

**F.No.5-1/2016-Desk (MDM)**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Human Resource Development**  
**Department of School Education & Literacy**  
**(MDM Division)**

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi,  
Dated 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2016

To

**The Additional Chief Secretaries / Principal Secretaries / Secretaries to the  
Education / Nodal Department of State Government / UT Administration  
dealing with Mid Day Meal Scheme**

**Subject: Revision of rates of food grains from Below Poverty Line (BPL) rates  
to National Food Security Act (NFSA) rates under Mid Day Meal  
Scheme (MDMS) for the year 2016-17 for the period 01.04.2016 to  
30.09.2016 – reg.**

Sir / Madam,

Please refer to this Department's letter of even no. dated 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2016 regarding allocation of foodgrains for the 1<sup>st</sup> two quarters of 2016-17 under Mid Day Meal Scheme. In this connection, I am directed to convey the decision of Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, Government of India vide OM no. 4-2/2016-BP-II dated 18<sup>th</sup> April, 2016 (copy enclosed) that foodgrains under Mid Day Meal Scheme for the 1<sup>st</sup> two quarters during 2016-17 would be supplied at NFSA rates i.e. Rs. 2 per kg. of wheat and Rs. 3 per kg. of rice instead of existing BPL rates.

2. You are requested that the payment of cost of foodgrains to FCI for the foodgrains lifted under the Mid Day Meal Scheme by the States / UTs should be made as per NFSA rates only instead of BPL rates.

3. You are further requested to disseminate the above decision for compliance by concerned district authorities in the States / UTs.

**Yours faithfully,**



**(Gaya Prasad)**

**Director (MDM)**

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**Copy to:**

1. The Directors, Education / Mid Day Meal Scheme of all the States/UTs for necessary action.
2. The Executive Director (Sales), Food Corporation of India, 16-20, Barakhamba Lane, New Delhi-110001 with a copy of the above mentioned OM of the Department of Food and Public Distribution for issuing instruction to all concerned.
3. The Deputy Secretary, Department of Food & Public Distribution (BP-II Section, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
4. PPS to Secretary, Department of School Education & Literacy, MHRD
5. PPS to JS(EE.I), Department of School Education & Literacy, MHRD
6. Dir(PV)/Dir(HK)/DS(BDS)/US(RK)/US(AD)/US(SA)

No.4-2/2016-BP-II

Government of India

Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution

Department of Food and Public Distribution

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi,

Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> April 2016.

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject:- Allocation of food grains under Mid Day Meal Scheme (MDM) for the year 2016-17 for the period 1.04.2016 to 30.09.2016 - reg.

In continuation of this Department's O.M of even number dated 1.04.2016 on the above mentioned subject and to say that it has been decided to revise the allocation order regarding foodgrains allocated to the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of School Education & Literacy under Mid-Day Meal Scheme during 2016-17 under NFSA rates instead of BPL rates. Accordingly, in partial modification of said Office Memorandum, it has been now decided to allocate 208089.94 tons of Wheat & 1134892.46 tons of rice for 1<sup>st</sup> two quarters of 2016-17 (April, 2016 to September, 2016) at NFSA prices i.e. Rs. 2 per kg. of wheat and and Rs. 3 per kg. of rice. The other terms and conditions mentioned in the O.M. dated 1.04.2016 will remain unchanged.

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