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DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
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As you are aware, the procurement of paddy gets over by the end December in general and by end March definitely every year in those States where it is cultivated only during Kharif season. In view of this, by now, the procurement of paddy in your State by FCI and the state agencies would have been completed. Over the years, it has been observed that for various reasons CMR rice is not handed over to FCI under Central Pool in time and so also the levy rice procured (surplus quantity in case of DCP State). Sometimes this results in seeking extension of time again and again for several months even after the end of marketing season on 30th September every year. There are apprehensions that this kind of delay in processing of paddy and extensions for delivery of CMR/levy rice could lead to serious malpractices on the part of the millers.

2. Therefore, it has been decided that the paddy which has been procured during the Kharif season under KMS 2012-13 in your State should be processed timely and due CMR and levy rice procured, if any, should be delivered to FCI positively by 30th June, 2013. In case due to any constraints on the part of FCI, the delivery of CMR and levy rice procured in KMS 2012-13, an extension of time will be considered for one month at a time and up to three months in all on receipt of a request in prescribed format duly countersigned by the GM, Region of FCI concerned. The format in this regard will be circulated separately.

3. If the rice is not delivered in time, the State Government will have to deal with the pending quantities at their risk and cost subject to further instructions, which are being issued by this Department separately, and, as such the concerned quantities will be removed from the Central Pool accounts after the last date is over.

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4. You are requested to kindly communicate these instructions of all concern in your State for compliance.

Yours sincerely,

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(U.K.S. Chauhan)

O/C - in need

Principal Secretary,
Government of Bihar, Haryana, J&K, Maharashtra, Punjab, Rajasthan,
Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh & Uttarakhand.

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2. GM, FCI concerned

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As you are aware, the procurement of paddy gets over by the end of March every year in those States where it is cultivated only during Kharif season. However, in those States where paddy is sown in Rabi season also, the procurement of KMS concerned takes place till June-July and in such States, the processing of paddy should be done during next 2 months and the entire resultant CMR and levy rice procured, if any, should be handed over to FCI under Central Pool stocks positively by 30th September of the concerned year. In certain other States, where even though only Kharif crop of paddy is there, due to substantial production, limited milling capacity and availability of limited storage space with FCI, the delivery of CMR or levy rice can be bit prolonged, but, in such States also, the entire resultant CMR and the levy rice procured should be delivered to FCI under Central Pool by 30th September of the year. Your State is one such State where delivery of entire CMR and levy rice to FCI is expected to be completed by 30th September of the year.

2. Over the years, it has been observed that for various reasons CMR rice is not handed over to FCI under Central Pool in time and so also the levy rice procured (surplus quantity in case of DCP State). Sometimes this results in seeking extension of time again and again for several months even after the end of marketing season on 30th September every year. There are apprehensions that this kind of delay in processing of paddy and extensions for delivery of CMR/levy rice could lead to serious malpractices on the part of the millers.

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Yours sincerely,

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Principal Secretary,
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand,
Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Odisha and West Bengal.

Copy to:

1. CMD, FCI
2. GM, FCI concerned


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No.1(2)/2013-Py.I
Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution
Department of Food & Public Distribution
Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: June 25, 2013

To

1. CMD, FCI, New Delhi
2. The Principal Secretary/Secretary,
Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Department,
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Chhattisgarh,
Haryana, Jharkhand, J&K, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh,
Maharashtra, Odisha, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Uttar
Pradesh, Uttarakhand, West Bengal.

Subject: Adherence of timelines for delivery of levy rice and CMR by
the State Governments to FCI – further instructions
regarding extension of last date of delivery

Sir,

I am directed to request you to refer to D.O. letter of even number dated 10.06.2013 of Joint Secretary(P&FCI), Department of Food & Public Distribution addressed to you regarding the completion of timely delivery of due CMR and levy rice for your State to FCI under KMS 2012-13. For your State, the last date for completing the delivery of levy rice and CMR for KMS 2012-13 and in future KMSs has been kept as 30th June/ 30th September. It has been mentioned in the said D.O. letter that in case due to any constraints on the part of FCI, the last date of delivery of CMR and levy rice procured in KMS 2012-13 will be considered for extension by one month at a time and up to 3 months in all on the receipt of request in a prescribed format duly countersigned by the GM of FCI concerned.

