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> Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2019

Subject: Minutes of the meeting of Programme Approval Board – Mid Day Meal Scheme in respect of UT Administration of Chandigarh held on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2019.

The meeting of Programme Approval Board Mid-Day Meal to consider the Annual Work Plan & Budget 2019-20 in respect of UT Administration of Chandigarh was held on 06.05.2019 at New Delhi.

2. A copy of the minutes of the above meeting is enclosed for information & necessary action.

3. The Annual Work Plan & Budget 2019-20 has the approval of Secretary (SE&L).

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Government of India Ministry of Human Resource Development Department of School Education& Literacy

Minutes of the meeting of Programme Approval Board held on 6<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 to consider the Annual Work Plan & Budget (AWP&B) – 2019-20 of Mid-Day Meal Scheme for the UT of Chandigarh.

#### 1. Introduction

The meeting of the Programme Approval Board for considering the Annual Work Plan and Budget (AWP&B) 2019-20 for Mid-Day Meal Scheme for the UT of Chandigarh was held on  $6^{th}$  May, 2019. The list of participants who attended the meeting is attached at **Annexure – I.** 

#### 2. Initiative of the UT

Ms. Rina Ray Secretary (SE&L), invited the UT Administration officers to make a presentation on implementation of Mid Day Meal Scheme in the UT of Chandigarh Administration. Sh. B. L. Sharma, Secretary, Education, UT of Chandigarh Administration made a presentation and highlighted the following good practices :

- a) UT provides Rs. 3.22 for both primary and upper primary over and above the central assistance for cooking cost.
- b) UT provides Rs. 2000/- per month over and above the central assistance for Honorarium to Cook cum Helpers,
- c) UT provides additional fund for transporting hot cooked meal from Centralized Kitchen to School from their own resources (Rs. 60.00 Lacs granted for FY-2018-19).
- d) 100% Children of UT of Chandigarh are having Aadhaar.

- e) 85% Schools in UT of Chandigarh have Water Filtration Facility through MPLAD Funds.
- f) Fortification of Rice & Wheat has been introduced by UT through CSR Funds.
- g) All the Schools in the UT of Chandigarh have Multi tap facility for hand washing.
- h) School Nutrition Gardens have been developed in cluster based kitchens.
- i) Kitchen waste is utilized for preparation of compost.

3. Review of Commitments and Expected Outcomes & Action Taken during 2018-19

The progress made in implementing the commitments/expected outcomes with respect to the indicators in Performance Grading Index (PGI) in 2018-19 was reviewed which is as follows:

SI. No.	Commitments and expected outcomes	Action taken	Comments of PAB 2019-20
1	UT had committed to cover 30574 children in primary classes and 18739 children in upper primary classes.	(83%) children in primary classes and	
2	UT had committed to serve Mid Day Meals on 248 working days in both primary and upper primary classes.	served on 237 working days in both primary	cover 100% working days in both primary

# 4. Review of Performance during 2018-19

#### 4.1 Performance on PGI indicators:

There are two indicators of Mid Day Meal Scheme in the Performance Grading Index (PGI) i.e. i) Score against the weightage of 10 for indicator No. 1.3.7 i.e. "% of elementary school's children taking MDM against target approved in PAB – in Govt. and aided schools" and ii) Score against the weightage of 10 for indicator No 1.3.8 i.e. "% of days Mid Day Meal served against total working days – Govt. and aided elementary schools."

Indicator	Score out of 10 (children taking MDM)	Score out of 10 (MDM served days )
Score	9	10

**Comments of PAB:** UT was advised to take measures to achieve the highest Performance Grade Index consistently.

#### 4.2 Coverage of children:

The PAB-MDM has approved 30574 children at primary and 18739 children at upper primary level, out of which 25330 children at primary and 16887 children at upper primary have availed Mid Day Meal on an average basis during the year 2018-19.

Stage	PAB-MDM Approval	Average number of children availed MDM	% children availed MDM
Primary	30574	25330	83
Upper Primary	18739	16887	90
Total	49313	42217	86

Under 'Performance Grading Index' (PGI), the UT of Chandigarh obtained score of 9 against the weightage of 10 for indicator No. 1.3.7 i.e. "% of elementary school's

children taking MDM against target approved in PAB – in Govt. and aided schools". It was observed that 83% children have been covered under the primary and 90% children have been covered in upper primary school against PAB-MDM approval.

**Comments of PAB:** The UT was advised to take necessary steps to enhance the coverage of children in both primary and upper primary level.

## 4.3 School Working Days:

The PAB-MDM has approved 248 working days for both primary and upper primary level, out of which Mid Day Meal was served on 237 working days (96%) for both primary and upper primary levels. Secretary - Education, UT of Chandigarh Administration mentioned that schools had to be closed due to local holidays. Under Performance Grading Index (PGI), the UT of Chandigarh obtained score of 10 against the weightage of 10 for indicator No. 1.3.8 i.e. "% of days Mid Day Meal served against total working days – Government and aided elementary schools".

**Comments of PAB:** The UT was advised to take necessary steps to enhance the coverage of all working days at both primary as well as upper primary level.

#### 4.4 Kitchen cum store:

Central assistance of Rs. 23.34 Lacs has been released during 2006-07 to 2018-19 for construction of 10 Kitchen-cum-Stores. As on 31.3.2019, construction of Kitchen-cum-Stores has been completed in 7 schools. The UT of Chandigarh has not started construction work for kitchen-cum-stores in 3 schools

UT of Chandigarh had proposed for Rs. 1,24,38,300/- for construction of 3 Cluster based Kitchen @ Rs. 41,46,100/- in AWP&B 2018-19. After detailed discussion in PAB 2019-20, the Ministry expressed its inability to support their proposal of construction 3 cluster based kitchen as these were beyond the scope of MDM guidelines.

# 4.5 Kitchen Devices (new as well as replacement):

Central Assistance of Rs. 2.28 Lacs has been released from 2006-07 to 2018-19 towards procurement of new 50 units of kitchen devices. The UT of Chandigarh has reported that all 50 units of kitchen devices have been procured.

