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As per the discussions in the stakeholders meeting s held on 19.01.2022 , it has been decided to take certain interim measures in the e-auction system to safeguard the interest of the cardamom farming community. Accordingly, the following changes are incorporated in the e-auction system:

- a) The maximum quantity permitted for pooling of Cardamom for an e-auction by the licensed auctioneers is limited to 65 (sixty-five) tons for an initial period of 4 weeks (1 cycle), starting from 02.02.2022.
- b) The pooling of Cardamom by Licensed Dealers for an auction is limited to 30% of the total cardamom pooled for the schedule auction by the licensed Auctioneer, during this period.

The desirability of continuing with the se changes will be evaluated after 4 (four) weeks period and further modifications / changes required, if any, for the betterment of the industry , will be decided by the Board, after discussing with a panel comprising of representatives drawn from all the stakeholders .

All other terms and conditions applicable for the conduct of the e-auction will remain the same. All the licensed auctioneers are directed to strictly comply with the above condition for conducting the e-auction with effect from 02.02.2022.

DIRECTOR(MKTG)