

**Results-Framework Document (RFD) for the Department Of Food and Public Distribution
(2010-2011)**



**R F D
RESULTS-FRAMEWORK DOCUMENT**

**For
Department of Food and Public Distribution**

(2010-2011)

SECTION 1: Vision, Mission, Objectives and Functions

Vision: Ensuring food security for citizens of the country

Mission:

- i. Management of the food economy of the country through efficient procurement, storage and distribution of foodgrains (cereals).
- ii. Ensuring availability of foodgrains, sugar and edible oils through appropriate policy instruments.
- iii. Making foodgrains accessible at reasonable prices, especially to the weaker and vulnerable sections of the society.

Objectives:

1. Efficient Procurement of wheat, rice /paddy and coarse grains for Central Pool under Price Support operations
2. Enactment of the National Food Security Act
3. Ensure availability of wheat and rice to meet requirement of TPDS and other welfare schemes and of sugar for BPL families
4. To implement TPDS jointly with States and UTs
5. Review of sugar sector Policies with a view to reforms
6. Development/promotion of sugar industry
7. Development of Warehousing Sector
8. Decide on the future of Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corporation Limited (HVOC)

Functions:

- (1) Formulation and implementation of national policies relating to procurement, movement, storage and distribution of foodgrains (cereals) through FCI & State Govts.;
- (2) Implementation of the Public Distribution System with special focus on the poor;
- (3) Provision of storage facilities for the maintenance of central pool stocks of foodgrains(cereals) and promotion of scientific storage;
- (4) Formulation of national policies relating to buffer stocking, quality control and specifications of foodgrains(cereals);
- (5) Administration of food subsidies relating to rice, wheat, coarse grains and sugar;
- (6) Framing policies for sugar sector;
- (7) Framing policies for edible oil sector.

SECTION 2:

Inter se Priorities among Key Objectives, Success indicators and Targets

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4		Column 5	Column 6				
Objective	Weight	Actions	Success Indicator	Unit	Weight	Target / Criteria Value				
						Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair	Poor
						100%	90%	80%	70%	60%
Efficient Procurement of wheat, Paddy/ rice and coarse grains for Central Pool under price support operations	21	Assessing and monitoring the procurement of wheat, rice and coarse grains	Procurement of total of 450 lakh MT of wheat, rice and coarse grains between April 2010 to March 2011	Lakh MTs	19	450	400	360	320	280
		Benchmarking study on the efficiency of procurement to the extent it is farmer friendly	Finalise TOR and place orders for study	Date	2	30 th June 2010	31 st July 2010	31 st August 2010	30 th September 2010	31 st October 2010
Enactment of the National Food Security Act	12	Placing the Draft National Food Security Bill on the Website of the Ministry for Public comments after approval of Cabinet	Placing the Draft National Food Security Bill on the Website of the Ministry for Public comments after approval of Cabinet	Date	12	31 st October 2010	30 th November 2010	31 st December 2010	28 th February 2011	31 st March 2011

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Ensure availability of wheat and rice to meet requirement of TPDS and other welfare schemes and of sugar for BPL families.	12	Issue of Provisional annual allocations of wheat & rice and monthly allocation of sugar to States and UTs under TPDS	Issue of Provisional annual allocations of wheat, & rice to States and UTs for the year 2011-12	Date	6	15 th March 2011	20 th March 2011	25 th March 2011	28 th March 2011	31 st March 2011
			Issue of monthly Sugar quota for PDS by 25 th of each month	No. of monthly orders issued	3	264	250	225	200	175
		Issue of provisional annual allocations to Ministries under Mid-Day meal scheme and Wheat based Nutrition Programme (WBNP) for 2011-12	Provisional allocations of foodgrains	Date	3	25 th March 2011	26 th March 2011	27 th March 2011	28 th March 2011	31 st March 2011
To implement TPDS jointly with States and UTs	10	Quarterly review of offtake of foodgrains under	Review for January to March 2010	Date	1	30 th June 2010	15 th July 2010	31 st July 2010	15 th August 2010	31 st August 2010

