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Subject: Instructions regarding Import of edible truffle species -reg.

1. FSSAI has framed standards of 'Edible Fungi Products' under sub regulation 2.3.62 of Food Safety and Standards (Food Product Standards and Food Additives) Regulations, 2011. However, at present, specific list of edible truffle species is not provided under the said standard.

2. In this regard, FSSAI based on recommendation of Scientific Panel on Fruits & Vegetables and their products (including dried fruits and nuts) allows following list of edible truffle species for import:

- i. *Tuber melanosporum* Vittadini
- ii. *Tuber aestivum* Vittadini
- iii. *Tuber uncinatum* Chatin
- iv. *Tuber mezsentericum* Vittadini
- v. *Tuber magnatum* Pico
- vi. *Tuber macrosporum* Vittadini
- vii. *Tuber gibbosum* Gilkey
- viii. *Tuber borchii* Vittadini
- ix. *Tuber brumale* Vittadini
- x. *Geoporacooperi*
- xi. *Tuber indicum*

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.


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To

1. All Authorised Officers of FSSAI.
2. Director Customs & Commissioner (Single Window Project, CBEC)- for circulating to all officials of Customs who has been nominated as Authorised Offices.

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