

# INDIAN TEA ASSOCIATION



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**TO: ALL MEMBER COMPANIES**

## Amendment in Rule No. 44 (Divisibility Norms) of the Pan India Auction Rules

Members are informed that Tea Board has issued a Circular No. Ref.No.6 (29)/LC/Gen/e-Auction/Policy/2024/830 dated 17.03.2025 vide which it has amended the Rule No. 44 (divisibility norms) of the Pan India Auction Rules as follows:

Divisibility Norms	
Existing Rule 44	Amended Rule 44
Upto 20 packages – no division	Upto 30 packages – no division
21 to 40 packages – 2 buyers	31 to 40 packages – 2 buyers
Above 40 packages – 3 buyers	Above 40 packages – 3 buyers

**The amended Rules, as mentioned above, would be made effective from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2025 at all three auction centers of North India.**

However, the Rule 34 of Pan India Auction Rule concerning Minimum Lot Size has been kept unchanged, i.e. minimum lot size of 20 packages.

A copy of the Tea Board's Circular mentioned aforesaid is enclosed for members' kind information and reference.

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Encl: As stated

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- National Committee
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