## AGMARK CERTIFICATION

'Agmark' is a Quality Certification Mark of the Government of India given to products confirming to scientificallylaid down quality standards.

## Products commonly certified under AGMARK

- Honey
- Ghee, Butter
- Chillies, Turmeric, Curry powder, Garam Masalas, Cardamom, Cumin, Coriander and other curry powders.
- Vegetable Oils
- Spices
- Wheat, Atta, Maida, Suji, Besan, Pulses and many more items required by customers.

## **Certificate of Authorisation**

It is given to the packers authorising them to grade their commodity under AGMARK. Period of Validity will be 5 years.

For granting new certificate of authorisation separate application for each commodity should be produced.

## Documents to be given along with application

- 1. Sketch of the premises:-
- 2. Declaration regarding
  - i. Proprietorship/Partnership etc
  - ii. Ownership of the premises
  - iii. Ownership of trade brand label
  - iv. Use of good grade quality containers for packing commodities.

All declarations has to given in five rupees stamp label attested by notary public.

- 3. A copy of licence from Panchayat/Municipality.
- 4. Bank reference:- Letter from the bank regarding the transaction to the packer with the bank.
- 5. List of machineries.
- 6. Specimen signature of authorised persons attested by the proprietor/managing partner.
- 7. Medical fitness certificate of employee.
- 8. Specimen copy and sketch of trade brand label

For more details contact:-

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Or

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