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		TPDS and issue of Advisories to the State Govts	Review for April to June 2010	Date	1	30 th September 2010	15 th October 2010	31 st October 2010	15 th November 2010	30 th November 2010
			Review for July to September 2010	Date	1	31 st December 2010	15 th January 2011	31 st January 2011	15 th February 2011	28 th February 2011
			Review for October to December 2010	Date	1	25 th March 2011	26 th March 2011	27 th March 2011	29 th March 2011	31 st March 2011
		“Computerization of Targeted Public Distribution System operations” - Selection of Central Implementation Agency (CIA)	Issuance of Letter of Intent (LoI) or Agreement with the Agency	Date	6	31 st December 2010	31 st January 2011	28 th February 2011	15 th March 2011	31 st March 2011
Review of sugar sector Policies with a view to Reforms	10	Circulation of the draft proposal for Inter-ministerial consultations for fixation of fair and remunerative price (FRP) of sugarcane for the sugar year 2011-12	Circulation of the draft proposal	Date	6	15 th February 2011	20 th February 2011	25 th February 2011	28 th February 2011	5 th March 2011

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		Introduction of the Bill in Parliament amend the Essential Commodities Act, 1955	Introduction of the Amendment Bill in Parliament	Date	4	1 st August 2010	5 th August 2010	10 th August 2010	14 th August 2010	20 th August 2010
Development/ promotion of sugar industry	10	Timely sanction and disbursement of SDF loans for modernization and expansion	100% Utilization of RE under SDF	%	2	100	90	80	70	60
		Encouragement to set up projects for utilization of by-products for value addition	All complete applications received to be decided within six months of receipt	%	1	100	85	70	55	40
			100% Utilization of RE under Co-gen & Ethanol	%	2	100	90	80	70	60
		Assist sugar industry by way of subsidies as and when required	All complete applications received to be decided within six months of receipt	%	1	100	85	70	55	40
			Settle the claims for export and buffer subsidy by 100% utilization of RE in export and buffer subsidy	%	2	100	90	80	70	60

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		Evaluation of disbursement of SDF Loan	Issue of order of work	Date	2	31 st Aug., 2010	31 st October 2010	31 st December 2010	28 th February 2011	31 st March 2011
Development of Warehousing Sector.	11	Creation of Additional Warehousing Capacity by CWC	Creation of 175000 MT of additional covered storage capacity.	MT	6	175000	157500	140000	122500	105000
		Investment in Warehousing Infrastructure Decentralized Procurement States	Investment of Rs. 12 crore for creation of additional warehousing infrastructure in DCP States	MT	2	40000	36000	32000	28000	24000
		Implementation of Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	Notification of Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	Date	1	1 st October 2010	1 st November 2010	1 st December 2010	1 st January 2011	1 st February 2011
			Notification of Rules made under Section 50 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	Date	1	1 st December 2010	1 st January 2011	1 st February 2011	1 st March 2011	31 st March 2011

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			Submission of the Regulations made under section 35 read with section 51 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007, to the Ministry of Law and Justice for vetting	Date	1	1 st January 2011	1 st February 2011	1 st March 2011	15 th March 2011	31 st March 2011
Decide on the future of Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corporation Limited (HVOC)	1	Placing the Agenda before the Cabinet to decide on the future of HVOC	Placing the Agenda Before the Cabinet	Date	1	31 st July 2010	30 th September 2010	31 st October 2010	30 th November 2010	31 st December 2010
Efficient functioning of RFD system	5	Timely submission of Draft approval	On-time submission	Date	2	March 5, 2010	March 8, 2010	March 9, 2010	March 10, 2010	March 11, 2010
		Timely submission of Results	On-time submission	Date	1	May 2, 2011	May 3, 2011	May 4, 2011	May 5, 2011	May 6, 2011

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		Finalize a Strategic Plan (After meeting all intermediate deadlines)	Finalize Strategic Plan for next 5 years	Date	2	Dec.10, 2010	Dec.15, 2010	Dec.20, 2010	Dec.24, 2010	Dec.31, 2010				
Improving Internal Efficiency responsiveness/ service delivery of Ministry/ Department	6	Develop RFDs for all Responsibility Centres (Subordinate Offices, Attached Offices, Autonomous Bodies)	Percentage of RCs covered	%	2	100	80	60	40	20				
						Implementation of Sevottam	Create a Sevottam complaint system to implement, monitor and review Citizen's Charter	Date	1	Oct.1, 2010	Oct.5, 2010	Oct.11, 2010	Oct.15, 2010	Oct.20, 2010
						Create a Sevottam Complaint system to redress and monitor public Grievances	Date	1	Oct.1, 2010	Oct.5, 2010	Oct.11, 2010	Oct.15, 2010	Oct.20, 2010	

