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To

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Subject: Agro Chem Federation of India (ACFI)-reg.

Ref: Your email message dated 27.01.2020

In reference to above, your delegtion held a meeting with Hon'ble seceratery Agricultrure, Punjab and discussed various issues related to Agriculture Department, Punjab.

Delegation pointed out that Department of Agriculture Punjab is asking for Adhaar Card/Resident Address of all the directors of company before issuing fertilizers licensce and had requested for submitting only one responsible person's details in stead of all directors.

In this regard it is stated that every company nominate its responsible person under clause 24 of Fertilizer Control Order-1985 who is held responsible for compliance of the various clauses of FCO. Documents like affidavit, nomination and adhaar card of that person are asked by the departments when license is issued to any company/firm. In case if fertilizers sample is found nonstandard, a court case is filed as per the provesions of FCO-1985. In some of the cases, responsible person do not appears in the Hon'ble court besides issuing the summens. In such cases Hon'ble Court asked the notified authority to provide detailed information of company directors so that legal action against the accused company can be taken as per the law. In the absence of such documents in record, legal action may affect adversly.

Directors of the company may change from time to time, but directors who were incharge at the period of sampling are held responsible. To call/contact the changed/ retiered directors of the company, their permanent resident addresses are required. So keeping is view above circumstances, Adhaar Card copies/ permanent address of all the directors/partners of every company/ firm is asked by the department while issuing any fertilizers license.

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