## No. 5/12/2015 -EP(CAP) Government of India Ministry of Commerce & Industry Department of Commerce

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ED, Chemexcil

## Sub:- Regulations notified by the European Commission during June, 2016.

Sir,

I am directed to say that the following regulations are notified by European Commission during June 2016 which are related to chemicals especially point (v) and (vi) are mostly about industrial chemicals:-

(i) Commission Regulation (EU) 2016/1002 of 17 June 2016 amending Annexes II, III and V to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for AMTT, diquat, dodine, glufosinate and tritosulfuron in or on certain products. This Regulation shall apply from 14 January 2017

(ii) Commission Regulation (EU) 2016/1003 of 17 June 2016 amending Annexes II and III to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for abamectin, acequinocyl, acetamiprid, benzovindiflupyr, bromoxynil, fludioxonil, fluopicolide, fosetyl, mepiquat, proquinazid, propamocarb, prohexadione and tebuconazole in or on certain products. This Regulation shall apply from 14 July 2016.

(iii) Commission Regulation (EU) 2016/1015 of 17 June 2016 amending Annexes II and III to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for 1-naphthylacetic acid, chloridazon, fluazifop-P, fuberidazole, mepiquat and tralkoxydim in or on certain products. This Regulation shall apply from 19 January 2017.

(iv) Commission Regulation (EU) 2016/1050 of 17 June 2016 amending Annexes II and III to Regulation (EC) No 396/2005 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards maximum residue levels for ethofumesate, ethofumesate, etoxazole, fenamidone, fluoxastrobin and flurtamone in or on certain products. This Regulation shall apply from 19 January 2017.

(v) Commission Regulation (EU) 2016/1050 of 24 June 2016 amending Regulation (EU) No 1388/2013 opening and providing for the management of autonomous tariff quotas of the Union for certain agricultural and industrial products. In order to ensure the sufficient and uninterrupted supply of certain goods insufficiently produced in the Union and to avoid disturbances on the

market for certain agricultural and industrial products, autonomous tariff quotas have been opened at zero duty rates. The quota period and volume are indicated in the regulation. The regulation shall apply from 1 July 2016.

(vi) Council Regulation (EU) 2016/1051 of 24 June 2016 amending Regulation (EU) No 1387/2013 suspending the autonomous Common Customs Tariff duties on certain agricultural and industrial products. The product details and the dates foreseen for mandatory review are indicated against each product for which the import duties has been suspended. The Regulation shall apply from 1 July 2016.

2. Chemexcil is requested to take appropriate action in the matter and to raise your concerns in the form of comments to these proposed notifications within requisite timelines.

Yours faithfully,

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