**Comments of PAB:** The 100% procurement of sanctioned kitchen devices was appreciated.

4.6 School Health Programme (Rastriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram (RBSK), Weekly Iron & Folic Acid Supplementation (WIFS), National De-worming Day (NDD) etc.) and Nutrition in convergence with other Ministries:

It was observed that health check up has been carried out for all the 95,334 (100%) enrolled children.

Enrolment		No. of Children	
	Health check up (RBSK)	Iron & Folic Acid tablets (WIFS)	De-worming tablets (NDD)
95,334	95,334 (100%)	95,334 (100%)	95,334 (100%)

**Comments of PAB:** PAB appreciated the 100% coverage on all three parameters of School Health Programme in convergence with Ministry of Health & Family Welfare. UT of Chandigarh was advised to maintain 100% coverage on all three parameters of School Health Programme consistently.

# 4.7 Training of Cook-cum-helpers and other capacity building activities:

UT has informed that no training has been imparted to any cook-cum-helpers during 2018-19.

**Comments of PAB:** UT was advised to organize training of cook cum helpers / Refresher courses on yearly basis in a planned manner on various subjects like Healthy & Nutritious meal, cleanliness and hygiene etc. with the convergence of Tourism Department of Chandigarh.

## 4.8 Data Entry on MIS-Web Portal:

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MDM-MIS portal captures information on critical indicators of MDMS. The annual data entry module captures master data on availability of kitchen-cum-stores, kitchen devices, no. of cook-cum-helpers engaged, mode of cooking etc. The monthly data entry module captures data on no. of days Mid Day Meal was served, number of meals served, honorarium paid to cook-cum-helpers engaged, no. of children received IFA tablets, no. of children screened under Rashtriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram (RBSK) etc. The UT of Chandigarh has completed 100% Annual and Monthly data entry.

**Comments of PAB**: 100% Annual & Monthly data entry in a time bound manner was appreciated.

# 4.9 Status of implementation of Automated Monitoring System (AMS) :

Automated Monitoring System (AMS) has been put in place for real time monitoring of MDMS. Data on number of meals served on the particular day and reasons if meals not served is being captured from schools with no cost to school head masters/teachers. Out of 123 schools, average daily data has been reported by 119 (97%) schools on Automated Monitoring System. In this regard, email alerts are being sent to all UTs/UTs on daily basis.

**Comments of PAB:** UT was advised to ensure that daily data is being reported by 100% schools on all school working days and the same is used for better monitoring of the scheme.

#### 4.10 Centralised kitchens:

UT of Chandigarh has informed that three Centralized kitchen has been engaged for supplying meal to 92040 children covering 92 Schools in Chandigarh under MDM.

Comments of PAB regarding provisions of National Food Security Act, 2013 with reference to Centralized Kitchens: UT was informed that Section 5 of the National Food Security Act, 2013 envisages that 'Every school shall have the facility for cooking meal in hygienic manner. Schools located in urban areas only, may use the facility of centralized kitchens for cooking meals wherever required in accordance with the guidelines issued by the Central Government and the meal shall be served to the children at respective school only'. The UT was requested to comply with the provisions of National Food Security Act, 2013.

# 4.11 Awareness generation activities:

The UT of Chandigarh has informed that activities have been carried out for awareness generation through video clips on nutritious food under Mid Day Meal Scheme, maintenance of hygiene, hand washing etc.

**Comments of PAB:** UT Administration of Chandigarh was also advised to document the awareness generation activities and share the best practices with Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource & Development, Government of India.

#### 4.12 Social Audit:

UT Administration of Chandigarh has informed that UT has conducted their Social Audit by Centre for Research in Rural and Industrial Development (CRRID) in 20 Schools in Chandigarh during FY 2018-19.

**Comments of PAB:** Social Audit is collective monitoring of a scheme by people's active involvement. It covers the issues of equity and equality along with expenditure in programme implementation. UT was informed that under the provisions of section 28 of National Food Security act. 2013, Social Audit of the scheme is mandatory. As per the MDM guidelines, it is mandatory to conduct Social Audit in at least 20 schools in all districts. The Social Audit Units (SAU) set up under MNREGS, may be actively involved in conducting Social Audit of MDM in all districts. UT Administration was advised to share the findings of Social Audit with Department of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource & Development, Government of India.

# 4.13 Meeting of District level Steering cum Monitoring Committee:

As per the information provided by UT Administration of Chandigarh, one meeting of District level Steering cum Monitoring Committee under the chairpersonship of the District Collector has taken place.

**Comments of PAB:** UT was advised to ensure that meetings of District level Steering cum Monitoring Committee are held on monthly basis.

# 4.14 Other proposals and issues discussed

UT Government has requested to enhance the honorarium of Cook-cum-Helpers.

## 5. New Approaches

# 5.1 School Nutrition Gardens

School Nutrition Garden (SNG) is a place where herbs, fruits and vegetables are grown in the school premises for use in preparation of Mid-Day Meal. The objectives of developing School Nutrition Gardens are to help address malnutrition and micro nutrient deficiencies and also to give children first-hand experience with nature and gardening. Large piece of land is not required for setting up of School Nutrition Gardens and even roof tops can be used for growing vegetable/fruits in containers. Plants may also be grown in small containers, cans, jars, discarded earthen pots, wooden peti, ceramic sinks, food tins, and atta bags etc, where land is not available.

The grown whole vegetables, fruits from School Nutrition Gardens may be consumed under Mid-Day Meal including parts like stem (banana, bottle gourd, pumpkin), leaves (coriander, mint, spinach), flower (pumpkin flower, morringa), peels of vegetable (bottle gourd, pumpkin, ridge gourd). UT of Chandigarh may have convergence with the line department viz. Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Department of Agriculture / Horticulture, Food & Nutrition Board, UT Agriculture Universities etc. for setting up of School Nutrition Gardens.