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			Independent Audit of Implementation of Citizen's Charter	%	1	100	95	90	85	80
			Independent Audit of Implementation of public grievance redressal system	%	1	100	95	90	85	80
Ensuring compliance to the Financial Accountability Framework	1	Timely submission of ATNs on Audit Paras of C&AG	Percentage of ATNs submitted within due date (4 months) from date of presentation of Report to Parliament by CAG during the year.	%	.5	100	90	80	70	60
		Timely submission of ATRs to the PAC Sectt. on PAC Reports	Percentage of ATRs submitted within due date (6 months) from date of presentation of Report to Parliament by PAC during the year.	%	.5	100	90	80	70	60

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	1	Early disposal of pending ATNs on Audit Paras of C&AG Reports presented to Parliament before 31.3.2010	Percentage of outstanding ATNs disposed off during the year.	%	.5	100	90	80	70	60
		Early disposal of pending ATRs on PAC Reports presented to Parliament before 31.3.2010	Percentage of outstanding ATRs disposed off during the year.	%	.5	100	90	80	70	60

SECTION 3: Trend Values of the Success Indicators

Objective	Actions	Success Indicator	Unit	Actual Value for FY 07/08	Actual Value for FY 08/09	Target Value for FY 09/10	Projected Value for FY 10/11	Projected Value for FY 11/12
Efficient procurement of wheat, Paddy/rice and coarse grains for Central Pool under price support operations	Assessing and monitoring the procurement of wheat, rice and coarse grains	Procurement of total of 400 lakh MT of wheat, rice and coarse grains between April 2010 to March 2011	Lakh MT	396.19	562.85	433.81	450	400
	Benchmarking study on the efficiency of procurement to the extent it is farmer friendly	Finalise TOR and place orders for study	Date	-	-	-	30 th June 2010	-
Enactment of the National Food Security Act	Placing the Draft National Food Security Bill on the Website of the Ministry for Public comments after approval of Cabinet	Placing the Draft National Food Security Bill on the Website of the Ministry for Public comments after approval of Cabinet	Date	NA	NA	NA	31 st October 2010	NA

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Objective	Actions	Success Indicator	Unit	Actual Value for FY 07/08	Actual Value for FY 08/09	Target Value for FY 09/10	Projected Value for FY 10/11	Projected Value for FY 11/12
Ensure availability of wheat and rice to meet requirement of TPDS and other welfare schemes and of sugar for BPL families.	Issue of Provisional Annual allocations of wheat, rice & monthly allocation of sugar to States and UTs under TPDS	Issue of Provisional annual allocations of wheat, & rice to States and UTs for the year 2011-12	Date	20 th March 2008	5 th March 2009	15 th March 2010	15 th March 2011	15 th March 2012
		Issue of monthly Sugar quota for PDS by 25 th of each month	No. of monthly orders issued	264	264	264	264	264
	Issue of provisional annual allocations to Ministries under Mid-Day meal scheme, and Wheat based Nutrition Programme (WBNP) for 2011-12	Provisional allocations of foodgrains	Date	Only quarterly allocations were being issued	Only quarterly allocations were being issued	25 th March 2010	25 th March 2011	25 th March 2012

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Objective	Actions	Success Indicator	Unit	Actual Value for FY 07/08	Actual Value for FY 08/09	Target Value for FY 09/10	Projected Value for FY 10/11	Projected Value for FY 11/12
To implement TPDS jointly with States and UTs	Quarterly review of offtake of foodgrains under TPDS and issue of Advisories to the State Governments	On time review every quarter	period	NA	NA	15 th March 2010	Quarterly	Quarterly
	“Computerization of Targeted Public Distribution System operations” - Selection of Central Implementation Agency (CIA)	Issuance of Letter of Intent (LoI) or Agreement with the Agency	Date	-	-	-	31 st December 2010	-
Review of sugar Sector Policies with a view to reforms	Circulation of the draft proposal for Inter-ministerial consultations for fixation of fair and remunerative price (FRP) of sugarcane for the sugar year 2011-12	Circulation of the draft proposal	Date	21.3.2008 SMP for 2008-09	25.6.2009 SMP for 2009-10 19.10.2009 FRP for 2009-10	15.3.2010 FRP for sugar season 2010-11	15.2.2011 FRP for sugar season 2011-12	15.2.2012 FRP for sugar season 2012-13

