

Government of Odisha
Food, Supplies & Consumer Welfare Department

NOTIFICATION

No. 10759
09-61-52/2015

Bhubaneswar dated 03.06.15

Whereas for maintaining the supply of rice and for securing its equitable distribution and availability at fair prices in the State of Odisha, the State Government had made the Odisha Rice and Paddy Procurement (Levy) and Restriction on Sale and Movement Order, 2013, which is published in the extraordinary issue of the Odisha Gazette No.2115 dated the 23rd October, 2013;

And whereas, the Central Government have issued direction to all State Governments in their letter No.F.No.6(1)/2007-Py.III dated the 20th February, 2015 that no State Government shall impose any levy on rice from the Millers with effect from 1st October, 2015 and all the State Governments where the percentage of levy imposed is upto 25% at present on standing basis, shall take action to, immediately, amend their levy order to ensure that no levy is imposed from 1st October, 2015 onwards;

And whereas, the Central Government is providing its advance concurrence for such amendments in levy order of the State;

And whereas, the earlier concurrence given by the Central Government with regard to levy order for imposition of levy upto 25% has been withdrawn with effect from 01.10.2015;

And whereas, the State Government are of the opinion that it is necessary and expedient to withdraw the said order to ensure payment of remunerative prices to farmers at Minimum Support Price (MSP) or above and streamline outreach of procurement system to the farmgate for their better coverage.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by Section-3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (Act 10 of 1955) read with the notification of the Government of India in the erstwhile Ministry of Agriculture and Irrigation (Department of Food) GSR 800, dated the 9th June, 1978, published in the Gazette of India, Part-II, Section-3, sub-section (1) dated the 9th June, 1978, the State Government do hereby rescind the Odisha Rice and Paddy Procurement (Levy) and Restriction on Sale and Movement Order, 2013 with effect from the 1st day of October, 2015.

By order of the Governor

[Signature]
03-06-15

Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government

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Memo No. 10760 Dated 03.06.15

Copy forwarded to Director, Printing Stationary & Publication, Odisha, Cuttack for information and necessary action.

He is requested to publish this Notification in the Odisha Gazette and supply 100 spare copies to FS&CW Department.

Memo No. 10761 date. 03.06.15 Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy submitted to Principal Secretary to Chief Minister/ Private Secretary to Minister, Food Supplies & Consumer Welfare for kind information of Hon'ble Chief Minister, Odisha and Hon'ble Minister, F.S & C.W.

Memo No. 10762 date. 03.06.15 Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy submitted to OSD to Chief Secretary/ PS to Member, Board of Revenue, Odisha, Cuttack/ Private Secretary to D.C.-cum-A.C.S/ PS to Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department/ PS to AG, Odisha, Bhubaneswar/ Secretaries to all Revenue Divisional Commissioners for kind information of Chief Secretary, Odisha/ Member, Board of Revenue, Odisha/ D.C.-cum-A.C.S., Odisha/ Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department/ AG, Odisha and all Revenue Divisional Commissioners.

Memo No. 10763 date. 03.06.15 Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy submitted to Chief Administrator, KBK districts for information and necessary action.

Memo No. 10764 date. 03.06.15 Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy forwarded to General Manager, Food Corporation of India, Vani Vihar, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.

Memo No. 10765 date. 03.06.15 Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy forwarded to all Departments of Government/ Director General and Inspector General, Police, Odisha/ Director-cum-Additional D.G. of Police, Vigilance, Odisha, Cuttack for information and necessary action.


Memo No. 10766 date. 03.06.15 Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy forwarded to all Collectors/ all Sub-Collectors/ All Civil Supplies Officers/ Officer in-charge Check Gates/ All Officers of Food Supplies and Consumer Welfare Department for information and necessary action.


Additional Secretary to Govt.

Memo No. 10767 date. 03.06.15


Copy forwarded to Area Manager, Food Corporation of India, Sambalpur/ Titlagarh/ Berhampur/ Jeypore/ Balasore/ Bhubaneswar/ Cuttack for information and necessary action.

Memo No. 10768 date. 03.06.15  Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy forwarded to the Registrar, Odisha Information Commission, Toshali Plaza, Bhubaneswar for information and necessary action.

Memo No. 10769 date. 03.06.15  Additional Secretary to Govt.

Copy forwarded to Sri A.N. Prusty, Senior DEO, F.S. & C.W. Deptt. for information and necessary action. He is instructed to display the Notification in Department website.

Memo No. 10770 date. 03.06.15  Additional Secretary to Govt.

50 (Fifty) spare copies for Guard file.


Additional Secretary to Govt.

