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F. No. 5-5(A.P.O.)/2018-Sugar Control
Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and PD
Department of Food and PD
(Directorate of Sugar)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
Dated:- 04th April, 2024.

To,

CEO/MDs of all Sugar mills.

Subject:- Central procurement of sugar by A.P.O. for consumption of troops for the Consumption Year 2024-25 carried out on Government e-Marketplace (GeM) -regarding.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to convey that procurement of sugar by Army Purchase Organization (APO) for FY 2024-25 will be carried out through Government e-Marketplace (GeM) and under self certification wherein quality check will be carried out by NABL Labs. Further, it is informed that APO has uploaded bid No. GEM/2024/B/4779090 dated 20.03.2024 and ATC No. 62502/Q/1/ATC/2024-25/sugar/APO (Pur-I) dated 20.03.2024 on GeM portal.

2. It is also informed that the successful bidding sugar mills for supplying sugar to APO will be exempted from monthly stock holding limit for the quantity of sugar finalized by A.P.O. for the consumption year 2024-25, upto a maximum quantity of **37,384 MT**. However, the additional quantity supplied to APO over and above the monthly release quota of the concerned mill, will be adjusted against their monthly release quota in subsequent months.

3. In view of the above, all sugar mills may like to register themselves on Government e-Marketplace (GeM) and participate in bidding process for supply of sugar to Army Purchase Office.

Yours faithfully,


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04/4/2024

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Copy to:-

1. The Chief Director (Purchase), Army Purchase Organization, (A.P.O.).
2. ISMA/NFCSF – {with a request to circulate this advisory to member mills for taking necessary action}