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(संसद के अधिनियम द्वारा निर्मित सांविधिक निकाय)

**Protection of Plant Varieties & Farmers' Rights Authority**

(A Statutory Authority Created by an Act of Parliament)

कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार

**Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India**

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

(11 of 2024)

### Sub: - Allotment of REG Number -Date of filing - Dispensing of PVP Number -

#### Reg.

With regard to the allotment of PVP and REG numbers, the PPVFR Authority in its 39<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 03.12.2024, has decided and approved as follows: -

- a) Any application submitted for registration must have an unique identity in the form of a REG number for all purpose of reference.
- b) The date of filing of application shall mean the date on which complete form under Section 14, fees for registration under Section 18(1)(g) and seeds for DUS testing under Section 19 of the Act are received by Authority. The REG number will be allotted on the date of filing of application that is upon receipt of all the three namely application form, registration fees and seeds.
- c) The allotment of PVP number be dispensed with immediately and the REG number should only be allotted on the date of filing of application for registration of any variety.
- d) REG numbers will be allotted chronologically and sequentially to the applications as these are received by the Authority. REG number may be suffixed with the relevant year of receipt. For eg., REG/2025/1, REG/2025/2 etc.,
- e) In case the application form, fee and seed are received on different dates, the last date on which the receipt of all the three mandatory requirements are completed, would be the date of filing of the application as well the issue of REG Number.
- f) In case of vegetatively propagated crops, the applicant would submit an undertaking that planting materials of the variety being applied for would be deposited with the concerned DUS test Centre/ Field Gene Bank well before the commencement of forthcoming DUS testing season. REG number will be issued on receipt of such applications when submitted along with registration fee as well as the undertaking. However, if the Applicant fails to submit the planting materials well

before the forthcoming DUS testing season the allotted REG number would be cancelled.

- g) In case of crops notified for on-site DUS testing, REG number would be allotted when the application form is submitted along with the registration fee and an undertaking that the Applicant will submit at least 3 grafts/ clones of the variety in the said crop to the concerned Field Gene Bank/DUS centre well before the commencement of on-site DUS testing. If the applicant fails to deposit the said grafts/ clones before the commencement of on-site DUS testing, the allotted REG number would be cancelled. In case of Farmers Varieties, the PV-1 holder/facilitator would be required to deposit the grafts/ clones on behalf of the farmer(s)/ farming communities well before the commencement of on-site DUS testing.
- h) In case of varieties imported into India, REG number would be allotted if the application is submitted along with registration fee and proof of submission of the imported planting material for due Post Entry Quarantine Clearance (as per Public Notice 09 of 2023). In case the Post Entry Quarantine Clearance Order is not submitted the REG number would be cancelled.

This Public Notice is issued in supersession of Public Notice No.2 of 2019, Public Notice No.7 of 2021 and Public Notice 18 of 2021.

This comes into force with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025 and would apply to all applications filed on or after 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025.

  
(D.K. Agarwal)  
Registrar General