



CALCUTTA TEA TRADERS ASSOCIATION

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To: All Broker Members

PAN INDIA AUCTIONS, MINIMUM LOT SIZES

I give below the minimum lot sizes for North India as per letter No.6(29)/LC/Gen/11-13/Part-III/7010 dated 3rd August 2016 from Mrs Rajanigandha Seal Naskar, Controller of Licensing, Tea Board (copy enclosed):

CTC Teas: Factories producing more than 2.5 lakh kg of CTC teas per annum

Category	Grades	Manufacturing Period	Proposed Rule Minimum Lot Size
CTC Teas	ALL GRADES EXCLUDING BPS, CD & SECONDARIES	June to October	20 packages
		November to May	5 packages
	BPS, CD & SECONDARIES	January to December	5 packages

CTC Teas: For Factories producing less than 2.5 lakh kg of CTC teas per annum

Category	Grades	Manufacturing Period	Proposed Rule Minimum Lot Size
CTC Teas	ALL GRADES	January to December	5 packages

Orthodox Teas: For Factories producing more than 2.5 lakh kg of Orthodox teas per annum

Category	Grades	Manufacturing Period	Proposed Rule Minimum Lot Size
Orthodox Teas	TGFP, GFBOP, FBOP, GBOP, OTHER NON-TIPPY WHOLE LEAF	July to October	20 HS or 10 FS
		November to June	5 packages
	GFOP	July to October	15 HS or 5 FS
		November to June	5 packages
	FANNINGS	July to October	10 HS or 5 FS
		November to June	5 packages
	BPS, DUST & SECONDARY GRADES	January to December	5 packages

Orthodox Teas: For Factories producing less than 2.5 lakh kg of Orthodox teas per annum

Category	Grades	Manufacturing Period	Proposed Rule Minimum Lot Size
Orthodox Teas	MAIN GRADES	January to December	5 packages
	Exempt Grades (BPS, DUST, SECONDARY)	January to December	5 packages
	TIPPY TEAS	January to December	5 packages

Encl: as above


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