

File No. 15-114/2014-SD-IV  
Government of India  
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare  
Dept. of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare  
(Seed Division)

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Room No. 116, B-Wing,  
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Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.

Subject:- Amendment in the 'Indian Minimum Seed Certification Standards-2013

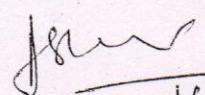
The Competent Authority has approved the following amendment in Appendix- XII at para (f) 554 of Indian Minimum Seed Certification Standards, 2013. After para (e) three para (f), (g) & (h) are added.

- (f) In case the revalidation is requested after the expiry of previous validity period, such extension will be valid only for a period of three months from the date of test.
- (g) After expiry of the validity period the holder of the certified seed stock shall ensure that the left-over certified seed will be withdrawn from the sale and kept in safe custody and ambient conditions (proper required conditions) till it is offered for revalidation to a Certification Agency. The holder of the stock of such seed shall not carry on the business of selling, keeping for sale, offering to sale, bartering or otherwise supplying the seed unless it is validated by a Certification Agency".
- (h) A complete record shall be maintained by the Certification Agency of each lot offered for extension of the validity period.

The other conditions as mentioned in Annexure - XII will remain unchanged.

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ii) Directors/ Managing Directors (All Seed Certification Agencies).  
iii) Directors/ Managing Directors (All States Seed Development Corporation)  
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NO. Tech-5/F.No.57/Amendment/Revalidation/2912-31/17  
Guj. State seed certifi. Agency, A'bad. 27-1-17

The undersigned is directed to forward the above amendment in IMSCS-2013 dated 12<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2017 for information & n/a.

Copy to: (1) All Technical Bx Tech-1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9 for information & n/a.

By FW to: (2) Managing Director, Guj. State Seed Corporation Ltd, Sector-10, G' Nagar for n/a.

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