

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA  
FOOD, SUPPLIES & CONSUMER WELFARE DEPARTMENT  
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No. 24088 /Bhubaneswar, dated, the 25/11/17  
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From

Shri Dibakar Barik  
Joint Director(FS)-cum-Ex-Officio Deputy Secretary to Govt.

To

The General Manager, F.C.I., Bhubaneswar  
The Registrar, Co-operative societies, Odisha, Bhubaneswar  
The Managing Director, OSCSC Ltd., Bhubaneswar  
The Managing Director, TDCC Ltd., Bhubaneswar  
The Managing Director, MARKFED, Bhubaneswar  
The Additional Director(FS)-cum-Ex-Officio Joint Secretary to Govt.  
The Project Manager, CPMU, FS & CW Department  
The Secretary, All Orissa Rice Millers Association, S-3/36, Sec-A, Zone-B,  
Mancheswar Industrial Estate, Bhubaneswar

Sub: **Minutes of the meeting held on 21.11.2017 on review of Paddy Procurement.**

Sir,

I am directed to send herewith the minutes of the meeting held on 21.11.2017 at 11.00 AM in the Conference Hall of FS & CW Department on review of Paddy Procurement under the chairmanship of Commissioner-cum- Secretary to Govt., F.S. & C.W Department for information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

*Dhara*  
Joint Director(FS)-cum-Ex-Officio  
Deputy Secretary to Govt.

Memo No. 24089 date. 25/11/17

Copy along with copy of enclosure forwarded to PS to Minister, F.S & C.W/ PS to Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Govt., F.S. & C.W. Dept. for kind information of Hon'ble Minister, F.S. & C.W./Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Govt., F.S. & C.W. Department.

*Dhara*  
Joint Director(FS)-cum-Ex-Officio  
Deputy Secretary to Govt.

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Memo No. 24090 date. 25/11/17

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*Dhara*  
Joint Director(FS)-cum-Ex-Officio  
Deputy Secretary to Govt.

Memo No. 24091 date. 25/11/17

Copy along with copy of enclosure forwarded to MD, OSCB, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.

*Dhara*  
Joint Director (FS)-cum-Ex-Officio  
Deputy Secretary to Govt.

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Memo No. 24092 date. 25/11/17

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*Dhara*  
Joint Director (FS)-cum-Ex-Officio  
Deputy Secretary to Govt.

Minutes of the Paddy Procurement Review Meeting held on  
21.11.2017 at 11 A.M. in the Conference Hall of FS & CW  
Department

Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Govt., FS&CW Department was in the Chair. The list of members/ their representatives present in the meeting is annexed.

Commissioner reviewed the status of paddy procurement for KMS 2017-18 as well as the status of rice delivery for the last KMS 2016-17 and the following picture emerged.

**Status of procurement(for KMS 2017-18)**

- Total paddy procured : 107822 MT
- No of Districts started procurement : 5 (Bargarh,Kalahandi,Malkangiri, Sambalpur and Sonapur)
- Cost of paddy : Rs.167.10 crore
- No. of farmers sold paddy : 15,710
- No. of farmers paid : 8837
- Amount transferred : 77.07 crore

**Status of rice delivery (for KMS 2016-17)**

- CMR due : 36.73 LMT
- CMR realized : 36.31 LMT
- % of delivery : 99%
- Rice delivery completed by 14 districts (Angul, Bargarh,Boudh,Cuttack,Deogarh,Dhenkanal,Gajapati,Jagatsinghpur,Kandhamal,Keonjhar,Malkangiri,Nuapada,Puri and Sambalpur)
- Districts pending for delivery (major) : Koraput (13809 MT), Bhadrak (5195 MT), Nayagarh (3958 MT), Jharsuguda (3457 MT), Kalahandi (2976 MT), Sonapur (2439 MT), Mayurbhanj (2238 MT),Balasore (1889 MT) and Nabarangpur (1490 MT)

After discussion, following observations were made and decisions arrived at.

