

SCIL/SEC/2022  
26<sup>th</sup> November, 2022

To,  
BSE Limited,  
Listing Department,  
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers,  
Dalal Street,  
Mumbai-400001

The National Stock Exchange of  
India Listing Department,  
Exchange Plaza,  
Bandra Kurla Complex  
Bandra East,  
Mumbai - 400 051

**Sub: Delhi High Court Order on Government Notification restricting use of Glyphosate**

Dear Sirs,

Please refer to our Letter Ref SCIL/SEC/2022 dated 27<sup>th</sup> October, 2022, whereby we informed about the Central Government Notification ("**Notification**") restricting use of Glyphosate only through Pest Control Operators.

Three agro-chemical industry associations and a few agro-chemical companies (including our Company) filed petitions before the Hon'ble Delhi High Court challenging the said Notification.

At the hearing of the Petitions held on 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2022 before the Hon'ble Delhi High Court, the Additional Solicitor General made a statement that the Government of India will look into the difficulties which are being faced by the farmers, and that for a period of three months, the Notification shall not be implemented. He further submitted that the Government of India will revisit the matter and take a conscious decision and that the same will be communicated to the Hon'ble Court before the next date of hearing.

The Director (Plant Protection), Government of India, who was present in the Court, undertook to communicate this to all the States.

The Hon'ble Delhi High Court has determined 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 as the next date of hearing.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,  
For **Sumitomo Chemical India Limited**

**Pravin D. Desai**  
**Vice President and Company Secretary**