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The order makes one change. It substitutes sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 1 of the 2023 order, the sub-paragraph that sets the date the order comes into force. The new text reads: "It shall come into force on the 6th day of January, 2027".

The order does not state the date it replaces. That date was November 6, 2026, set by S.O. 5479(E) of October 6, 2026, the last amendment the order's note lists. The 2023 order was first published by S.O. 5179(E) dated December 6, 2023, and amended before this by S.O. 2182(E) of June 4, 2024, S.O. 3939(E) of September 13, 2024, S.O. 5262(E) of December 6, 2024, S.O. 2552(E) of June 11, 2025, S.O. 4067(E) of September 4, 2025, S.O. 52(E) of January 5, 2026 and S.O. 5479(E) of October 6, 2026.

The order changes nothing else in the 2023 order. It does not name the Indian Standard the sacks must meet, give a reason for the new date, or amend any other woven sack order. It carries file number F. No. PC-II-25014/9/2019-TECH.-CPC and is signed by Dr. G. Venkatesh, Joint Secretary. The Hindi text gives the short title as an amendment order of 2025, without the word for "Third"; the English text says Third Amendment Order, 2026.

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Amends	The 2023 Quality Control Order for polypropylene (PP) woven, laminated, block bottom valve sacks for packaging of 50 kg cement, first published by S.O. 5179(E) of December 6, 2023
Change	Paragraph 1, sub-paragraph (2) substituted

Order now comes into force	January 6, 2027
Earlier date	November 6, 2026, set by S.O. 5479(E) of October 6, 2026
Amendment in force	On publication in the Official Gazette
Made under	Section 16 read with section 17 and section 25(3), Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016
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Start dates of the PP block bottom valve sack order for 50 kg cement

Set by	Dated	Order comes into force
S.O. 5479(E)	October 6, 2026	November 6, 2026
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