

पौधा किस्म और कृषक अधिकार संरक्षण प्राधिकरण, (संसद के अधिनियम द्वारा निर्मित साविधिक निकाय) Protection of Plant Varieties & Farmers' Rights Authority (A Statutory Authority Created by an Act of Parliament)

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India एन ए एस सी काम्प्लैक्स, डी पी एस मार्ग,निकट टोडापुर गांव, नई दिल्ली-110012 NASC Complex, DPS Marg, Opp. Todapur Village, New Delhi 110012 Tel: 011 - 25843388, Fax: 011-25840478, E-mail:- la-ppvfra@nic.in

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PUBLIC NOTICE (1 of 2021)

Subject: - Guidelines to use the Logo of PPV&FR Authority.

In pursuance of the provision under Section 17 of PPVFR Act (2001), Regulation 8(2)(a) of PPVFR Regulations, (2006), the following Guidelines are being issued to be followed by Registered Breeder/Agent/Licensee/Authorised Breeder on the packet/container or label on the package carrying the seed/seeding material of the registered variety for selling:

- This notice is for immediate implementation from the date of issue of this Public Notice, and is mandatory for use on every packet seed or seeding material being marketed of a registered variety from 1st September 2021.
- 2. In the case of already registered varieties, all concerned Registered Breeders must obtain a printable non-editable softcopy version of the logo to be used on the outer side of the seed seeding material packet/packing of the variety along with the REG No. of the specific variety.
- Henceforth, all new registration documents issued by the Registrar PPVFRA shall
 contain the logo softcopy related to the specific variety to be used on the seed or
 seeding material packet/container or label on the package of the variety.
- 4. Only the Registered Breeder of a variety who has registered the variety under PPV&FR Act, 2001 or his Agent/Licensee/Authorised Breeder who have signed an agreement with the registered breeder for marketing the variety is entitled to use the PPV&FR Authority logo carrying the REG No. at the base of the logo mandatorily on the outer side of the seed or seeding material packet/container or label on the package to be sold.
- 5. The PPV&FR Authority logo with the REG No. of the registered variety must be used only in relation to the registered variety. The logo shall be used as a visible

indication upon or in any physical or in any other relation whatsoever to such registered variety. The official logo is as hereunder: -



- 6. The PPV&FR Authority logo shall appear in a conspicuous place on the seed or seeding material packet/container or label on the package in connection with the particular registered variety whose REG No. is displayed at the base of the logo.
- 7. The color combination, appearance of PPV&FR Authority logo can be in Indian Flag green or black
- 8. The officials of PPV&FR Authority are entitled to use this PPV&FRA logo on official stationery, demi-official stationery, official correspondences, certificates and advertisements issued by PPV&FR Authority. The size of the logo can be increased or decreased depending upon the size of the material in which it is used in relation to a registered variety, but should be of a size that enables easy readability of the alphanumeric on the logo.
- 9. Unauthorized use of PPV&FR logo attracts legal action.

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