To
1. All Grape Exporters/Farmers
2. All Grape Growers' Federations
3. Maharashtra Rajya Draksha Bagaitdar Sangh, Pune
4. Fruit & Vegetable Association, Mumbai
5. All nominated laboratories
6. Director, National Research Centre for Grapes, Pune
7. All concerned Agriculture/Horticulture Officers – A P, Karnataka & Maharashtra
8. All PSC issuing Authorities – A P, Karnataka & Maharashtra
9. Commissioner, Horticulture, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh
10. Secretary, Agriculture, Govt. of Karnataka
11. Commissioner, Agriculture, Govt. of Maharashtra
12. Director, Agriculture – Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka & Maharashtra
13. Managing Director, M S A M B, Pune
14. Agriculture Marketing Adviser, DMI, New Delhi
15. All regional Agmark offices – A P, Karnataka, Maharashtra
16. Apeda Regional offices – Bangalore, Hyderabad & Mumbai
17. Existing recognized Packhouses

Sub: “Regulation of export of fresh grapes to the European Union through control of pesticide/drug residues” for the 2008 grape season.

Dear Sirs/Madam,

This is further to our e.mail of 31st December 2007 enclosing RMP Grapes for the 2008 grape season. In this connection, the following amendments are made in the residue-monitoring document for the 2008 grape season:

1. Point No. 4.7, 3rd line, the word `Form 5(B)’ is modified to read as `Form 4(B)’.

2. Point No. 6.8 is modified to read as follows:

   `In case, the test results exceed the MRLs with respect to the destination of the consignment declared by the exporter/farmer, information of failure of test results will reach the NRL, Horticulture/Agriculture officers (whose address is given in Annexure – 2) and APEDA through GrapeNet. In such cases, the laboratories shall send chromatograms, etc. to the NRL by e.mail’.

3. Annexure – 8, point no. 3, the words `Registration Certificate’ and `Annexure – 4(B)’ are deleted from the sentence, which will now read as follows:

   `3. I have also obtained a copy of the Annexure – 2 from the farmer.’
4. Annexure – 2, Page 2, last sentence, the word ‘2007’ is modified to read as ‘2008’.

5. Annexure – 4(B), Page 2, last paragraph, 3rd line, the word ‘obtained’ is modified to read as ‘verified’.

6. Annexure – 10, point no. 13, column 4 of the table, the word ‘Determination’ is modified to read as ‘Quantification’.

We request you to kindly take note of the above amendments.

With regards,

S. Dave
Director – APEDA