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## ADVISORY ON ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR EXPORT OF ORGANIC PRODUCTS TO EU

Certification Bodies,

This is in reference to APEDA's Advisory dated 12<sup>th</sup> July 2023 wherein it was informed that all Certification Bodies are required to follow a harmonized and higher range of non-authorized substances (at least 250) for testing of samples of consignments for exports to EU.

In this regard, APEDA in consultation with the National Referral Laboratory (NRL) at NRC Grapes Pune have prepared a harmonized list of chemicals for testing of organic products so that there is uniformity in the testing processes. The list is enclosed for reference. This is the minimum list of agrochemicals for testing for export to EU. However, additional parameters may be tested as per requirement in laboratories having ISO 17025 accreditation for those molecules.

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