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To,

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

- i) Shri Anurag Saraogi, Chief General Manager- BPCL, Mumbai
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**Subject: Request for Window to Surrender Unfulfilled Quantities and Reallocate to Willing Suppliers.**

Respected Sir,

This is to bring to your kind attention a concern frequently encountered by grain-based ethanol suppliers. Most suppliers participate in the ethanol procurement tenders at the beginning of ESY, by offering their full estimated supply capacity, for the entire Ethanol Supply Year (ESY). However, due to unforeseen circumstances such as raw material availability, operational disruptions, or logistical constraints, it is occasionally not feasible for some units to honor their full allocated quantities.

Simultaneously, a number of units remain willing and capable of supplying additional ethanol beyond their original allocations, either due to surplus availability or enhanced production capacity.

In light of the above, we respectfully propose that a formal window be created after the end of Quarter 2 (Q2) during which:

- Suppliers unable to meet their allocated quantities may surrender their unfulfilled volume, and
- Suppliers seeking orders can quote the volumes they expect to supply for the remaining tenure of ESY.

The surrendered quantities can then be reallocated to other willing suppliers who are in a position to deliver. Such a mechanism would help ensure:

- Optimum utilization of installed capacities across the industry,
- Reduction of shortfalls in overall blending targets, and
- A more flexible and responsive procurement system to meet national blending goals.

We trust that this proactive step will be a valuable tool in supporting India's Ethanol Blending Program and look forward to your kind consideration of this request.



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Thanking you,

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