

F.No. 45-64/2010-Hort.
Government of India
Department of Agriculture & Cooperation
(Horticulture Division)

Krishi Bhvan, New Delhi
Dated: 25th February, 2010

Subject: Technical Standards for Cold Storages - Reg.

The undersigned is directed to convey the approval of Competent Authority for setting up of following cold storages as per the technical standards submitted by the Technical Standards Committee ((TSC) on Cold Storages constituted by the Task Force on Cold Chain Development.

1. Fresh horticulture produce not requiring pre-cooling before storage
(Technical Standards Number NHB-CS-Type 01-2010)
2. Fresh horticulture produce requiring pre-cooling before storage
(Technical Standards Number NHB-CS-Type 02-2010)
3. Control atmosphere cold stores
(Technical Standards Number NHB-CS-Type 03-2010)

In this regard, it is informed that all the project proposals received under various schemes of this Department viz, NHM, TMNE, NHB etc., for setting up of Cold Chain Projects of above categories should invariably comply to the said prescribed technical standards w.e.f.01.04.2010. The details of technical standards, specifications etc. of the above cold storages are enclosed. Alternatively, details are also available on websites of this Department, <http://agricoop.nic.in>; www.nhm.nic.in; <http://nhb.gov.in>.

Enclosed: Reports of Technical Standards
for Type 01,02 & 03 - 3 Nos.

(L. Shivarama Reddy)
Dy. Commissioner (Hort.)

To

1. Mission Director, State Horticulture Mission - all NHM States
2. Director (Horticulture./Agriculture) - all TMNE States
3. Chairman, NABARD, Mumbai
4. Managing Director, National Horticulture Board, Gurgaon
5. Managing Director, NCDC, New Delhi
6. Managing Director, NAFED, New Delhi
7. Managing Director, NHRDF, Nasik
8. Managing Director, SFAC, New Delhi
9. Deputy Director General (Horticulture), ICAR, New Delhi
10. Chairman, APEDA, New Delhi
11. Chairman, Coconut Development Board, Kochi,
12. Joint Secretary, RKVY, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
13. Joint Secretary (Marketing), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
14. Joint Secretary, Ministry of Food Processing Industries, August Kranti Marg,
New Delhi
15. Horticulture Commissioner, DAC, New Delhi

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1. PPS to Secretary (A&C)/PPS to Special Secretary
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