

No. 5(1)/2011-Desk (MDM)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Human Resource Development  
Department of School Education & Literacy  
(Mid Day Meal Division)  
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Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi.  
Dated 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2011

**Subject: Allocation of free foodgrains to Mizoram and Meghalaya under National Programme of Mid-Day Meal in Schools (MDMS) for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter (October to December, 2011) and 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter (January, 2012 to March, 2012) for financial year 2011-12.**

On the basis of concurrence received from the Department of Food & Public Distribution vide their O.M. No.4/1/2011-BP-II dated 8.09.2011, foodgrains to Mizoram and Meghalaya under National Programme of Mid-Day Meal in Schools (MDMS) for 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter (October to December, 2011) and 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter (January, 2012 to March, 2012) for financial year 2011-12 is being allocated as per the Annexure-I and Annexure-II respectively.

2. States are required to further allocate the foodgrains to the districts as per the requirement under the provision of MDM Guidelines under intimation to this Department as well as to Food Corporation of India (FCI) for supply of foodgrains accordingly.
3. District Administration on receiving the allocation from the State will send a schedule (periodicity and date/week) of lifting of foodgrains to the local FCI depot depending upon its requirement, transportation convenience and storage capacity.
4. District can lift foodgrains on monthly, bimonthly or quarterly basis as indicated in its schedule. However, as per the guidelines issued by Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution, Department of Food & Public Distribution, Govt. of India vide their letter No. 1-2/2008-BP.II dated 18.9.2008, allocated foodgrains can be lifted from the FCI godowns starting from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month preceding the allocation quarter and up to 25<sup>th</sup> of the last month of the allocation quarter. Districts officers are, therefore, required to be directed to lift the foodgrains accordingly.
5. Payment of the cost of foodgrains will be made by District authorities within 20 days of the receipt of bills from FCI as per the guidelines issued by this Department vide letter No. 1-15/2009- Desk(MDM) dated 10.2.2010. The guidelines for decentralization of payment of cost of foodgrains to FCI at district level can be downloaded from the website of this Department [www.education.nic.in](http://www.education.nic.in).
6. Procedure laid down in para 3.6 to 3.9 of the above mentioned guidelines dated 10.2.2010 on decentralization of payment of cost of foodgrains shall be followed meticulously to ensure that best quality of foodgrains, which in any case, will not be inferior to Fair Average Quality (FAQ) is lifted from FCI godown. The process followed at the time of receipt of foodgrains from FCI depots should be repeated at each level till the foodgrains reach the end user to ensure that only good quality of foodgrains is delivered for consumption by children. Records/samples regarding quality ensurance should be maintained at all levels.

7. As per para 5.4 of MDM Guidelines, a monthly report on off take, payment and quantity of foodgrains sent to schools/cooking agency may be furnished in the prescribed format latest by 15<sup>th</sup> of the following month on regular basis.

  
(Gaya Prasad)  
Director (MDM)  
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To,

1. Shri P.S. Thankiew, Principal Secretary (Edn.), Education Department, Govt. of Meghalaya, Shillong-796 001.
2. Ms. Pi Esther Lalruatkini, Secretary, Govt. of Mizoram, School Education Department, Civil Sectt., Block-C, Aizwal – 796 001, Mizoram.

Copy to:-

1. The Executive Director (Sales), Food Corporation of India, 16-20, Barakhamba Lane, New Delhi – 110 001 with the photocopy of the above mentioned OM of the Department of Food & Public Distribution for issuing instruction to all concerned to make available good quality foodgrain at the FCI godowns, facilitate lifting of the same and submit bills to district authorities at the earliest for payment by them.
2. The Deputy Secretary, Department of Food & Public Distribution (BP-II Section), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
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4. US(BDS).

  
(Gaya Prasad)  
Director (MDM)

Annexure-I

MID-DAY-MEAL SCHEME  
Foodgrains Allocation to States/UTs For 3rd Quarter during 2011-12  
(For 1.10.2011-31.12.2011)

Sl. No.	State/UT	Primary										Upper Primary					3rd Quarter			(Primary + Upper Primary)			Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)					
		3rd Quarter					3rd Quarter					3rd Quarter					3rd Quarter			3rd Quarter								
		No. of children approved by PAB	No. of Working Days approved by	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)	No. of children approved by PAB	No. of Working Days approved	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)	No. of children approved by PAB	No. of Working Days approved	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)						
1	Meghalaya	391500	200	5	6	7	8	122000	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	0.00	834.66	834.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2711.69	2711.69
2	Mizoram	110000	211	0.00	580.50	580.50	50000	220	220	164.69	164.69	164.69	745.19	745.19	745.19	0.00	164.69	164.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	745.19	745.19	

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**MID-DAY-MEAL SCHEME**  
**Foodgrains Allocation to States/UTs For 4th Quarter during 2011-12**  
 (For 1.1.2012-31.3.2012)

Annexure-II

Sl. No.	State/UT	(in MTs)																			
		Primary					Upper Primary					(Primary+Upper Primary)									
		4th Quarter					4th Quarter					4th Quarter									
No. of children approved by PAB	No. of Working Days approved	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)	No. of children approved by	No. of Working Days approved	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)	No. of children approved by	No. of Working Days approved	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)	No. of children approved by	No. of Working Days approved	Wheat	Rice	Foodgrains (Wheat+Rice)		
1	Meghalaya	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15							
		391500	200	0.00	1877.03	1877.03	122000	220	0.00	834.66	834.66	0.00	0.00	2711.69							
2	Mizoram	110000	211	0.00	580.50	580.50	50000	220	0.00	164.70	164.70	0.00	0.00	745.20							

*(Signature)*

**(OFFICE/STATE/UT)**  
 Director/In-charge  
 M. D. M. Scheme, Min. of H. R. D.  
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