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**MINISTRY OF FOOD, AGRICULTURE, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
AND COOPERATION**

(Department of Food)

ORDERS

New Delhi, the 28th March 1968

G.S.R. 622.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order further to amend the Inter-Zonal Wheat and Wheat Products (Movement Control) Order, 1964 namely:—

1. This Order may be called the Inter-Zonal Wheat and Wheat Products (Movement Control) Second Amendment Order, 1968.

2. In the Inter-Zonal Wheat and Wheat Products (Movement Control) Order, 1964:—

(1) in clause 2, in sub-clause (h), in item (iii), for the expression 'Zone III', the expression 'Zone II', shall be substituted;

(ii) in clause 3, in sub-clause (2),—

(a) for the second proviso, the following proviso shall be substituted, namely:—

“Provided further that nothing contained in sub-clause (1) or sub-clause (2) shall apply to—

(i) the export of wheat or any wheat product out of any place within Zone I to any place within the State of Jammu & Kashmir;

(ii) the import of wheat or any wheat product into any place within Zone I from any place within the State of Jammu & Kashmir;

(b) in the fourth proviso, for the expression ‘zone II’ the expression ‘zone III’ shall be substituted;

(c) in the fifth proviso, for the expressions “(Zone III)”,

“(Zone VI)” and “(Zone X)”, the expressions “(Zone II)”,

“(Zone III)” and “(Zone VII)” shall respectively be substituted

(iii) in clause 6,

(a) in sub-clause (1A), for the expression “Zone XI”, the expression “Zone VIII” shall be substituted;

(b) in sub-clause (2), in item (X), for the expression “(Zone III)”, the expression “(Zone II)” shall be substituted.

(iv) For the Schedule, the following Schedule shall be substituted.

“THE SCHEDULE

[See clause 2(g)]

Zone I	..	The States of Punjab and Haryana and the Union territories of Delhi, Himachal Pradesh and Chandigarh.
Zone II	..	The State of Uttar Pradesh.
Zone III	..	The State of Madhya Pradesh.
Zone IV	..	The State of Rajasthan.
Zone V	..	The State of Bihar.
Zone VI	..	The State of Maharashtra and the area comprising Goa in the Union territory of Goa, Daman and Diu.
Zone VII	..	The State of Gujarat, and the areas comprising Daman and Diu in the Union territory of Goa, Daman and Diu, and the Union territory of Dadra and Nagar Haveli.
Zone VIII	..	The States of Andhra Pradesh, Madras, Mysore and Kerala and the Union territory of Pondicherry.”

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1008/68-PY.II.]

G.S.R. 623.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order, namely:—

1. **Short title, extent and commencement.**—(1) This Order may be called the Northern Rice Zone (Movement Control) Order, 1968.

(2) It extends to the States of Punjab, and Haryana and the Union territories of Delhi, Himachal Pradesh and Chandigarh.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. **Definitions.**—In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

- (a) “border area” means the area within a five mile belt inside the zone all along its border;
- (b) “export” means to take or cause to be taken, by any means whatsoever, out of any place within the zone to a place outside it,
- (c) “import” means to take or cause to be taken, by any means whatsoever, into any place within the zone from a place outside it;
- (d) “rice” includes paddy and products of rice and paddy other than husk and bran;
- (e) “State Government” means the Government of a State or the Administrator of a Union territory included in the zone;
- (f) “zone” means the area comprising the States and the Union territories specified in the Schedule annexed to this Order.

3. **Restrictions on export and import of rice.**—(1) No person shall export or attempt to export or abet the export of rice except under and in accordance with a permit issued by the Central Government or the State Government concerned or by an officer authorised in that behalf by the Central Government, or, as the case may be, by that State Government;

(2) No person shall import or attempt to import or abet the import of rice except under and in accordance with a permit issued by the Central Government or the State Government concerned or by an officer authorised in that behalf by the Central Government, or, as the case may be, by that State Government:

Provided that nothing contained in sub-clauses (1) and (2) shall apply to—

- (a) the export of rice from, and import of rice into, any place within the zone—
 - (i) not exceeding five kilograms in weight in the aggregate by a *bona fide* traveller as part of his luggage;
 - (ii) on Government account;
 - (iii) under and in accordance with Military Credit Notes;
 - (iv) by or under the authority of the Food Corporation of India established under the Food Corporations Act, 1964 (37 of 1964);
- (b) the export of rice to, and the import of rice from, any place within the State of Jammu and Kashmir;

Provided further that nothing contained in sub-clause (2) shall apply to the import of gift rice received under the Indo-U.S. Agreement on Relief Supplies, 1951, and despatched by the Regional Director (Food) Bombay, Madras or Calcutta, to a nominee of the American Voluntary Relief Agency concerned for the relief purposes.

4. **Restrictions on the transport of rice to or within the border area.**—No person shall transport, attempt to transport or abet the transport of rice—

- (a) to any place in the border area from any place outside that area; or
- (b) from any place in the border area to any other place in that area;

except under and in accordance with a permit issued by the State Government concerned or any officer authorised by that Government in this behalf:

Provided that nothing contained herein shall apply to the transport of rice—

- (i) on Government account, or
- (ii) under and in accordance with Military Credit Notes, or
- (iii) within the same town or village in the border area, or

- (iv) from a village in the border area to the nearest grain market (mandi) in the zone, whether such market (mandi) is within or outside the border area, or
- (v) not exceeding twenty kilograms in weight in the aggregate at one time by a *bona fide* resident of that area for domestic consumption, or
- (vi) not exceeding five kilograms in weight in the aggregate by a *bona fide* traveller as part of his luggage, or
- (vii) being gift rice received under Indo-US Agreement on Relief Supplies, 1951, and despatched by the Regional Director (Food), Bombay, Madras or Calcutta, to a nominee of the American Voluntary Relief Agency concerned for relief purposes.