Under the 'flexi fund component for innovative interventions' in Mid-Day Meal Scheme, an amount of Rs 5000/- per School Nutrition Garden may be utilized for purchase of seeds, equipment, compost etc. on sharing basis between Centre and States/UTs. However, as the power for implementing scheme with minor modifications from the existing guidelines has been delegated to District Level Committee chaired by the District Magistrate, the committee may rationalize and allot funds on the basis of school specific requirement, within the overall average of Rs 5000/- per School Nutrition Garden. Seeds/saplings may be obtained from Agriculture/horticulture department. The UT Administration of Chandigarh may have convergence with Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MNREGS) of Ministry of Rural Development for constructing compound walls in the schools, leveling of the ground etc. as per the Master Circular - A guide for Programme Implementation FY 2018-19, issued by the Ministry of Rural Development relating to the items admissible for assistance through MNREGS. Photos of the School Nutrition Garden (high definition) supported by small write-ups may be uploaded quarterly on the MDM - MIS portal.

Further all UTs were informed during the PAB meetings of Samagra Shiksha to constitute Youth & Eco Clubs in all schools. An amount of Rs.5000/- each for

standalone Primary Schools, Rs. 15000/- each for Elementary Schools and Rs.25000/- each for Secondary/Higher Secondary Schools for this purpose. Youth Clubs may utilise school resources like playgrounds and sports equipment, libraries, music and art rooms and auditorium for co-scholastic and recreational activities like drama, debates, art, sports and games, music etc. for individual and inter personal growth. Utilize playing fields and libraries after normal school hours and during holidays etc. Eco Clubs may carry out activities to promote awareness and interest in environment, biodiversity, climate and local ecology, nutrition, health, sanitation and hygiene.

#### 5.2 Cooking Competition

Organizing Cooking Competition for Mid-Day meal is one of the focus areas during 2019-20. Main objectives of organizing Cooking Competition are to motivate Cookcum-Helpers by incentivizing the best recipes using the whole vegetables i.e. stems, leaves, peels etc.; to give emphasis on preparation of MDM with locally available food articles as per the culturally accepted food habits; to promote community participation in the preparation of Mid-Day Meal; to associate the school children (one from primary classes and one from upper primary classes) as judges for the competition because they are the ultimate beneficiaries of Mid-Day Meal. In addition, nutrition experts may also be associated with the cooking competition. The winners may be suitably given prizes and formally felicitated.

The whole cooking competition may be very interactive, for creating interest and increased effectiveness. Discussions during the Cooking competition may be carried out among the Cook-cum-Helpers, nutrition experts and children regarding the importance of green leafy vegetables, use of all parts of vegetable plants including stem, leaves, peels of vegetable (as sources of minerals and vitamins), pulses (as a source of good proteins) and double fortified salt (importance of iron and iodine in diet) etc. Discussions may also be arranged for cook cum helpers with the nutrition experts regarding food safety measures viz., washing vegetables before cutting them, cooking the meal in a container with lids on to prevent loss of vitamins and essential nutrients during the process of cooking. Professional photographs and videos should also be made of the competitions.

#### 5.3 Flexi Funds :

It has been decided to give flexibility to the States and UTs to utilize, with the prior approval of MHRD, 5% of their Annual Work Plan & Budget for new interventions, provided they are not included under any other Central or UT Schemes and there is no overlapping of activities. The approved funding pattern between the Centre and the UTs under Mid Day Meal Scheme will also be followed for these 5% funds of Annual Work Plan & Budget (AWP&B). Therefore, the UT of Chandigarh is required to make necessary budget provision for releasing their corresponding matching share.

The UT of Chandigarh need to submit their proposals for the new interventions to be undertaken with 5% flexibility, in their Annual Work Plan & Budget for consideration and approval of Programme Approval Board-Mid Day Meal (PAB-MDM). The activities proposed to be undertaken through the 5% flexi-funds shall not overlap the activities under the approved components of the scheme. They should rather aim at improving the effectiveness of the scheme by addressing the gaps, if any, such as supplementary nutrition over and above the existing provisions (including additional items), setting up of School Nutrition Gardens etc. These examples are illustrative in nature and not exhaustive. The UT Administration of Chandigarh will ensure that 5% flexibility is not proposed for creation of capital assets such as construction of kitchen-cum-stores, dining halls, procurement/replacement of kitchen devices etc.

#### 5.4 Use of Temples, Gurudwaras, Jails etc.

Temples, Gurudwaras, Jails etc. can be involved in Mid Day Meal Scheme. Temples, Gurudwaras have greater reach among community, this can help in wider publicity for Mid Day Meal Scheme by adopting some schools for providing meals, thereby facilitating enhanced sense of ownership of the Mid Day Meal Scheme among the local community.

#### 5.5 Tithi Bhojan

"Tithi Bhojan" is an initiative started by the States and UTs with an aim to provide additional nutrition to children studying in schools. Under this program community provides full meal or additional items on special occasions such as festivals, anniversaries, birthdays, marriages, and days of national importance etc. It was emphasized that Tithi Bhojan is not a substitute to Mid-Day Meal and this only supplements or complements Mid - Day Meal. Guidelines on Tithi Bhojan have already been issued by MHRD. The concept of Tithi Bhojan has been adopted by the States & UTs of Assam (Sampriti Bhojan), Andhra Pradesh (Vindu Bhojanam), Dadra & Nagar Haveli (Tithi Bhojan), Daman & Diu (Tithi Bhojan), Gujarat (Tithi Bhojan), Haryana (Beti ka Janamdin), Karnataka (Shalegagi Naavu Neevu), Madhya Pradesh, Maharastra (Sneh Bhojan), Chandigarh (Tithi Bhojan), Puducherry (Anna Dhanam), Punjab (Priti bhojan), Rajasthan (Utsav Bhoj), Tamil Nadu (Nal Virundhu) and Uttarakhand (Vishesh Bhoj).

The UT of Chandigarh was advised to give a suitable name of such community participation programme.

