

GEMA/2025-26/OMC/624

Date: 25<sup>th</sup> July 2025

To,

**OMC Coordination Committee (BPCL, HPCL & IOCL)**

- i) Shri Anurag Saraogi, Chief General Manager- BPCL, Mumbai
- ii) Shri B. C. Joshi, Chief General Manager- IOCL, Mumbai
- iii) Shri K.V.J. Rao, Chief General Manager-HPCL, Mumbai

**Subject:** Urgent Representation Regarding Non-Reimbursement of ₹1/Litre regulatory fees Levied by Haryana Excise Department

Respected Sirs,

This letter is to formally represent the collective concern of all grain-based ethanol manufacturers in Haryana regarding the non-reimbursement of the ₹1 per litre duty being levied by the Haryana Excise Department.

The said duty is being paid in full compliance with the regulations laid down by the Haryana Excise authorities. As per the tender terms clearly specified by OMCs, such statutory duties are to be reimbursed by the concerned OMCs over and above the ethanol supply price. However, despite repeated representations and requests over the past one month, no reimbursements have been processed, nor has any concrete communication been shared from your end.

This continued inaction is resulting in a significant and undue financial burden on ethanol manufacturers, especially when the tender document explicitly protects the suppliers from such charges. It is further disheartening that even after following due diligence and paying all mandated levies in advance, manufacturers are being left to bear this cost without justification.

We, on behalf of the Grain Ethanol Manufacturers Association (GEMA), earnestly request all OMCs to:

1. Acknowledge the legitimacy of the ₹1/litre duty levied by the Haryana Excise Department.
2. Adhere to the tender clauses and initiate immediate reimbursement of the same.
3. Provide written communication outlining the reimbursement mechanism and expected timelines.

We trust you will treat this issue with the urgency and seriousness it demands. Continued delays will only strain the working relationship between the ethanol manufacturers and the Oil Marketing Companies.



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We look forward to your swift action and a formal response at the earliest.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Dr. Chandra Kumar Jain

President

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2) Joint Secretary, MoPNG, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.