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	Introduction of the Bill in Parliament to amend the Essential Commodities Act,1955	Introduction of the Amendment Bill in Parliament	Date	NA	NA	NA	1 st August 2010	NA
Development/promotion of sugar industry.	Timely sanction and disbursement of SDF loans for modernization and expansion.	100% Utilization of RE under SDF	%	100% by 31 st March 2008	100% by 31 st March 2009	100 % by 31 st March 2010	100 % by 31 st March 2011	100 % by 31 st March 2012
		All complete applications to be decided within six months of receipt	%	-----	-----	-	100	100
	Encouragement to set up projects for utilization of by-products for value addition.	100% Utilization of RE under Co-gen & Ethanol	%	88% by 31 st March 2008	100% by 31 st March 2009	100 % by 31 st March 2010	100 % by 31 st March 2011	100 % by 31 st March 2012
		All complete applications received to be decided within six months of receipt	%	-----	-----	-	100	100

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	Assist sugar industry by way of subsidies as and when required.	Settle the claims for export and buffer subsidy by 100% Utilization of RE in export and buffer subsidy	%	51 % of Budget provision (RE)	100% of Budget provision (RE)	100% of Budget provision (RE)	100% of Budget provision (RE)	100% of Budget provision (RE)
	Evaluation for disbursement of SDF Loan	Issue of work order	Date	NA	NA	NA	31 st August 2010	NA
Development of Warehousing Sector	Creation of Additional Warehousing Capacity by CWC	Creation of 175000 MT of additional covered storage capacity.	MT	240000	72,000	80,000	1,75,000	1,50,000
	Investment in Warehousing Infrastructure in Decentralized Procurement States	Investment of Rs. 12 crore for creation of additional warehousing infrastructure in DCP States	MT				40,000	

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Objective	Actions	Success Indicator	Unit	Actual Value for FY 07/08	Actual Value for FY 08/09	Target Value for FY 09/10	Projected Value for FY 10/11	Projected Value for FY 11/12
	Implementation of Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	Notification of Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	Date	-	-	-	1 st October 2010-	-
		Notification of Rules made under Section 50 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	Date	-	-	-	1 st December 2010	-

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		Submission of the Regulations made under section 35 read with section 51 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007, to the Ministry of Law and Justice for vetting	Date	-	-	-	1 st January-2011	
Decide on the future of Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corporation Limited (HVOC)	Placing the Agenda before Cabinet to decide on the future of HVOC	Placing the Agenda Item Before Cabinet	Date	-	-	-	31 st July-2010	

SECTION 4:

Description and Definition of Success Indicators and Proposed Measurement Methodology

- **National Food Security Act** finds place in the President's address to Parliament and refers to guaranting 25 Kg. of rice for every family
- **Procurement** means procurement of rice/paddy and wheat in a crop year.
- **Both Paddy and Rice are procured.** For purposes of target, Paddy is converted into Rice in terms of a formula of 67% outturn.
- **TPDS** refers to Targeted Public Distribution System
- **Warehousing (Development & Regulation) Act 2007** provides for introduction of Negotiable Warehouse Receipts
- The Notification of the **Warehousing (Development & Regulation) Act 2007** and the Rules is to be made after the appointment of the Chairperson and Members of WDRA
- **WDRA** refers to Warehousing Development & Regulatory Authority
- **ACC** refers to Appointments Committee of Cabinet
- **SDF** refers to Sugar Development Fund
- **MT** refers to Metrics tonne
- **SMP** refers to Statutory Minimum Price
- **FRP** refers to Fair & Remunerative Price
- **Sugar season** is from October to September of each year
- **Complete application** - referred to in Success indicators of Objective 'Development/ promotion of Sugar Industry' means submission of application in the prescribed form with annexure and accompanied by:-
 - (i) Detailed project report
 - (ii) Financial appraisal from a Scheduled Bank/Financial institutions; and
 - (iii) Letter of intent of sanction of term loan by lending bank(s)/Financial Institutions as per financial tie-up given in the financial appraisal, for the purpose of initial processing of loan application for modernization/rehabilitation, co-generation power projects and ethanol plants and information/data required for consideration of the application by the Committee.