# 6. Total Estimated Budget (2019-20)

The estimates for the AWP&B for 2019-20 under Mid Day Meal Scheme are as under:-

S. No.	Particulars	Central Assistance	Minimum Mandatory UT Share	<u>in Lakh)</u> Total
1	Serving of MDM during regular school working days	726.45	0.00	726.45
2	Serving of MDM in Drought affected areas during summer vacations	Nil	Nil	Nil
3	Construction of Kitchen-cum-Store	Nil	Nil	Nil
4	Repair of kitchen-cum-stores	Nil	Nil	Nil
4	Procurement of Kitchen Devices (new)	Nil	Nil	Nil
6	Procurement of Kitchen Devices (Replacement)	Nil	Nil	Nil
7	Flexible funds for new interventions	1.00	Nil	1.00
	Grand Total	727.45	0.00	727.45

The above estimates are calculated based on the following approved norms of the scheme : -

# 6.1 Components of the Scheme and norms of assistance

At present, the 100% recurring Central assistance is provided for cost of food grains, transportation of food grains from FCI depot to Schools and Management, Monitoring and Evaluation charges. 100% non-recurring Central assistance is provided for procurement/replacement of kitchen devices in schools. The Central Government also provides assistance for cooking cost, payment of honorarium to cook-cum-helpers and construction and repair of kitchen-cum-stores as per States/UTs Schedule of Rates, procurement/replacement of Kitchen Devices linked to enrolment in the school, flexi funds on sharing basis between Centre and UT Administration in the ratio of 60:40 for Non-NER UTs & Union Territories with legislatures and 90:10 for NER States including 3 Himalayan States and 100% for Union Territories without legislatures.

S. No	Items	Quantity per day/child		
0.110		PrimaryUpper Primar100 gms150 gms20 gms30 gms50 gms75 gms		
1.	Food grains	100 gms	150 gms	
2.	Pulses	20 gms	30 gms	
3.	Vegetables (leafy also)	50 gms	75 gms	
4.	Oil & fat	5 gms	7.5 gms	
5.	Salt & condiments	As per need	As per need	

## 6.2 Food norms under the Scheme

6.3 Cooking Cost: Cooking cost covers expenditure on pulses, vegetables, cooking oils, condiments, fuel etc. The amount of cooking cost is Rs. 4.35 and Rs.
6.51 for Primary and Upper Primary class children respectively w.e.f 01.04.2018. The cooking cost is increased annually linked to inflation index (CPI).

6.4 Engagement of Cook-cum-Helper (CCH) and Honorarium to them: One CCH can be engaged for up to 25 students, two CCHs for schools with 26 to 100 students and one additional CCH for every addition of up to 100 students. Each of them is entitled to a minimum honorarium of ₹1,000 per month. The States/UTs are however free to give more honorarium over and above the prescribed minimum to the CCHs from their own resources.

**6.5 Transportation assistance:** Transportation assistance in the 11 Special Category UTs (viz. Assam, Arunachal Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim, Tripura and Uttarakhand) is payable at par with the PDS rates prevalent in these States. For non-special category of States/UTs, the transportation assistance is at par with PDS rate subject to maximum amount of Rs.150 per quintal.

**6.6 Management, Monitoring and Evaluation (MME):** MME is provided @ 2.7 % of the total admissible recurring Central Assistance for cost of food grains, cooking cost, transport assistance and honorarium to Cook-cum-Helpers to each State and UT to ensure effective monitoring of the scheme by setting up of management structures at State/UT, District and Block levels. The balance 0.3% is provided for National Component.

**6.7 Construction of Kitchen-cum-stores**: Assistance is provided to the States and UTs on sharing basis for the construction of Kitchen-cum-Stores on the basis of plinth area norms and State/UT Schedule of Rates prevalent in the State/UT. Plinth area of 20

sq. meter has been prescribed in schools having enrolment of up to 100 children. For every addition of up to 100 children, additional 4 sq. meter. plinth area is added.

**6.8 Repair of Kitchen-cum-stores:** Assistance of Rs.10000/- for the Repair of kitchen-cum-stores constructed ten years ago on sharing basis between Centre and States/UTs.

**6.9 Kitchen Devices:** Assistance is provided on sharing basis between Centre and States/UTs for procurement/replacement of kitchen devices @ Rs.10000- Rs.25000 linked to enrolment as mentioned below:

Enrolment (No. of Children)	Unit Cost (In Rs.)
Up to 50	10,000
51-150	15,000
151-250	20,000
250 & above	25,000

**6.10** Flexi fund for innovative interventions : Assistance is provided on sharing basis to the States and UTs @ 5% of their Annual Work Plan & Budget for taking up innovative interventions such as supplementary nutrition over and above the existing provisions (including additional items), setting up of kitchen gardens in schools etc. provided they are not included under any other Central or State/UT Schemes and there is no overlapping of activities. The States and UTs will ensure that 5% flexibility is not proposed for creation of capital assets such as construction of kitchen-cum-stores,

dining halls, procurement/ replacement of kitchen devices etc., in their Annual Work Plan & Budget for new interventions,

7. Actual Releases by GOI during 2019-20 :

Against the above estimates, Central Government shall provide to the UT Administration of Chandigarh, Rs. 727.45 Lakh as its share. The UT would need not to contribute any funds as its minimum mandatory UT share in accordance with the existing fund sharing pattern of Mid-Day Meal Scheme.

States and UTs are free to utilise their unspent balances as on 1st April, 2019 for the components approved in 2019-20 for uninterrupted implementation of the scheme.

The recurring central assistance under the scheme is released in two installments in the ratio of **60:40**. The first installment is bi-furcated in to two parts. The first part consists of ad-hoc release @ 25% of the PAB approval for the number of children and working days in the month of April of each financial year in order to ensure uninterrupted implementation of the scheme without asking for any information on the unspent balance as on 1<sup>st</sup> April of the Financial Year with the UT and UT from the previous year's releases. The above release will be further guided by the following conditions:

- 7.1 State/UT should release/transfer the central share along with the State/UT Share for shareable components viz. cooking cost, honorarium to cook-cum-helpers to State/UT Implementing within 15 days of its receipt in the State/UT Treasury.
- 7.2 All guidelines issued by MHRD regarding utilization of funds under the scheme will be followed.

