S.O. 479(E).- The Government of India, in exercise of powers conferred under Sub-section (1) of Section 4 of the Jute Packaging Material (Compulsory Use in Packing Commodities) Act, 1987 and also under Rule 3 (a) of the Rules issued vide No.G.S.R.731 (B) under the J.P.M. Act, 1987, have decided to constitute the Standing Advisory Committee (SAC) as per the following composition:-

(i) Secretary, Ministry of Textiles, Government of India Chairman

(ii) Secretary, Department of Food and Public Distribution Government of India or his representative not below the Rank of Joint Secretary. Member

(iii) Secretary, Department of Consumer Affairs, Government of India or his representative not below the rank of Joint Secretary. Member

(iv) Secretary, Department of Expenditure, Government of India or his representative not below the rank of Joint Secretary. Member

(v) Secretary, Department of Chemicals and Petro-Chemicals, Government of India or his representative not below the rank of Joint Secretary. Member

(vi) Secretary, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Government of India or his representative not below the rank of Joint Secretary. Member

(vii) DGS&D, Government of India Member

(viii) AS&FA, Ministry of Textiles, Government of India Member

(ix) Jute Commissioner, Ministry of Textiles, Government of India. Member

(x) Joint Secretary (Jute), Ministry of Textiles, Government of India. Member-Convener

2. The SAC will recommend the norms of packaging in jute materials, as per the JPM Act, 1987.
3. The validity of the aforesaid constituted SAC will be for a period of 3 years from the date of publication of this Resolution in the Gazette of India.

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ATUL CHATURVEDI, Jt. Secy.