In case of cane development loans 'complete application' means application in the prescribed form with annexure forwarded through the State Government concerned with its recommendations.

No. of monthly orders issued for issue of monthly sugar quota for PDS – Total 22 number of levy release orders are issued to different States every month for issue of monthly sugar quota under TPDS.

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- One levy release order is issued for each of the following States: – Andhra Pradesh; Bihar; Chhatisgarh; Delhi; Gujarat; Haryana; Himachal Pradesh; Jharkhand; Karnataka; Kerala; Madhya Pradesh; Maharashtra; Orissa; Punjab; Rajasthan; Sikkim; Tamil Nadu; Uttarakhand; Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal.
- One consolidated levy release order is issued for the States of Arunachal Pradesh; Assam; J&K; Manipur; Meghalaya, Nagaland; Mizoram; Tripura and UT of Andaman & Nicobar Islands.
- One consolidated levy release order is issued to the following: Dadar & Nagar Haveli; Daman & Diu; Mahe; Karikal; Yanam; Goa; Chandigarh; Puducherry and Bhutan.

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Theory of change :- New Initiatives

(1) Introduction of Negotiable Warehouse Receipt System in the country.

With the implementation of Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007, Warehousing Receipts will become negotiable. This is a part of broader agriculture reforms in the country. With a legal backing in the form of negotiable Warehouse Receipts (NWRs), farmers and other stakeholders can safely keep their agricultural produce in warehouses registered under the Act and can raise finance against NWR helping them avoid distress sale. The introduction of NWR will also spur banking, insurance, grading and standardization related activities in rural areas besides setting up of quality warehouses.

(2) Enactment of National Food Security Act

Government proposes to enact the National Food Security Act. Under the proposed law, every BPL family is to be entitled to receive 25 kg of food grains per month at Rs.3 per kg. This will result in the following improvements in the functioning of the TPDS:

- ❖ Statutory availability of food grains ensured through the proposed Law on National Food Security.
- ❖ Increased accountability of the States/UTs for ensuring proper distribution under TPDS through appropriate provisions in the proposed Law
- ❖ Improving efficiency in distribution through suitable provisions of the Law

(3) Creation of Storage capacity by Food Corporation of India(FCI) and Decentralised Procurement States (DCP States)

In order to augment storage capacity in the country for safe and scientific storage of foodgrains for central pool, the Government has issued a scheme for giving 5 year guarantee to private entrepreneurs. The scheme is to be implemented by CWC/SWCs. However, response of private entrepreneurs under the scheme has been poor.

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It is proposed to revise the scheme so that it can be made attractive to private entrepreneurs. It is also proposed that a similar scheme for DCP States is to be formulated.

FCI has assessed total requirement of 127.65 lakh tones of storage capacity to meet its own requirement.

(4) “Computerization of Targeted Public Distribution System (TPDS) operations” on pilot basis in three districts of each of A.P, Assam, Chhattisgarh, Delhi and in the Department of F&PD for GOI component

For functioning of TPDS in the country, the Department of Food and Public Distribution (DoF&PD) has initiated a scheme on “Computerization of Targeted Public Distribution System operations” to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the TPDS delivery system with the help of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) tools and application of industry-standard supply chain management practices.

The scheme concentrates on six key functional areas – allocation, off take reporting, storage, movement, finance, licensing & regulation and grievance redressal. ICT tools and better management practices under the scheme shall be used to provide solutions to problems identified in each of these key functional areas.

Processes involved in awarding the contract on computerization :-

DFPD through an Expression of Interest (Eoi), will shortlist a panel of Implementation agencies (IA) from which the Central and State IAs will be selected.

