



# Earn Rs 250 per quintal more over MSP on wheat!

The Punjab Agro Industries Corporation (PAIC), an undertaking of the Punjab government, has been running a wheat seed production programme for the farmers.

To motivate farmers to get into wheat seed production, PAIC is offering Rs 250 per quintal more than the minimum support price (MSP) to the growers registered with it. An agreement is signed between the farmers and PAIC for wheat seed production.

Currently, PAIC is engaged in wheat seed production with the farmers in Ludhiana district and some area in Moga district and Phillaur in Jalandhar district. There are 41 registered farmers who are producing wheat seed for PAIC.

Farmers, who have fertile land for the cultivation of wheat seed, can register themselves by contacting the PAIC office at mobile phone numbers **75080-01903** or **94656-74977**.

An area of 224.35 hectares is under wheat seed cultivation in Punjab where a number of seeds are being cultivated.

**The high-quality foundation seeds, which are cultivated, include:**

HD-3086, PBW-725, Unnat PBW-343, Unnat PBW-550, WH-1105

**Additionally, the breeder seeds include:**

DBW-187, HD-3226, DBW-173, HD-3086, Unnat PBW-343, PBW-725, DBW-222, Unnat PBW-550