- 7.3 The ad-hoc amount of installment has been released to the States and UTs during April-May, 2019.
- 7.4 As regards release of balance of first installment of recurring central assistance, the conditions to be fulfilled are as under:

The balance of 1<sup>st</sup> Installment 35% (60-25) for recurring central assistance would be released only after proposal for release of balance of first installment is received from State Government / UT Administration along with:

- 7.4.1 Utilization Certificate in the prescribed format (GFR 12-C) for the year 2018-19 duly counter-signed by Secretary of the Education Department or the Nodal Department for implementation of Mid Day Meal Scheme
- 7.4.2 Component wise statement of expenditure during 2018-19 indicating the component wise opening balance as on 1<sup>st</sup> April of the Financial year, central assistance received, matching contribution by the State/UT against shareable components, total funds available with the State/UT and expenditure incurred during 2018-19 against each component.
- 7.4.3 Food grain Utilization Certificate for 2018-19 in the prescribed format indicating the allocation of food grain during 2018-19; Unutilized food grain with the State/UT as on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2018 from last year's food grain allocation, Food grain lifted from Food Corporation of India (FCI), aggregate quantity of food grain consumed at school level and balance food grain available as on 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2019, both for primary as well as upper primary classes.
- 7.4.4 Release of State/UT Share against the shareable components of ad-hoc release indicating the component wise unspent balance as on 01.04.2019; ad-hoc

release during 2019-20; Matching contribution by the State/UT against shareable components and component wise expenditure incurred.

- 7.5 The 2<sup>nd</sup>instalment would be released only after:
- 7.5.1 Request letter is received from State/UT for release of 2<sup>nd</sup> installment.
- 7.5.2 Statement of expenditure indicating that 60% or more funds have been utilized against the funds made available (ad-hoc release, balance of first installment and unspent balance lying with the State/UT as on 01.04.2019. Expenditure statement should also indicate the release of Government of India share and State/UT share from previous installment to State/UT Implementing Agencies from Treasury.
- 7.5.3 Confirmation by the State/UT in the prescribed format that it has released the minimum mandatory State/UT Share against the shareable components viz. cooking cost and honorarium to Cook-cum-Helpers.
- 7.6 As regards, release of non-recurring central assistance, the Utilization Certificate in Form 12-C of General Financial Rules is required to be submitted by the State/UT for the previous release along with the confirmation of release of minimum mandatory share by the State/UT and physical and financial progress of the sanctioned units for construction of kitchen-cum-stores, procurement/replacement of kitchen devices and repair of ten years old kitchencum-stores. All procurement activities for kitchen devices, wherever possible, are to be carried out invariably through the GeM portal only.
- 7.7 The grant would be subject to the following conditions:

7.7.1 It shall be utilized for undertaking the activities proposed in the Annual Work Plan
 & Budget for the year 2019-20 and as approved by the Programme Approval
 Board-Mid Day Meal, Government of India on the basis of norms of expenditure.

- 7.7.2 The assets, if any, acquired wholly or substantially out of this grant, should not, without the prior sanction of Government of India be disposed off, encumbered or utilized for purposes other than those for which the grant has been sanctioned.
- 7.7.3 The grantee shall maintain a proper and separate account of expenditure incurred out of the grant and accounts so maintained shall be open to audit by the Comptroller & Auditor General of India or any authority deputed by him as per rules.
- 7.7.4 The State Government / UT Administration shall release their minimum mandatory share simultaneously to the implementing agencies.
- 7.7.5 The grantee shall furnish this Department with item wise statement of expenditure on quarterly basis and reports on the physical and financial progress in the prescribed formats. The grantee shall submit annual progress within one month of the close of financial year. The unspent balance, if any, shall be taken into account before funds of subsequent year are released.
- 7.7.6 The grantee shall follow strictly all the instructions issued by the Government of India from time to time with regard to the implementation of the scheme and funds earmarked for Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Sub Plan. Therefore, the funds are required to be further bifurcated into minor budget heads i.e. SCs and STs.
- 7.7.7 The accounts of the grantee shall be open to inspection by Comptroller & Auditor General of India (C&AG) under the provisions of CAG (DPC) Act, 1971 and the Internal Audit by the Principal Accounts Office, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of School Education & Literacy whenever grantee is called upon to do so.

# 8. Component wise proposals and PAB-MDM approvals for 2019-20

It may be noted that hot cooked mid-day meal shall be served to every child studying in class I to VIII, on all school days in all eligible schools.

## 8.1 Coverage of children :

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UT Administration has proposed to cover 27,000 children in primary classes and 18,000 children in upper primary classes on an average basis during 2019-20.

**Approval of PAB:** Following the discussions, PAB-MDM approved UT Administration proposal to cover 27,000 children in primary classes and 18,000 children in upper primary classes on an average basis during 2019-20.

#### 8.2 Coverage of Working Days :

UT Administration has proposed to serve MDM on 248 days in both primary and upper primary classes during 2019-20.

**Approval of PAB :** Following the discussions, PAB-MDM approved the proposal of UT Administration to serve MDM on 248 days in both primary and upper primary classes during 2019-20.

#### 8.3 Cook-cum-Helpers (CCH) :

UT Administration has proposed to engage 484 Cook-cum-Helpers at primary level and 322 Cook-cum-Helpers at upper primary level during 2019-20.

**Approval of PAB :** Following the discussions, PAB-MDM approved the proposal of UT Administration to engage 484 Cook-cum-Helpers at primary level and 322 Cook-cum-Helpers at upper primary level during 2019-20.

#### 8.4 Drought, If any

The UT Administration has not notified drought in Chandigarh.

#### 8.5 Kitchen-cum-stores :

UT Administration has not proposed for any construction / repair of more than 10 years old kitchen-cum-stores.

#### 8.6 Kitchen Devices :

UT Administration has not proposed any new procurement / replacement of more than 5 years old Kitchen Devices.

#### 8.7 Flexi Funds - proposal awaited.

#### 8.7.1 School Nutrition Gardens :

UT Administration has proposed to develop and maintain 20 School Nutrition Gardens at an estimated expenditure of Rs.1.00 Lakh comprising of Rs.1.00 Lakh as central share.

