S.O. 270 (E) - Whereas the Central Government, after considering the recommendations made to it by the Standing Advisory Committee, had directed by order S.O.853 (E) dated 1st September, 2001, the Commodities specified in Column (2) of the Schedule of that order, shall be packed in jute packaging material, for supply or distribution, in such minimum percentage as specified in the corresponding entries in Column (3) of the said Schedule.

And, whereas, the Central Government has received a report from the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution stating that there is a shortage in supply of A. Twill bags for packing of sugar during the remaining period of current jute year (ending on 30th June, 2002);

And, whereas, the Central Government, after considering report of the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public distribution is satisfied that there is a shortage of supply of A. Twill bags for packing of sugar during the remaining period of current jute year;

Now, therefore, in the exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Jute Packaging Materials (Compulsory Use in Packing Commodities) Act, 1987, the Central Government hereby directs that the following amendments be made in order 853 (E) dated 1st September, 2001, namely :-

In the said order, in the Schedule, in column 3,

(i) Against Sl. No. 2 relating to commodity “sugar” for the words “Hundred per cent”, the words “Ninety per cent” shall be substituted;

This notification shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Official Gazette and will remain in force till the end of the current Jute Year ending on 30th June, 2002.

(F. No. 9/4/2001-Jute)

(T. NANDAKUMAR)

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India
Foot Note: The Principal Order as published vide S.O.853(E) dated 1st September, 2001.