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Dated: 28th October 2019

Subject: Export of Rice to Saudi Arabia

Dear Exporter,

As you are aware that Saudi Food and Drug Authority (SFDA) have agreed to source the rice from India from such rice establishments which have adopted Food Safety Management Systems (FSMS) based on international standards viz ISO 22000 and/or HACCP. In this regard, it may please be noted that that “Export of Rice to Saudi Arabia will be permitted from the rice establishments only which have adopted international standards for food safety management such as ISO22000 and/or HACCP w.e.f. November 1, 2019. Merchant Exporters can export Rice to Saudi Arabia, however, they have to provide the copy of the certificate of rice establishments from where the rice has been purchased”.

This is issued for information and necessary compliance please.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

S.S. Nayar
General Manager