Approval of PAB : Following the discussions, PAB-MDM approved the proposal of UT to develop and maintain 20 School Nutrition Gardens at an estimated expenditure of Rs.1.00 Lakh as central share. The UT Administration will submit, within two months, list of schools including UDISE codes where School Nutrition Gardens are to be set up. The UT Administration was advised to endeavor to develop and sustain School Nutrition Gardens in all schools in the UT Administration both in rural and urban areas for the benefit of all students up to class XII. The UT Administration was further advised to refer to the guidelines issued by Ministry of Human Resource Development.

## 8.7.2 Supplementary Nutrition :

**Comments of PAB :** Following discussions, PAB-MDM 2019-20 has advised to UT Administration to provide additional nutritional items to both primary and upper primary children in all the schools, on the pattern of some other States/UTs. List of States/UTs that are providing additional nutrition items is attached at *Appendix-II*.

#### 8.8 Cooking Competitions :

**Approval of PAB :** Following discussions, PAB-MDM 2019-20 has advised to UT Administration to organize cooking competitions at various levels. i.e. Block level, District level and UT level for promoting variety menu. Under this the judges may also include children because they are the ones for whom the meal is being cooked. The expenditure for these activities may met from MME component..

#### 8.9 Training of Cook-cum-Helpers

**Approval of PAB:** Following the discussions, PAB-MDM 2019-20 has advised to UT Administration to ensure holding of training / refresher courses for Cook-cum-Helpers on various subject like Healthy & Nutritious meal, cleanliness and hygiene etc. with the convergence of Tourism Department of Chandigarh in the FY 2019-20 with the funds available under MME.

# 8.10 Awareness generation activities :

UT Administration has proposed to take up awareness generation through Video clips on Nutritious food under MDM, Maintenance of Hygiene, Hand Washing etc. in the UT Administration of Chandigarh. UT Administration has planned to disseminate this video on mass scale for awareness generation in community in FY 2019-20.

**Approval of PAB :** Following the discussions, PAB-MDM approved the proposal of UT Administration for carrying out various Awareness generation activities during 2019-20 with the funds available under MME. The UT Administration was also advised to prepare high quality videos, images, testimonial and to document best practices for uploading on 'Shagun' repository portal. Further, all States and UTs were informed during the PAB meetings of 'Samagra Shiksha' that a consolidated amount of Rs.25.00 lakh would be available for this purpose.

#### 8.11 Monitoring;

In addition to Automated Monitoring System (AMS) and other regular field visits, all States and UTs were informed during the PAB of 'Samagra Shiksha' that an audit of all schools would be carried out sometime from August to September, 2019 titled 'Shagunotsav'. This audit will include all aspects of MDM programme. Further all the reports from various persons as decided for 'Samagra Shiksha' will include issues pertaining to the Mid-Day Meal Scheme also.

# 9. Summary of PAB-MDM approvals (Physical) for the year 2019-20

# 9.1. Summary of PAB-MDM approvals (Physical) for the year 2019-20

S. No.	Component	PAB Approvals for 2019- 20
1	Schools	
1.1	Primary	9
1.2	Upper Primary	114
1.3	Special Training Centers	Nil
2	Children	07000
2.1	Primary	27000
2.2	Upper Primary	18000
2.3	Special Training Centers	Nil
3	Working Days	0.10
3.1	Primary	248
3.2	Upper Primary	248
3.3	Special Training Centers	Nil
4	Cook-cum-Helpers	
4.1	Primary	484
4.2	Upper Primary	322
5	Serving of MDM in Drought affected	
5.1	Children (Pry)	0
5.2	Children (U Pry)	0
5.3	Working days	0
5.4	Cook-cum-helpers	0
6	Non Recurring	
6.1	Kitchen-cum-Stores	0
6.2	Repair of kitchen-cum-stores	0
6.3	Kitchen Devices	0
6.4	Kitchen Devices (Replacement)	0
	Flexible funds for new intervention	

6.5.1	Supplementary Nutrition over and above existing provisions (including additional items already being provided by UT)	Nil
6.5.2	School Kitchen Gardens	20
6.5.3	Any other proposal	Nil

# 9.2. Summary of PAB-MDM approvals (Financial) for Assistance during the year 2019-20

The financial approvals of central assistance of Rs.727.45 Lakh has been done as per existing norms on the basis of physical approvals in para 8 by PAB-MDM for the year 2019-20. In case of revision of norms during the year, the calculations would accordingly be revised.

(Rs in Lakh)

S. No.	Particulars	Central Assistance	Minimum Mandatory UT Share	Total
1	Serving of MDM during regular school working days	726.45	0.00	726.45
2	Serving of MDM in Drought affected areas during summer vacations	Nil	Nil	Nil
3	Construction of Kitchen-cum-Store	Nil	Nil	Nil
4	Repair of kitchen-cum-stores	Nil	Nil	Nil
5	Procurement of Kitchen Devices (new)	Nil	Nil	Nil
6	Procurement of Kitchen Devices (Replacement)	Nil	Nil	Nil
7	Flexible funds for new interventions	1.00	Nil	1.00
1	Grand Total	727.45	0.00	727.45

\* Note: Detailed calculations made on the basis of approved cost norms are at Appendix-1.

