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Each amendment makes one change: it substitutes sub-paragraph (2) of paragraph 1 of its principal order, the sub-paragraph that sets the date on which that order comes into force. S.O. 5479(E) amends the Textiles — Polypropylene (PP) Woven, Laminated, Block Bottom Valve Sacks for Packaging 50 kg Cement (Quality Control) Order, 2023, first published by S.O. 5179(E) dated December 6, 2023. That order will now come into force on November 6, 2026.

S.O. 5478(E) amends the Textiles — High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) / Polypropylene (PP) Woven Sacks for Packaging of 50 kg Cement (Quality Control) Order, 2023, first published by S.O. 5178(E) dated December 6, 2023. S.O. 5480(E) amends the Textiles — Polypropylene (PP)/ High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) Laminated Woven Sacks for Mail Sorting, Storage, Transport and Distribution (Quality Control) Order, 2023, first published by S.O. 5181(E) dated December 6, 2023. Both of these orders will now come into force on January 6, 2027.

Each of the three principal orders had already been amended six times, by notifications dated June 4, 2024, September 13, 2024, December 6, 2024, June 11, 2025, September 4, 2025 and January 5, 2026; the last of these were S.O. 51(E), S.O. 52(E) and S.O. 53(E). All three new amendment orders carry file number F. No. PC-II-25014/9/2019-TECH.-CPC and are signed by Dr. G. Venkatesh, Joint Secretary.

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Documents	S.O. 5478(E), S.O. 5479(E) and S.O. 5480(E)
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Amendments in force	On publication in the Official Gazette
PP block bottom valve sacks for 50 kg cement	From November 6, 2026

HDPE/PP woven sacks for 50 kg cement	From January 6, 2027
PP/HDPE laminated woven sacks for mail	From January 6, 2027
Made under	Section 16 read with section 17 and section 25(3), Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016
Signed by	Dr. G. Venkatesh, Joint Secretary

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Quality Control Order amended	Amending order	Comes into force
Textiles — Polypropylene (PP) Woven, Laminated, Block Bottom Valve Sacks for Packaging 50 kg Cement (Quality Control) Order, 2023	S.O. 5479(E)	November 6, 2026
Textiles — High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) / Polypropylene (PP) Woven Sacks for Packaging of 50 kg Cement (Quality Control) Order, 2023	S.O. 5478(E)	January 6, 2027
Textiles — Polypropylene (PP)/ High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) Laminated Woven Sacks for Mail Sorting, Storage, Transport and Distribution (Quality Control) Order, 2023	S.O. 5480(E)	January 6, 2027

[The order](#) (PDF, 604 KB)

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