2. In continuation of those instructions, a format for making request for extension of last date of delivery of CMR/ levy rice after completing the milling of remaining paddy has been prepared by this Department and the same is enclosed for use by the State Governments/FCI. Following instructions may please be followed in this regard while making the request:

(i) Part-A of the format along with Annexure-I should be filled in by the State Government authorities and should be signed by the Principal Secretary/Secretary of the Food & Civil Supplies Department of the State Government and then the format should be forwarded to concerned GM of the Region of FCI for completing Part-B of the request and sent to the undersigned in this Department for consideration.

(ii) A copy of the format with duly filled-in Part-A along with the covering letters send to GM of the concerned Region of FCI should be sent by the Principal Secretary/Secretary of the Food & Civil Supplies Department of the State Government to the undersigned in this Department and CMD FCI for advance information.

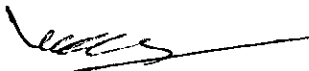
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(iii) On receipt of the proposal of the State Government in the format, GM, FCI of the Region should fill Part-B of the format and after duly countersigning it, forward the request to the undersigned in this Department by post as well as by e-mail (jspolicy.fpd@nic.in) positively within a week from the receipt of the request from the State Government. It should be the endeavour of the State Government and FCI that all requests for extension of date are sent to the undersigned in this Department at least 2 weeks in advance of the last date of delivery of CMR/levy rice fixed for the State.

3. CMD FCI may issue suitable instructions to all GMs of the Region of FCI for strict compliance of these instructions.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above


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2. All GMs of the Regions of FCI

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Format of Request to be submitted by State Government for Extension of Milling of Paddy and Delivery of CMR/Levy Rice

PART-A

1. Name of the State..... Marketing Season.....
2. Milling Period: (A) Prescribed cut-off date for delivery of CMR/Levy Rice
 (B) Extensions, if any (i) From..... To.....
 (ii) From..... To.....
 (iii) From..... To.....
3. Statement showing Paddy procured/milled, Rice delivered and balance Rice
 (As on cut off date/ at the time of seeking extension as the case may be)

(Figures in LMT) As on.....

Total quantity of Paddy procured by State Govt.	Total Quantity of CMR due	CMR Received		Balance Rice to be received		Reasons for Delay in delivery
		By State Govt. including DCP	By FCI in Central Pool (only surplus quantity in DCP State)	By State Govt. including DCP	By FCI in Central Pool (only surplus quantity in DCP State)	

4. Statement showing Month-wise storage space available, offering and acceptance of milled rice (w.e.f. beginning of marketing season/crop year)

Month	In respect of Marketing Season/ Crop Year for which extension is sought					
	Quantity offered during the Month		Quantity inspected during the month			
	To FCI	To State Govt.	Quantity Accepted		Quantity Rejected	
			By FCI	By State Govt.	By FCI	By State Govt.

5. If the reason for delayed milling is lack of sufficient milling capacity in the State, then following details should be filled in:
- (i) Total Milling Capacity available (per day) in the State.
 - (ii) Average quantity of paddy milled per day in the season in the State.
 - (iii) Details of tangible efforts made by the State Govt. to improve milling capacity of paddy in the State.
 - (iv) Quantity of paddy proposed to be milled per day, if extension is granted.
6. In case the reasons for delay in delivery are other than storage capacity and lack of milling capacity, such as quality issues, lack of sufficient staff etc. then the details should be provided hereunder:
7. Statement regarding Physical availability of paddy in the State is to be submitted in the enclosed proforma (**Annexure-I**).

Signature & Seal

Secretary(Food), State Govt.

Explanation: Part-A: Point 4 captures the progress of delivery so far while Part-B is to assess the extension of time sought by the State.

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PART-B:

8. Projections showing Month-wise inflow-outflow and availability of storage space for balance quantity of Rice with FCI justifying the extension of time.

(In lakh MT)							
Month	Opening stock	Receipt from mills by FCI	Inward movement	Off-take (Sales)/ outward movement	Closing balance	Total storage capacity of FCI in the State (only covered)	Covered vacant storage space available with FCI at the end of the month (Surplus/ deficit)

9. Detailed comments and recommendations of FCI, GM Region.

Signature & Seal

General Manager(Region), FCI

Statement regarding Physical availability of paddy (District-wise/or Mill-wise)

(Figures in MT)

Sl. No.	Name of Rev. District	Paddy procured in the District	Paddy milled in the District	Rice delivered in the District	Mill-wise balance paddy physically avoidable in the District	Mill-wise likely date of completion of milling	Remarks
Total							

Signature & Seal

Secretary(Food), State Govt.