5. Powers of entry, search, seizure, etc.—Any Police Officer not below the rank of Head Constable and any other person authorised in this behalf by the State Government concerned or the Central Government may, with a view to securing compliance with this Order or to satisfying himself that this Order has been complied with,—

- (i) stop and search, or authorise any person to stop and search, any person, boat, motor or any vehicle or receptacle used or intended to be used for the export, import or transport of rice;
- (ii) enter and search or authorize any person to enter and search any place;
- (iii) seize or authorise the seizure of any rice in respect of which he suspects that any provision of this Order has been, is being or is about to be contravened along with the packages, coverings, or receptacles in which such rice is found or the animals, vehicles, vessels, boats or conveyances used in carrying such article and thereafter take or authorize the taking of all measures necessary for securing the production of the packages, coverings, receptacles, animals, vehicles, vessels, boats or conveyances so seized, in a court and for their safe custody pending such production.

(2) The provisions of sections 102 and 103 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (5 of 1898) relating to search and seizure shall, so far as may be, apply to searches and seizures under this clause.

6. Repeal.—The Northern Inter-Zonal Rice (Movement Control) Order, 1967, is hereby repealed except as respects things done or omitted to be done under the Order so repealed.

"THE SCHEDULE

[See clause 2 (f)]

The States of Punjab and Haryana and the Union territories of Delhi, Himachal Pradesh and Chandigarh.

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1009/68-PY.II.]

G.S.R. 624.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby rescinds the Orders issued by the Central Government as specified in Schedule I and those issued by the State Governments as specified in Schedule II below with immediate effect:—

Provided that such rescission shall not affect—

- (a) the previous operation of the said Orders or anything duly done or suffered thereunder, or
- (b) any right, privilege, obligation or liability acquired, accrued or incurred under the said Orders, or
- (c) any penalty, forfeiture or punishment incurred in respect of any offence committed against the said Orders, or

- (d) any investigation, legal proceeding or remedy in respect of any such right, privilege, obligation, liability, penalty, forfeiture or punishment as aforesaid;

and any such investigation, legal proceeding or remedy may be instituted, continued or enforced and any such penalty, forfeiture or punishment may be imposed as if the said Orders had not been rescinded.

SCHEDULE I

1. The Northern Inter-Zonal Gram (Movement Control) Order, 1967.
2. The Andhra Pradesh Gram (Export Control) Order, 1966.

SCHEDULE II

1. The Assam Restriction on Movement of Gram and Gram dal Order, 1966.
2. The Andhra Pradesh Gram (Export Control) order, 1966.
3. The Gujarat Gram (Export Control) Order, 1966.
4. The Madras Gram (Export Control) Order, 1966.
5. The Madhya Pradesh Gram (Export Control) Order, 1967.
6. The Madhya Pradesh Barley (Export Control) Order, 1967.
7. The Pondicherry Gram (Export Control) Order, 1966.
8. The Punjab Coarse Grains (Export Control) Order, 1966.
9. The Punjab Coarse Grains (Export Control) Order, 1966, as extended to the State of Haryana.
10. The Rajasthan Gram and Barley (Prohibition of Export) Order, 1966.
11. The Rajasthan Coarse Grains (Prohibition of Export) Order, 1966.

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1010/68-PY.II.]

G.S.R. 625.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order further to amend the Order issued by the Government of Bihar published under No. 12080-SC., dated the 30th June, 1966, namely:—

In the said Order, the words "gram, and gram dal and barley" wherever they occur shall be omitted.

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1011/68-PY.II.]

G.S.R. 626.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order further to amend the Mysore Foodgrains (Regulation of Export Order, 1966, namely:—

1. This Order may be called the Mysore Foodgrains (Regulation of Export) Amendment Order, 1968.

2. In the Schedule to the Mysore Foodgrains (Regulation of Export) Order, 1966, item "8. Gram" shall be omitted.

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1012/68-PY.II.]

G.S.R. 627.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order further to amend the Uttar Pradesh Coarse Foodgrains (Movement Control) Order, 1966, namely:—

1. This Order may be called the Uttar Pradesh Coarse Foodgrains (Movement Control) Amendment Order, 1968.

2. In the Uttar Pradesh Coarse Foodgrains (Movement Control) Order, 1966, in the Schedule, item "4. Barley" shall be omitted.

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1013/68-PY.II.]

G.S.R. 628.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order further to amend the Delhi Coarse Grain (Export Control) Order, 1966, namely:—

1. This Order may be called the Delhi Coarse Grain (Export Control) Amendment Order, 1968.

2. In the Delhi Coarse Grain (Export Control) Order, 1966, in sub-clause (d) of clause 2, the words “or Barley including barley ghat” shall be omitted.

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1014/68-PY.II.]

G.S.R. 629.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Central Government hereby makes the following Order further to amend the Delhi Specified Food Articles (Movement Control) Order, 1966, namely:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) This Order may be called the Delhi Specified Food Articles (Movement Control) Amendment Order, 1968.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. In the Delhi Specified Food Articles (Movement Control) Order, 1966,

(i) in sub-clause (i) of clause 1, for the word ‘Articles’, the word ‘Article’ shall be substitute,

(ii) in clause 2, for sub-clause (c), the following sub-clause shall be substituted, namely:—

“(c) “specified food article” means sugar.”;

(iii) for the words “Specified food articles” wherever they occur, the words “Specified food article” shall be substituted.

[No. 204(GL)(1)/1015/68-PY.II.]

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