certificate of Authorization No.: B/2:068**)

It is also informed that you will strictly comply with provisions of the Agricultural Produce (Grading & Marking) Act, 1937, General Grading & Marking Rules, 1988 (as amended), concerned Commodity Grading & Marking Rules and instructions issued by the Agricultural Marketing Adviser to the Govt. of India or any officer authorized by him from time to time. It may be ensured that grading is undertaken only by approved chemists & Certificate of AGMARK Grading (CAG) is issued only by Authorized designated person of the laboratory.

The CAG will be issued subject to the following terms & conditions:

1. The approval of the laboratory is valid on date.
2. The consignment has been inspected by the approved chemist of the laboratory.
3. The information in the prescribed inspection report provides the complete details of the lot inspected.
4. All the requirements prescribed in General Grading & Marking Rules, 1988, Fruits & Vegetables Grading & Marking Rules, 2004 (as amended) and instructions issued from time to time are adhered to.
5. The Authorized packers have deposited the prescribed Grading Charges in advance.
6. The details of Grading Charges realized from authorized packers should be forward to concerned Regional Office fortnightly under intimation to Head Office.

7. The details of CAG issued are sent to concerned office of DMI every week.
8. Strictly comply the provisions of Food Safety parameters contained in Fruits & Vegetables Grading & Marking Rules, 2004, as amended from time to time & requirement of importing countries.

Further, the approval of the laboratory may be withdrawn at any time by the competent authority if there are sufficient reasons to believe that grading & marking is not correctly done or the rules, instructions issued thereof are not followed and the laboratory has become ineligible for approval as per guidelines issued in this regard. It is further instructed to maintain the records related to the analysis for verification as & when required. The approval of the laboratory is renewed and remains valid upto **14.05.2025(NABL validity)**. **Any Communication for approval of renewal of laboratory in physical mode shall not be accepted in future. So, please onboard on AQCMS portal immediately.**

The receipts of this letter may be acknowledged.

Encls: **Certificate of Authorization No.: B/2:068**

Yours faithfully


(Jitendra Singh)

Asstt. Agricultural Marketing Adviser
for Agricultural Marketing Adviser
to the Govt. of India

Copy for information to:

1. The Director, APEDA, 3rd Floor, NCUI Building, 3 Siri Institutional Area, August Kranti Marg, New Delhi-110016.
2. Dy.AMA, In-charge, Regional Office-Mumbai with reference to his letter No. Q.11036/17/2012/WR/F&V/1214 & Q.11036/17/2012/WR/F&V/1416 dated 04.12.2023 & 19.01.2024.
3. In-charge Regional Offices of DMI (Bhopal, Chandigarh, Chennai, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Jaipur, Kochi, Kolkata, Lucknow, New Delhi) (Through email).
4. Guard File


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