The central IA will be selected by the Department of Food & PD, Government of India by floating the Central RFP to the shortlisted vendors. The successful vendor (Central IA) would be awarded the contract for Implementation at Centre. Central IA will design, develop, implement, enhance and maintain only the Central modules.

Similarly the state governments will select the state level IA by floating their customized RFP to the same short-listed vendors. The successful vendor (State IA) would be awarded the contract by the respective State for state level Implementation. The State IA will design, develop, implement, enhance and maintain state

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configurable and customizable modules in close coordination with Central IA and as per the data exchange standards developed by Central IA.

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**SECTION 5:
Specific Performance Requirements from other Departments**

Department	Relevant Success Indicator	What do you need?	Why do you need it?	How much you need?	What happens if you do not get it?
Agriculture	Production of adequate foodgrains to meet requirements of the Central Pool	Adequate production of food grains – wheat and rice and coarse grains	For procurement to meet Central Pool requirements for allocation under TPDS	Production of 185 Million tones of wheat & Rice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shortfall in procurement • Lower stocks in the Central Pool • Reduction in TPDS allocations to States/UTs • Public resentment • Low private stocks & high open market prices
State /UT Governments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proper identification of targeted beneficiaries • Smooth functioning of TPDS in States/UTs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Efficient administrative machinery for proper distribution to targeted beneficiaries • Timely receipt of proposals for allocation for other Welfare schemes • Submission of UCs for past allocations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To ensure timely distribution of food grains to targeted beneficiaries • To make allocations well in time • Assess the requirements and ensure proper utilisation of past allocations 	As entitlement per	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Delay in allocations and non availability of food grains to the targeted beneficiaries • Delay in allocation and release of food grains for welfare scheme beneficiaries • Inclusion and exclusion errors leading to deprivation of intended beneficiaries
Sugar factories	Adequate Production of sugar and supply of levy sugar	Levy sugar	For public distribution	28 lakh MT of sugar as per present scale & entitlements	Sugar not reaching the poor Public resentment
Cabinet Secretariat	• Notification of Warehousing	ACC approval for the appointment of Chairperson	For implementation of Warehousing	Not later than 1 st July 2010	This would lead to delay in implementation of Warehousing

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	(Development and Regulation) Act, 2007 • Notification of Rules made under Section 50 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	and Members of WDRA	(Development and Regulation) Act, 2007		(Development and Regulation) Act, 2007. The Notification of the Act as well as the Rules is to be made after the appointment of the Chairperson and Members of WDRA
Ministry of Law	Notification of Rules made under Section 50 of the Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	Vetting of the Rules submitted to the Ministry of Law	For implementation of Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007	10 th August 2010	Delay in implementation of Warehousing (Development and Regulation) Act, 2007
Reserve Bank of India(RBI)	Procurement of 450 lakh MT of wheat, rice and coarse grains between April 2010 to March 2011	Valuation of Stock of State Agencies at par with FCI i.e. Valuation of stock of state agencies at acquisition cost through out 12 months in a year	Because of disparity in valuation norms adopted by RBI for FCI and state agencies, i.e. the valuation of stocks of FCI at acquisition cost for entire 12 months vis-à-vis valuation of stock of State agencies at acquisition cost for 3 months and mean of acquisition cost and CIP for remaining 9 months, State Governments are requesting for valuation of their stock at	The stocks of state agencies should be valued at par with FCI because state agencies also contribute to procurement for Central Pool.	In the absence of same valuation norms for state agencies as that for FCI, state agencies will be unable to get sufficient food credit, as the withdrawal power of state agencies depends on value of paid stocks. If the value of paid stocks is reduced, then the state agencies withdrawal power will also be reduced to that extent. Such reduction in value of stocks and consequential reduction in withdrawal power thereby, is likely

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			<p>par with FCI to enable them to draw larger amount of food credit for procurement operations.</p>		<p>to hamper procurement operations due to non-availability of sufficient funds. Further, since stocks are valued at lower costs the bank accounts of State Agencies have the danger of being declared as irregular and if this irregularity continues for 90 days then, the bank account will be declared as non-performing assets, in which case the state agencies will be deprived of food credit for any other operation also.</p>
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Minister for Agriculture, Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution

Secretary Food and Public Distribution

Place: _____

Date: _____