- 10. The UT Administration of Chandigarh has committed to serve hot cooked Mid Day Meals to 27000 children in primary classes on 248 Working days and 18000 children in upper primary classes on 248 Working days. UT Administration of Chandigarh has also committed to engage 806 Cook-cum-Helpers. UT has committed for setting up of School Nutrition Gardens in 20 schools, organizing cooking competitions, conducting Social Audit, coverage of 100% children under RBSK.
- 11. It was clarified that the quantification of resources is only an estimate for release of Central Assistance during 2019-20 under the MDM Scheme. The MDM Guidelines provide that every child attending an eligible institution is to be covered under the Scheme and shall be served mid-day meal on all school days. In case the State Govt. / UT Administration finds that the average number of children availing mid-day meal and/or if the working days are more than the approved numbers by PAB-MDM, they may approach the Government of India at any time with justification for additional Central Assistance.
- 12. The UT Administration of Chandigarh is advised to disseminate the approvals of the resources to all the field functionaries in the UT and districts so as to enable all the eligible institutions to ensure that every child attending an eligible school must be served hot cooked midday meals on all school days irrespective of the approvals of PAB-MDM.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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## Appendix-1

#### Chandigarh

# QUANTIFICATION OF CENTRAL ASSISTANCE FOR 2019-20

#### A. Food grains

SI. No.	Stage	No. of Children	Working days	Quantity (in MTs)
1	Primary (@ 100 gms per child per school day)	27000	248	669.60
2	U. Primary (@150 gms per child per school day)	18000	248	669.60
3	STC (@150 gms per child per school day)			-
4	Drought			
4.1	Primary	0	0	0
4.2	Upper Primary	0	0	0
	PAB Approval – Total Foodgrains - A	45000		1339.20

# **B. Serving of MDM during regular school working days** – {(Cost of Food-grains, Cooking cost, Transport Assistance, Honorarium to cook-cum-helpers and Management Monitoring and Evaluation (MME)}

2 of Food grains @ Rs. 2000/- per MT for 267.84 MT t + @ Rs. 3000/- per MT for 401.76 MT rice = 669.60	<b>3</b> 17.41	
t + @ Rs. 3000/- per MT for 401.76 MT rice = 669.60	17.41	
t + @ Rs. 3000/- per MT for 401.76 MT rice = 669.60	17.41	
G		
0 Children x 248 days x 60 gms Rice x @ 3000 per MT +		
0 Children x 248 days x 40 gms Wheat x @ 2000 per MT)		
ing Cost - Rs. 4.35 per child per day		
al Share @ Rs. 4.35 per child per day	291.28	
	0.00	
	G 00 Children x 248 days x 60 gms Rice x @ 3000 per MT + 0 Children x 248 days x 40 gms Wheat x @ 2000 per MT) ing Cost - Rs. 4.35 per child per day ral Share @ Rs. 4.35 per child per day 00 children x 248 days x Rs 4.35) num Mandatory UT Share @ Rs.0.00 per child per day 00 children x 248 days x Rs 0.00)	

3	Transportation Cost @ Rs. 750/- Per MT food grains	F 00
	(27000 x 248 days x 0.0001 MT x Rs.750.00)	5.02
4	Honorarium for Cook-cum-Helper - Rs 1000 per month per CCH f	or 10 months
4.1	Central Share - @ Rs.1000/-for 10 months)	48.40
	(484 x Rs.1000x 10 months)	
4.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share - @ Rs 0.00 for 10 months (484 CCH x Rs 0.00 x 10 months)	0.00
5	<ul> <li>Management Monitoring and Evaluation (MME) @ 2.7% of</li> <li>i) Cost of food grains</li> <li>ii) Cooking cost (Central Share only)</li> <li>iii) Cost of transportation and</li> <li>iv) Honorarium to Cook-cum-Helpers (Central Share only)</li> </ul>	9.78
PAB A	oproval - Total Central Share for Primary	371.89
Upper F		
6	Cost of Food grains @ Rs. 2000/- per MT for 267.84 MT	17.41
	wheat + @ Rs. 3000/- per MT for 401.76 MT rice = 669.60 MT	
	FG	
	(18000 Children x 248 days x 90 gms Rice x @ 3000 per MT +	
	18000 Children x 248 days x 60 gms Wheat x @ 2000 per MT)	
7	Cooking Cost - Rs. 6.51 per child per day	
7.1	Central share @ Rs.6.51 per child per day	290.61
	(18000 Children x 248 days x Rs.6.51 )	
7.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share @ Rs 0.00 per child per day (18000 children x 248 days x Rs 0.00)	0.00
8	Transportation cost @ Rs. 750/- Per MT food grains	5.02
	(18000 x 248 days x 0.00015 MT x Rs.750.00)	
9	Honorarium for cook cum Helper - Rs 1000 per month per CCH for	or 10 months
9.1	Central Share - @ Rs.1000/-for 10 months)	32.20
	(322 CCH x Rs.1000x 10 months)	
9.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share - @ Rs 0.00 for 10 months (322 CCH x Rs 0.00 x 10 months)	0.00
10	Management Monitoring and Evaluation (MME) @ 2.7% of i) Cost of food grains ii) Cooking cost (Central Share only) iii) Cost of transportation and	9.32

	iv) Honorarium to Cook-cum-Helpers (Central Share only)	354.56
PAB A	pproval - Total Central Share for Upper Primary	
Specia	I Training Centers	
11	Cost of Food grains	0.00
12	Unit Cooking Cost	
12.1	Central share	0.00
12.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share	0.00
12.3	Transportation cost	0.00
12.4	Management Monitoring and Evaluation (MME) @ 2.7% of i) Cost of food grains ii) Cooking cost (Central Share only) iii) Cost of transportation	0.00
PAB	Approval - Total Central Share for STC	0.00
	Approval - Total of Central Share for serving of meals during regular school working days - B	726.45

# C. Serving of MDM in Drought affected areas during summer vacations (If Proposed by UT) – Not Applicable

SI. No.	Component/norm	Amount (Rs. in Lakh	
1	2	3	
Prin	nary		
1	Cost of Food grains	0.00	
2	Cooking Cost	-	
2.1	Central Share	0.00	
2.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share	0.00	
3	Transportation Cost	0.00	
4	Honorarium for cook cum Helper		
4.1	Central Share -	0.00	
4.2	UT Share -	0.00	
5	Management Monitoring and Evaluation (MME) @ 2.7% of	0.00	

