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Sub: Export of Small Cardamom to Qatar-reg

Spices Board had received reports that the Port's Health and Food Control Section of Qatar, with effect from 1st April 2021, has imposed the requirement for mandatory official certification of Small Cardamom exported from India, stating that the consignment is free from pesticide residues.

Accordingly, the Board through the Embassy of India, Doha had taken up the matter with Qatar authorities, and technical meetings and detailed deliberations were carried out involving the Embassy, Spices Board and Qatar authorities.

Subsequently, the Embassy has informed that the Qatar authorities have decided to remove Indian cardamom from precautionary measures. However, the exporters are advised to comply with the standards prescribed by Qatar to ensure smooth trade movement of small cardamom and other spices between the two countries

Director (MKTG)

To
All Exporters of Spices and Spice Products

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