

F.No. 13-24/2018 -M&T (I&P)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare  
Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare  
(Mechanization & Technology Division)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated, the 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2022.

**OFFICE ORDER**

I am directed to convey the approval of the competent authority and to say that in continuation of this Office Order No. No. 13-24/2018-M&T (I&P) dated 19<sup>th</sup> of September, 2018 and subsequent extensions issued from time to time, the validity of Grace Period under para 4 (For the under batch test tractors Only), has been extended up to **31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023** and considered for supply under Government subsidy schemes subject to the production of latest CMVR & CoP certificates.



**(C.R. Lohi)**

**Deputy Commissioner (M&T)**

**Distribution:**

1. Director, CFMTTI, Budni (M.P), with the request to pursue with the manufacturers to complete all the needful in respect of the testing of their test samples due for subsequent batch testing.
2. Shri. Hemant Sikka, President, TMA, India, with the request to ensure that all the manufacturers whose tractors are due for batch test to complete the testing before expiring validity of ICT /Batch test reports.

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Room No. 298, F – Wing,  
Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 19<sup>th</sup> Sept., 2018.

Office Memorandum

I am directed to convey the approval of the competent authority of the Ministry that on the recommendation of the Technical Committee constituted at the level of this Ministry vide Office Order No.8/1/2016-M&T(I&P) dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2018 the validity of the commercial test reports issued by FMTTIs and other approved identified testing institutes has been fixed as shown in the Table below:

S.No.	Category of the Machines	Validity of the ICT Test Report	Subsequent Validity of Batch Test Report
01.	Tractor	3	5
02.	Power Tiller	3	5
03.	Combine Harvester-Crop/Sugarcane/Cotton Picker	7	5
04.	Self-propelled Machinery	5	5
05.	Tractor/Power Tiller Operated Machinery		
	I. Tillage implements	7	5
	II. Sowing and planting machinery	7	5
	III. Inter-culture machinery	7	5
	IV. Harvesting machinery	7	5
	V. Thresher	7	5
	VI. Baler, Rake, Reapers	7	5
	VII. Post hole digger	7	5
06.	Plant Protection Equipment		
	• Manually operated	5	5
	• Battery operated	5	5
	• Tractor operated	7	5
	• Engine operated	7	5
07.	Post Harvesting Technology Machinery (primary processing) Cleaner/grinder/washer/grader/polisher/separator	7	5
08.	Bullock drawn/manual driven (all types) including horticulture tools	7	5

2. The validity of test report shall be mentioned boldly on the cover page as well as at inside the report as "THIS TEST REPORT VALID UPTO : day/month/year " before its issue.
3. This order will be implemented from the date of issue of this letter.
4. The grace period of one year validity of test report has been allowed to the manufacturers whose reports expired on the date of issue of this letter and also the test reports whose validity will be expired within one year from the date of issue of this letter . This will facilitate manufacturer to test their machines and avoid debarment of their machine immediately from validity. The batch testing of the implements and machinery will be done at the same test centres where Commercial Test was carried out.



( V.N. Kale )

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**Distribution:**

The Principal Secretaries of all States/DDG(Engg)-ICAR/FMTTIs/All approved identified test centre/Combine Harvesters MFRS Association/TMA/PTMA/AMMA/TMA(Small Tractors)/NIC(for uploading in website)/IT Division.