	<ul> <li>i) Cost of food grains</li> <li>ii) Cooking cost (Central Share only)</li> <li>iii) Cost of transportation and</li> <li>iv) Honorarium to Cook-cum-Helpers (Central Share only)</li> </ul>	0.00
	pproval - Total Central Share for Primary (Drought)	0.00
	Primary	0.00
6	Cost of Food grains	
7	Unit Cooking Cost-	0.00
7.1	Central share	0.00
7.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share	
8	Transportation cost	0.00
9	Honorarium for cook cum Helper	0.00
9.1	Central Share -	0.00
9.2	UT Share -	0.00
10	<ul> <li>Management Monitoring and Evaluation (MME) @ 2.7% of</li> <li>i) Cost of food grains</li> <li>ii) Cooking cost (Central Share only)</li> <li>iii) Cost of transportation and</li> <li>iv) Honorarium to Cook-cum-Helpers (Central Share only)</li> </ul>	0.00
PAR	Approval -Total Central Share for Upper Primary (Drought)	0.00
PAB	Approval - Total Central Share – for Serving of MDM in oht affected areas during summer vacations - (C)	0.00

# D. Non-recurring

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SI. No.	Component	Amount admissible (Rs in Lakh)
1	Kitchen-cum-store (0 Unit)	
1.1	Central share -	0
1.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share -	0
2	Repair of kitchen-cum-store (0 Unit)	
2.1	Central share - @ Rs. 10000 per Kitchen-cum-store (0 Kitchen-cum-stores x Rs 10000.00)	0
2.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share - @ Rs. 0.00 per Kitchen- cum-store (0 Kitchen-cum-stores x Rs 0.00)	0
3	Kitchen Devices (New) (0 Unit)	
3.1	Central share - (0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 9000)	0

3.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share –	0
	(0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 1000)	
4	Kitchen Devices (Replacement) (0 Unit)	
4.1	Central share - (0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 10000 + 0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 15000 + 0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 20000 + 0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 25000)	
4.2	Minimum Mandatory UT Share - (0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 0.00 + 0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 0.00 + 0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 0.00 + 0 Kitchen Devices x Rs 0.00)	0
PA	B Approval - Total Central Share - Non Recurring – (D)	0.00

## E. Flexible funds for new interventions

			(Rs. in Lakh)	
	Component	Centre Share	Minimum Mandatory UT share	Total
Serv	ving of MDM during regular school working	726.45	0.00	726.45
	ving of MDM in Drought affected areas during mer vacations	0.00	0.00	0.00
Non	- recurring	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sub	Total	726.45	0.00	726.45
Admissible Flexi Funds for new interventions as per sharing pattern (5% of Total of Central and Minimum Mandatory UT share – Rs.726.45 Lakh)		36.32	0.00	36.32
PAE	3 Approvals for flexible funds			
i)	School Nutrition Gardens (20 SNG @ Rs 5000 each)	1.00	0.00	1.00
ii)	Supplementary Nutrition	0.00	0.00	0.00
	PAB Approval - Total Flexible fund - (E)	1.00	0.00	1.00

# F. PAB Approval - Total Funds for 2019-20

		(Rs. in	(Rs. in Lakh)	
Component	Centre Share	Minimum Mandatory UT share	Total	
Serving of MDM during regular school working	726.45	0.00	726.45	
days – ( <b>B)</b> Serving of MDM in Drought affected areas during summer vacations – ( <b>C</b> )	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Non- recurring – (D)	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Flexi Funds for new interventions – (E)	1.00	0.00	1.00	
Grand Total	727.45	0.00	727.45	

	States & UTs	Additional Nutritional Items prov	Fraguency	
S.No.	States & UTS	Additional Items	Frequency	
1	2	3	4	
1	Andhra Pradesh	Egg	5 days a week	
2	Arunachal Pradesh	Nil	Nil	
3	Assam	Nil	Nil	
4	Bihar	Eggs/fruits	Once a week	
5	Chhattisgarh	Nil	Nil	
6	Goa	Nil	Nil	
0		Milk (12 districts)	5 days a week	
7	Gujarat	Sukhdi	Once a week	
8	Haryana	Flavored Milk	Thrice a week	
9	Himachal Pradesh	Nil	Nil	
10	Jammu & Kashmir	Nil	Nil	
11	Jharkhand	Egg/Seasonal Fruit	Twice in a week	
	Karnataka	Milk	Five days a week	
12	Nallialana	Milk	Twice a week	
13	Kerala	Egg/Banana	Once a week	
	Madhua Bradash	Milk	Thrice a week	
14	Madhya Pradesh Maharashtra	Banana/Chikki/Soya Biscuit / Rajgira	Once a week	
15		Nil	Nil	
16	Manipur	Nil	Nil	
17	Meghalaya	Nil	Nil	
18	Mizoram	Extra Vegetables	Twice a week	
19	Nagaland	Eggs	Twice a week	
20	Odisha	Soya Chunks	Twice a week	
		Sweet Kheer	Once a week	
21	Punjab	Milk	6 days a week	
22	Rajasthan	Seasonal fruits	Once a week	
		Nil	Nil	
23	Sikkim	Eggs/ Banana	5 days a week	
24	Tamilnadu	Boiled Potato	Once a week	
			Thrice a week	
25	Telangana	Eggs	Twice a week	
26	Tripura	Eggs	Once a week each	
27	Uttar Pradesh	Milk and Fruits	Once a week	
28	Uttarakhand	Egg/Fruits	Once in a week	
		Egg	Once in a month	
29	West Bengal	Chicken (50 gm) in 11 districts	Once in a week	
		Cheese in Uttar Dinajpur	Twice a week	
20	A & Ni jalanda	Boiled Egg	Once a week	
30	A&N islands	Ripe Banaa	Nil	
31	Chandigarh	Nil	Twice a week	
-		Sukhadi	Once a week	
32	D&N Haveli	Lapsi & Sheera		
	Daman & Diu	Banana	Thrice a week	
33		Lapsi and Sukhdi	Once a week	
34	Delhi	Milk (6 Schools pilot basis)	Daily	
35	Lakshadweep	Eggs, fish, Chicken and fruits	Twice a week	
00		Milk	Daily	
36	Puducherry	Sweet Payasam	Special occasions	
50	Puducheny	Eggs/ black chana	Twice a week	

Source: AWP&B 2019-20

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#### Annexure-I

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