## केन्द्रीय मुहर विभाग–2

संदर्भ -: केमूवी-2/16:6046

15 09 2023

विषय: संशोधित IS 6046:2023 के अनुपालन के दिशा निर्देश

यह उपरोक्त विषय के संदर्भ में है।

सक्षम अधिकारी द्वारा अनुमोदित दिशानिर्देश अनुपालन हेतु संलग्न है।

सभी क्षेत्रीय/शाखा कार्यालयों से अनोरोध है की दिशानिर्देशों का तत्काल प्रभाव से अनुपालन सुनिश्चित करें।

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## **CENTRAL MARKS DEPARTMENT-2**

Our Ref: CMD-2/16:6046 15 09 2023

Subject: Guidelines for implementation of Revised IS 6046:2023

This has reference to the subject mentioned above.

The Competent Authority has approved the enclosed Guidelines for implementation.

All ROs/BOs are requested to ensure the implementation of the above Guidelines with immediate effect.

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## **CENTRAL MARKS DEPARTMENT-2**

Our Ref: CMD-2/16: 6046 15 09 2023

Subject: Guidelines for implementation of Revised IS 6046:2023 (Gypsum for Agricultural Use)

- 1. IS 6046:1982 has been revised as IS 6046:2023 and has been published. The last date for implementation of the revised Standard is **27 Sept 2023** after which the old Standard shall stand withdrawn.
- 2. There is currently only one licence under JKBO and no applications in process for this product.
- 3. The significant changes in the revised Standard as listed in the Table are given for the purpose of general guidance. BOs shall ensure that the product conforms to all the requirements, as applicable, as per the revised Standard.

Clause	Change
3.2,	IS 6046:1982 did not have any grades, whereas revised standard IS
table 1	6046:2023 classifies the product into three grades: Grade 1, 2 and 3
	on the basis of Calcium Sulphate Dihydrate content.
	Among these, Grade 3 is identical in terms of properties to the existing
	IS 6046:1982 whereas Grade 1 and 2 are new grades.

- 4. Consequent upon the issuance of the revised Standard, the existing product manual has been revised which is being circulated separately.
- 5. The guidelines for implementation of the revised Standard are given below:
  - i. Since Grade 3 as per IS 6046:2023 is identical in terms of properties to the existing IS 6046:1982, the existing licensee is not required to submit any evidence of conformity to the revised standard.
  - ii. However, BO shall inform the licensee regarding the revision of the standard immediately and seek confirmation regarding implementation of the revised standard latest by **27 Sept 2023**. Upon receipt of positive confirmation from the licensee, changeover shall be permitted and licence endorsed with grade 3 in the scope of the licence as per IS 6046:2023.
  - iii. Requests for addition of Grade 1 and/or Grade 2 in the scope of licence as per IS 6046:2023 shall be processed only after changeover has been completed, in accordance with extant guidelines for Change in Scope of licence.
  - iv. No licence shall be granted or application accepted as per the old standard after **27 Sept 2023.**
- 6. The above guidelines come into force with immediate effect.

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