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निर्यात विकास प्राधिकरण  
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**Agricultural and Processed Food Products  
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### Advisory

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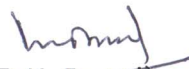
Exporters to Japan

Recently we have received several complaints through the Indian Embassy in Japan about violation of Japanese sanitation law in agricultural products exported from India. We have received several complaints in shipments of *cassia torea* seeds and now another complaint has been received about Chickpeas and its processed products.

Such violations are detrimental to the interest of the Indian export of agricultural products to an important market like Japan. It is therefore essential that exporters abide by the food sanitation laws of the importing countries before making shipment to ensure compliance with the residue levels of agro chemicals permitted in the importing countries.

Japan hitherto has been carrying out monitoring inspection of 30% but in view of recent detections, they have mentioned incorporation of 100% inspection if such violations are traced again.

Exporters are therefore advised to be cautious in future and ensure that no products are dispatched in violation of the Sanitation Laws of the importing countries especially Japan.

  
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