

ALL ODISHA RICE MILLERS ASSOCIATION

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To,
The Commissioner-cum-Secretary,
Food Supplies & Consumer Welfare Department,
Government of Odisha,
Bhubaneswar-751001.

Sir,

Sub: Request for allowing security norms @ 1:6 Ratio to all the Millers who have completed CMR delivery within 30.9.18.

Most respectfully, we would like to bring to your kind notice that some millers had to participate under 1:1 security norms during preceding KMS 2017-18 in view of some deficiency and or delay in delivery of CMR during KMS 2016-17. In spite of the fact that such millers had already completed 100% delivery of CMR within the stipulated timeline of 30.9.2018, they are not again allowed to participate during current KMS 2018-19 as regular millers under security norms of 1:6 ratio. They are still being insisted to participate under restricted security norms of 1:1 ratio by the district administration in most of the districts in view of clarification issued vide OSCSC Letter No.18598 Dt. 3.12.18 which is quite unfortunate.

We may mention here that your honour had been kind enough to inform during the meeting held with Aorma on 26.10.2018 at OSCSC Conference Hall that “No miller will be penalized during KMS 2018-19 if he had completed delivery of CMR for KMS 2017-18 within the dateline of 30.9.2018”.

Your honour may kindly appreciate that the concerned millers had already been subjected to severe punishment by way of undergoing harshest security norms of 1:1 for one full year during the previous KMS 2017-18. *It will be quite impossible for them to sustain any further punishment and their Rice Mill Units with existing infrastructure will face un-natural death which will be against the spirit of “Odisha Conclave and Make in Odisha” campaign of our esteemed Government.*

We therefore, most humbly request your honour to kindly consider allowing their participation at par with regular millers during the current KMS 2018-19 as per standard practice adopted by the Corporation in earlier years.

Copy to: The Chief Secretary,
Government of Odisha.

Yours faithfully,


(Santosh Kr. Agrawal),
Chairman.