**Rice delivery**

- MD,OSCSC was instructed to expedite rice delivery and realize pending stocks by the deadline fixed by Government of India i.e. 30.11.2017.
- For Kharif 2017-18 , Bargarh has delivered 2000 MT of CMR.

- Miller representatives submitted that there is problem in delivery of CMR in Sonapur(FCI, Dunguripali) because of inadequate programme for delivery. FCI representatives were asked to intervene and solve the matter.

#### **Online payment**

- Commissioner asked MD, Odisha State Co-operative Bank to look into the time lag in actual credit of MSP dues to farmers' accounts. MD, OSCB submitted that a sum of Rs.157 crore has already been processed by his Bank for credit to farmers' accounts. Commissioner asked CPMU functionaries to sit down with OSCB technical people to sort out the divergent picture arising between P-PAS report and MD, OSCB's report.

#### **Participation by State agencies**

- Though TDCC has started procurement in Bargarh w.e.f. 18.11.2017, no online payment has been made by 21.11.2017. Secretary to Govt. wanted to know the reason for non-payment. Representatives of TDCC could not specify the exact reasons. They were advised to review procurement activities on a daily basis. Further, TDCC was asked to commence procurement in all 5 districts assigned to it.
- Markfed has so far not started procurement in any of the 4 districts it has been assigned in KMS 2017-18. Secretary, Markfed submitted that procurement is going to start in Nuapada in a day or two. Markfed was advised to start procurement in all districts assigned to it without any further delay.

#### **Issues with FCI**

- Secretary, Markfed submitted that charges (gunny depreciation, Custody Maintenance and interest charges on investment) for KMS 2016-17 towards procurement incidentals are pending with FCI R.O. FCI representatives submitted that they have requested Markfed to produce an undertaking from Co-operation Department that if there is any deduction on account of gunny depreciation on finalization of the accounts by Government of India for the respective KMS the said amount shall be recovered/adjusted by FCI from Co-operation Department.

Commissioner observed that such a proposition may be questionable but it is for Co-operation Department to take a call on the matter.

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- OSCSC submitted that there is delay in settlement by Area Manager, FCI , Titilagarh for claim bills of Nuapada, Bolangir, Kalahandi and Sonapur. Secretary to Govt. advised FCI to enhance credit limit from Rs.2 crore per day to Rs.10 crore for Area Mnager , FCI, Titilagarh so that pending bills could be settled within a week's time.

**Millers issues**

- Miller representatives from Bargarh submitted that only nearby millers are to be attached to societies. Secretary observed that where nearby millers are not sufficient to ensure adequate lifting of paddy, district administration can very well engage millers from other areas.
- It was submitted by AORMA that custom millers are not being paid handling charges from June, 2017 for delivery of CMR to RRCs. MD,OSCSC replied that from June, handling contractors are in place in RRCs and, therefore, payment on this count in favour of millers is not admissible.

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

  
Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Govt.  
FS&CW Department.

**Members present in the paddy procurement review meeting  
held on 21.11.2017 at 11 A.M. under the Chairmanship of  
Commissioner-cum- Secretary to Govt., F.S. & C.W. Department.**

Designation	Signature
Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Govt., FS & CW Deptt.	
General Manager , FCI	
Registrar, Co-operative societies	
Managing Director, OSCSC Ltd.	 dhr 21-11-17
Dir Agriul Marketing	
Tushar Panda	 MD, OSCS
Sanjay K. Sharma	 Secy. MARKPED
Dibakar Barik	 Mr. J.D. (FS) MD
Sachindevendra Hote MGR (F&A) TOCCO	
Chandan K. Gupta Manager (Marketing)	
Abhishek Kumar Sahu	
General Manager (Proc) OSCS LTD BBSR	 21/11/17
Manager II (Ag) market	 21/11/17
AM (Proc)	
K. K. Das, DM (Proc) FCI	
B. K. Prusty, Jt. Secy of FCI	
Deepak Samantaray	
Secretary AORMA, BBSR	
Jt. Secretary AORMA, BBSR	

