

7. Mzthud Of rucking (2) (3) Only sound, cl and dry made of Jute or any other ma*.eiRl ae may be approved by the Agricuitut&i Marketing Adviser shall be used for pecking. They shall be free from any insect infestation ?ungus containation and also free from any urdeimble smell. The containers shall be securely closed and sealed in a manner approved by the Agricultural Marketing Advisor. Each ptckage sha I conta;n basmati rice of the one trade description ad one grade designation m Iy, Special conditieu» o: tificate of authorisation • In addition to tke coa Gons specified in Rule 4 of the General Grading an Marking Rules, 1937, the following shall be the nditions of every certificate of auth«isüa the purpose of these rules namely (a) (b) An authorised I packer shall make such arrangements fov testing basmati rice as may be prescribed by the Agricultural ' Marketing Advisor. An auEh(Yised placker shalt provide ell as may be necessary for sampling, testing etc. to the inspecting Officers duly authorised by the Agricultural M eting Advisor, in diis behalf. 51 SCHEDULE-I(See Rule 5) Design for the Grade Designtion Mark {picture ag depicted on page 14 (Schedule 1)} SCHEDULE-I' (See rules 3 and 4) G ade desiwtation and definition of quality of Basmati Raw Milled Rice (For Export only) Special Charact«istics (Maximum Limits of Tolerance percent by weight) Grade designation Foreign Brokenes Other rice and fag-- including Damaged Moisture Special mattes 0.5 1.0 2.0 ments 3 5.0 10.0 10.0 ted gains* 4 10.0 15.0 20.0 discoloured and chalky grains. 5 1.0 2.0 3.0 6 14.0 14.0 14.0 Genera.i characteristics 7 The grains shall be long, slender, white t 1. creamy white or grayish colour and trans lucent. 2.(a) Shall be the dried matured kemels of Oryzi sativa and have uniform size, Shapc and colour; (b) (c) (d) (f) Shall. possess in a marked degree the natural fragrance characteristic of Basmati Rice bot in the raw and cooked state; shall not have been artifiically coloured an shall be free from polishing agents; May contain upto three percent of grains wi an appreciable amount of bran thereon. Shail be free from musty obnoxious odo and shall carry no sign of mould or containin webs and dead or live weevils; Shall have length 6.0 mm and above length breadth ratio three and above. Shall be in sound merchantable condition. (t) Red gains shall not 2 % DEFINITIONS (i) (iii) (W) Foreign Matter Brokenes and Fragments •Other rice including red grains Damaged, Discoloured Chatky groins. note; - As mentioned"" page 15. Shall include dust, stone, lumps of earth, chaff, stem or straw and any other impurity. Shall include pieces of rice kernels which are less than three fourth of a whole kernel The of kernels, smailer.than one fourth of the whole kernels shall be treated fragments. Shall consist of contrasting and/or inferior varieties, Red yains shall be the kerne: whole or broken, which have 25 percent or more of their surface coated with red bran. Shall include rice k«ncls,

fragments M' whole that are internally damaged or discoloured, materially affecting the quality. Chalky grains shall be the grains at least half of which is milky white in colour and brittle in nature. 52

SCHEDULE-IU (See rule 3 and 4) Grade designations and quality of Basmati polished rice (For Export only)

Grade designation	Special Characteristics	Maximum Limits of Tolerance percent by weight
Foreign Matter	Special	Broken and fragments
Other rice	Green	Red
Damaged	Moisture	Foreign matter
2	0.5	
Broken and fragments	3	5.0
Other rice	Green	Red
Damaged	Moisture	Foreign matter
4	20.0	30.0
grains	discoloured and chalky	5
6	3.0	4.0
grains	7	2.0
3.0	5.0	8
14.0	14.0	2

(b) (e) General characteristics 9 The grains shall be long slender to light brown colour and having vitreous lustre (glossy in appearance). The Rice shall be the dried matured kernels of *Oryza sativa* from which the hulls have been removed and have not been subjected to milling and shall have uniform size, shape and colour. It shall possess a marked degree of natural fragrance characteristic of Basmati Rice both in the raw and cooked state. It shall not have been artificially coloured and shall be free from polishing agents; It shall be free from musty or obnoxious odour and shall carry no sign of mould or containing webs and dead or live weevils; It shall have length 6.0 mm and above and length-ratio of 3.0 and above. It shall be in sound merchantable condition. 1. 3. 4. s. 6, DEFINITIONS Foreign matter shall include dust, stones, lumps of earth, chaff, stem or straw and any other impurity. Broken and fragments shall include pieces, of rice, kernels, which are less than three-fourth of a whole. Other rice shall consist of contrasting inferior varieties of rice. Green grains shall be the kernels, whole or broken, which are greenish in colour. Red grains shall be the kernels, whole or broken which have their surface coated with red. Damaged, discoloured and chalky grains include rice broken, fragments or whole, that are internally damaged or discoloured, materially affecting the quality. Chalky grains, shall be the grains at least half of which is milky white in colour and brittle in nature. *Foot note - As on page 15. Note : -1) These rules were published vide No. S.O. 451 dated 30th January, 1979 in the Gazette of India, Part II, Section 3 (ii) dated 3/2/1979. 2) The first amendment published vide G.S.R. 693 12/9/1987 54