

# INDIAN TEA ASSOCIATION



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Circular No. 81/2024-25

17<sup>th</sup> January, 2025

**TO: ALL MEMBER COMPANIES**

**Extension of Mandatory 100% Sale of Dust Teas through Auctions for additional Six (06) months**

This is further to the Association's Circular No. 53/2024-25 dated 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2024 vide which members were informed about the Tea Board's Order dated 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2024 extending the mandatory sale of 100% dust teas through auctions, for 3 (three) additional months w.e.f 1<sup>st</sup> October 2024.

Members are informed that Tea Board has now issued Order No. 6(29)/LC/Auction/Dust Tea/2024/731 dated 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 stating that in terms of Paragraph 21 (1) of the Tea (Marketing) Control Order, 2003, the **sale of 100% dust teas through auctions would remain applicable for additional period of six (06) months with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025.**

A copy of the above referred Tea Board Order dated 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2025 is attached for members' information.

**Arijit Raha**  
**Secretary General**

Encl: As stated.

Copy to – All Regional Committees, ITA  
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Ref. No. 6(29)/LC/Auction/Dust Tea/2024/731

Dated 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2025

**Order**

**Subject: Auctions of 100% dust grade of tea-reg.**

In exercise of power conferred upon the Tea Board vide order S.O. 855(E) dated 23.02.2024 and in consultation with the Central Government, Tea Board hereby specifies that the provisions contained in paragraph 21(1) of the Tea (Marketing) Control Order, 2003 shall remain applicable for additional period of six (06) months with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2025.

(Saurav Pahari) 17/1/25.  
Registering Authority

**Distribution:**

1. All Tea Producer Association
2. All Buyer Association
3. All Tea Exporter Association
4. All Registered Auction Organiser
5. Association of Tea Auctioneers (ATA)
6. M/s. NSEIT Ltd.
7. M/s. mjunction services limited
8. M/s. e-Procurement Technologies Ltd.
9. All Zonal/Regional offices of the Board