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ORDER

The 12th May 2016

No. 9926—09-17-10-06/2016—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), read with the Order of the Government of India in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Consumer Affairs) No. GSR-104(E), dated the 15th February, 2002 published in the *Gazette of India*, extraordinary, Part-II, Section 3, sub-section (i), dated the 15th February, 2002 as amended from time to time, and in supersession of the Odisha Specified Food Stuffs (stock holding limit) order, 2010 except in respects things done or omitted to be done before such supersession and with the concurrence of the Government of India, the State Government do hereby make the following order, namely :—

1. Short title, extent and commencement:—

- (1) This order may be called the Odisha Specified Foodstuffs (Stock Holding Limit and Licensing) Order, 2016.
- (2) It shall extend to the whole State of Odisha
- (3) It shall come into force on the date of its publication in the official Gazette and shall remain in force specified by Government of India from time to time.

2. Definitions :—In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,—

- (a) "Act"—means the Essential Commodities Act, 1955;
- (b) "Appellate Authority" means any authority appointed by the State Government to exercise the powers of Appellate Authority under this order ;
- (c) "Bulk Consumer" means a hotel, restaurant, educational institution with hostel facilities, jails, hospitals, religious or charitable institutions ;
- (d) "Controller" means the Secretary to Government, Food Supplies & Consumer Welfare Department ;

