

F.No.7-1/2011-CD III
Government of India
Ministry of Women & Child Development

Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi
18th October 2011.

To

Secretary dealing with ICDS in the State of A & N Islands, Andhra Pradesh, Chattisgarh, D & N Haveli, Goa, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Tripura and Uttarakhand

Subject: Allocation of foodgrains to States/UTs under Wheat Based Nutrition Programme (WBNP) for the 3rd quarter of 2011-12.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the approval of the Government of India, Ministry of Women & Child Development for allocation of **1,81,495 MTs** (One lakh eighty one thousand four hundred ninety five only) of **Wheat** and **1,10,527** (One lakh ten thousand five hundred twenty seven only) **MTs of Rice** to the following State Governments under **Wheat Based Nutrition Programme (WBNP)** for the 3rd quarter of 2011-12 as per details given below:

(in MTs)

	State/UT	Wheat	Rice
1	A & N Islands	0	89
2	Andhra Pradesh	13500	11870
3	Chattisgarh	9715	5167
4	D & N Haveli	0	31
5	Goa	472	472
6	Gujarat	16382	0
7	Haryana	8918	990
8	Himachal Pradesh	1582	881
9	Jammu & Kashmir	0	2099
10	Jharkhand	3712	25891
11	Karnataka	12813	3141
12	Kerala	4390	2080
13	Madhya Pradesh	40500	16250
14	Maharashtra	17295	4299
15	Manipur	0	5354
16	Meghalaya	0	4815

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17	Mizoram	554	227
18	Nagaland	0	3152
19	Orissa	22807	10877
20	Punjab	2870	2410
21	Rajasthan	8703	0
22	Sikkim	235	58
23	Tamil Nadu	12310	6720
24	Tripura	0	3654
25	Uttarakhand	4737	0
	TOTAL	1,81,495	1,10,527

2. The allocated foodgrains should be lifted as per the **revised guidelines** laid down vide Department of Food & Public Distribution's letter No.1-2/2007-BP III dated 27.06.2011 and will be used for the beneficiaries of **ICDS Scheme only**. The State Governments are accordingly requested to properly monitor the lifting and utilization of foodgrains on quarterly basis and furnish the requisite information to this Ministry in the prescribed proforma.
3. The State Governments are requested to furnish the offtake/UC for the quantity of foodgrains allocated vide this sanction by 15.01.2012.
4. The State Governments are also requested to intimate the end use of the foodgrains allocated under the ICDS Scheme alongwith the offtake figures and UC.
5. The CIP of wheat and rice for **BPL is Rs.415/- and Rs.565/- per quintal** respectively, which is payable by the State to the FCI.
6. The State Governments may indent the allocated quantity of foodgrains from the Regional/District Offices of the Food Corporation of India. Separate instructions are being issued by the FCI for making available the requisite quantity of foodgrains to the State Government. In the meantime district-wise and block-wise allocation of requirement of foodgrains may be worked out and copies of the same sent to the Regional/District Officers of the Food Corporation of India and to this Ministry.
7. Stocks once issued to the State Government will not be taken back by the FCI. It will, therefore, be the responsibility of the State Government to ensure that the quantity of foodgrains supplied to them conform to the 'Fair Average Quality'. It may also be ensured that the FCI gets full payment (at BPL rates) in respect of foodgrains released by this Ministry under WBNP.
8. States/UTs are allowed to lift the quantities of foodgrains vide this sanction, if at least 70% of the foodgrains allocated so far (including revalidated quantities) have been lifted by the States/UTs. However, exceptions have been given to Government of **Haryana and Uttarakhand** as

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the foodgrains for the **second quarter** was issued to them only at the end of that quarter.

Yours faithfully,

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Director

Copy to:

1. Sh. G.S.Patial, Under Secretary, Department of Food & Public Distribution, BP—II Section, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
2. The Manager, (Sales), FCI, 16-20, Barakhambha Road, New Delhi with the request that necessary instructions may please be issued for supply of **1,81,495 MTs** (One lakh eighty one thousand four hundred ninety five only) of **Wheat** and **1,10,527** (One lakh ten thousand five hundred twenty seven only) **MTs of Rice** to the States/UTs as mentioned in para1 of the sanction, for the 3rd quarter of the financial year 2011-12. The price of foodgrains at BPL rate may be charged from the concerned State Governments. The States/UTs may be allowed to lift the quantities of foodgrains allocated for 3rd quarter of 2011-12 only after atleast 70 % of the foodgrains allocated so far (including revalidated quantities) have been lifted by the States/UTs. However, exceptions have been given to Government of **Haryana and Uttarakhand** as foodgrains to the State for the 2nd quarter was allocated only at the end of the quarter.

3. The Regional Manager, Food Corporation of India

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✓ 5. Director, NIC, M/o Women & Child Development, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi with a request to upload the letter at appropriate place on the website of the Ministry

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