

# **THE SEEDS (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1981**

**Government of India  
Ministry of Agriculture  
(DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION)**

## **NOTIFICATION**

No. 18-48/81-SD

New Delhi, dated the 10<sup>th</sup> June, 1981

GSR 389 (E). – In exercise of the power conferred by section 25 of the Seeds Act, 1966 (54 of 1966), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Seeds Rules 1968, namely:-

- (1) These rules may be called the Seeds (Amendment) Rules, 1981.
- (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

After rule 17 of the Seeds Rules, 1968, the following rule shall be inserted, namely:-

“17-A. The Certification agency shall, before granting the certificate, ensure that the seed conforms to the standards laid down in the Manual known as “Indian Minimum Seed Certification Standards” published by the Central Seed Committee, as amended from time to time.”

Sd/-

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