

No.CD-III-17/1/2025-CD.III (e-120279)
Government of India
Ministry of Women & Child Development

Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110001.
Dated: 19th May, 2025

To

Principal Secretary in-charge of Anganwadi Services in the States/UTs of
Uttar Pradesh

Subject: Allocation of Food Grains to States/UTs under Wheat Based Nutrition Programme(WBNP) and National Food Security Act (NFSA) to meet the Supplementary Nutrition under the Anganwadi Services during the 2nd quarter of the year 2025-26.

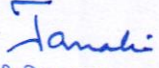
Sir,

I am directed to refer to Department of Food & Public Distribution's OM No.4-1/2025-BP II (e-388739) dated 26.03.2025 and F.No,4-1/2024-BP II dated 19.02.2025 on the subject mentioned above and to convey the approval of the Ministry of Women & Child Development, Government of India for allocation of **92995.7 (Ninety Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Five Metric Tons and Seven Hundred Kilograms only) MTs of Wheat and 71384.72 (Seventy one Thousand Three Hundred Eighty four Metric Tons and Seven Hundred Twenty Kilograms only) MTs of Fortified Rice** to State Government of Uttar Pradesh under the Wheat Based Nutrition Programme (WBNP) and National Food Security Act (NFSA) at the subsidized price not exceeding Rs. 3/- per kg for Rice, Rs.2/-per kg for Wheat and Re.1 per Kg for Coarse grains, for the 2nd quarter of the year 2025-26.

2. The above allocation has been made based on the Aadhaar verified beneficiaries minus opt out beneficiaries data as available in the Poshan Tracker as on 30.04.2025 in pursuance of this Ministry's letter No.17/2/2025-CD III (e-120722) dated 24.02.2025.

3. The allocated food grains should be lifted as per the guidelines laid down vide the Department of Food & Public Distribution's letter No. 1-2/2007-BP.II, dated 27th June, 2011 and will be used for the beneficiaries of the ICDS Scheme only. The State Government/UT Administration is accordingly requested to properly monitor the lifting & utilization of food grains on quarterly basis and furnish the requisite information to this Ministry in the prescribed proforma.

4. The cost of food grains shall be payable by the concerned State Government/UT Administration to the Food Corporation of India (FCI).


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5. The State Govt may indent the allocated quantity of food grains from the Regional/District Offices of the Food Corporation of India. Separate instructions are being issued by the FCI for making available the requisite quantity of food grains to the State Govt. Administration. Meanwhile, District-wise and Block-wise allocation of requirement of food grains may also be worked out and copies of the same may be sent to the Regional/District Officers of FCI and to this Ministry.
6. The stocks once issued to the State Govts/UT Administrations will not be taken back by the FCI. It will, therefore, be the responsibility of the respective State Govts/UT Administrations to ensure that the quantity of foodgrains supplied to them conform to the 'Fair Average Quality'. It may also be ensured that the FCI gets full payment at the prescribed rates in respect of foodgrains released by this Ministry under the Scheme.
7. State Government is requested to furnish the consolidated Utilization Certificates (UCs) for the foodgrains allocated to them during the years from 2015-16 to 2024-25, if not furnished earlier.
8. State Government of Uttar Pradesh is requested to follow the lifting guidelines issued by DFPD vide their letter dated 25.04.2019 and advance lifting guidelines dated 06.11.2018.
9. This issues with the approval of Secretary, Ministry of Women & Child Development vide Dy. No. 17/1/2025-CD-III (e-120279) dated 14.05.2025.

Yours faithfully,

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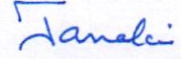
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1. Department of Food & Public Distribution [Shri Virendra Singh, Under Secretary, (BP-II), Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. General Manager (Sales), Food Corporation of India (FCI), 16-20, Barakhamba Road, New Delhi with the request that necessary instructions may please be issued for supply of **92995.7 (Ninety Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Five Metric Tons and Seven Hundred Kilograms only) MTs of Wheat and 71384.72 (Seventy one Thousand Three Hundred**

Eighty four Metric Tons and Seven Hundred Twenty Kilograms only) MTs of Fortified Rice to the State Government of Uttar Pradesh for the second quarter of financial year 2025-26. The price of foodgrains may be charged from the State Government of Uttar Pradesh

3. Regional Manager, Food Corporation of India, Uttar Pradesh
4. Director, NIC, Ministry of Women & Child Development, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi with request to upload the sanction at appropriate place on the website of this Ministry
5. Directors in-charge of Anganwadi Services of Uttar Pradesh
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