F. No. 11/3/2021-(BP&E)(Partl) Government of India Ministry of Consumer Affairs, F&PD Department of Food & Public Distribution Directorate of Sugar and Vegetable Oils

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi, Dated: 29 August, 2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Holding supply of FCI rice under Open Market Sale Scheme (OMSS) to distilleries for ethanol production-reg.

The undersigned is directed to convey the decision of the Competent Authority that ethanol distilleries may also be allowed to participate in auction of FCI to private traders while ensuring compliance of following points:

- a. The distilleries may be allowed to participate in e-auction and lift the rice during Aug-Oct 2024 as per the final auction rate of rice every week.
- b. The rice may be allowed for lifting subject to allocation of ethanol to the concerned distilleries by OMCs using FCI rice as feedstock.
- c. Maximum 23 LMT rice may be allowed for lifting to ethanol distilleries.

(Sangeet)
Director (Sugar)
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To,

The Chairman & Managing Director, Food Corporation of India, New-Delhi-110 001

Copy to:

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- The Secretary
 Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas
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