

No. 1-2/2015-BP-III
Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution
Department of Food & Public Distribution

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
Dated: 19th October, 2015.

To

The Secretary,
Department of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs,
State Governments of Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Goa, Gujarat, Kerala, Manipur,
Meghalaya, Odisha, Sikkim, Uttar Pradesh, West Bengal, Dadra & Nagar Haveli
and Daman & Diu.

Subject: Additional monthly allocation of foodgrains to the States/UTs for APL families under TPDS for October and November, 2015 or till implementation of NFSA, whichever is earlier.

Sir,

I am directed to say that Government of India has enacted National Food Security Act, under which foodgrains are allocated to the States/UTs at highly subsidized prices based on 2011 population census. As some of the State/UT Governments had not completed the identification of eligible beneficiaries under NFSA and other pre-requisites for implementation of the Act, Government of India allowed the States/UTs to complete the prescribed requisite measures under NFSA and implement the Act upto 30.9.2015. However, many States/UTs have not yet implemented the Act so far which is a matter of concern. The matter has been considered and as an exceptional and special measure, it has been decided to make the following additional monthly allocation of foodgrains to the non-NFSA States/UTs for the APL families at APL rates for two months i.e. October and November 2015 or till implementation of the NFSA by the States/UTs, whichever is earlier:

S.No	State/UT	Monthly quantity (in tons)		
		Wheat	Rice	Total
1	ANDHRA PRADESH	12170	12489	24659
2	ASSAM	25000	15050	40050
3	GOA	249	1111	1360
4	GUJARAT	33185	0	33185
5	KERALA	5049	15458	20507
6	MANIPUR	1651	3602	5253
7	MEGHALAYA	839	2603	3442
8	ODISHA	12891	864	13755
9	SIKKIM	1	4	5
10	UTTAR PRADESH	77315	0	77315

11	WEST BENGAL	18605	1501.03	20106.03
12	D & N HAVELI	12	78	90
13	DAMAN & DIU	79	32	111
	Total	187046	52792.03	239838.03

2. The validity period for deposit of cost and lifting of the above additional foodgrains will be 30 days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,



(Sandeep Saxena)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Copy to:-

1. The Chairman cum Managing Director, Food Corporation of India, New Delhi with the request to issue necessary dispatch instructions to the concerned Regional / Zonal Offices of FCI accordingly and ensure availability and timely supply of foodgrains in the States/UTs to avoid hardship to the beneficiaries.
2. Cabinet Secretariat (kind attention Shri.S.G.P. Verghese, Director) Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi, w.r.t ID NO. 102/4/2/2015-Cab dated 19.10.2015.
3. The General Manager (Sales), FCI, New Delhi.
4. The GM, FCI, Regional/Zonal Offices concerned.
5. Resident Commissioners of State/UT Governments concerned,
6. Dir(Policy)//Dir(NFSA)/Dir(Movt.)/Director(PD)/DS(BP)/DS(Finance).
7. Movt.I/PD-I/PD-II/PD-III/BP.I/Py.III/Py.IV/NFSA/FC A/c sections.
8. NIC, Deptt. of Food & PD with the request to upload this allocation letter on the official website of this Department.
9. Guard file/ State/UT file.