

### ANNEX B ITB# BC/42/27/16

Transactional Procurement Section Procurement & Logistics Division UNRWA Headquarters Amman

#### **RICE (MEDIUM GRAIN)**

#### 1. **SPECIFICATIONS:**

The rice shall be in accordance with the following specifications:

RICE SPECIFICATIONS	
Туре:	
Wholly milled medium grain rice (non-parboiled), double polished	
Organoleptic Properties	Fair & Sound marketable quality, free from
	abnormal smell & pests, fit for human
	consumption
Kernel length	5.2-6.00
Kernel length/width ratio	2.0-2.9.
Moisture	14.0% max.
Broken grain*	5.0% max.
Chalky grain	5.0% max.
Grain striated with red	3.0% max.
Spotted grain	1.5% max.
Stained grain	1.0% max.
Yellow grain	0.5% max.
Amber grain	0.2% max.
Inedible non-toxic mineral or	0.01% max.
vegetable substances, provided	
they are non Toxic	
Edible extraneous grains or parts	0.1%
thereof	

- \* Broken grain if the kernel is less than 3/4 of the Kernel
- \* The rice shall be safe and fit for human consumption.
- \* The harvest year shall be not more than one year
- \* This food commodity must not derived from biotechnology. Suppliers must ensure that food commodities are brought in from countries whose health status allows this

### 2. **PACKING:**

The rice shall be packed in new sound bags (of minimum weight of 110 g net) manufactured **of polypropylene.** Each bag shall contain a uniform weight of 50 kg net fit for export and multiple handing. All bags must be clean, sturdy, and firmly sewn.

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Bags should not be laminated in order to allow ventilation and maintain the temperature inside the bag at the required level.

Both the containers and the bags shall be free from insect or fungal infestation and shall not impart any toxic substance or undesirable odour or flavor.

Both the containers and the bags shall safeguard the hygienic, nutritional, technological and organoleptic qualities of the products.

Each package shall contain rice of the same type and of the same grade designation.

3. MARKING: SEE ATTACHED SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.

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#### **RICE (LONG GRAIN)**

#### 1. **SPECIFICATIONS:**

The rice shall be in accordance with the following specifications:

RICE SPECIFICATIONS	
Type:	
Wholly milled long grain rice (non-parboiled), double polished	
Organoleptic Properties	Fair & Sound marketable quality, free from
	abnormal smell & pests, fit for human
	consumption
Kernel length	6.6 mm or more
Kernel length/width ratio	3 or more
Moisture	14.0% max.
Broken grain*	5.0% max.
Chalky grain	5.0% max.
Grain striated with red	3.0% max.
Spotted grain	1.5% max.
Stained grain	1.0% max.
Yellow grain	0.5% max.
Amber grain	0.2% max.
Inedible non-toxic mineral or	0.01% max.
vegetable substances, provided	
they are non-Toxic	
Edible extraneous grains or parts	0.1%
thereof	

- \* Broken grain if the kernel is less than 3/4 of the Kernel
- \* The rice shall be safe and fit for human consumption.
- \* The harvest year shall be not more than one year
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### 2. **PACKING:**

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