

UOI Note

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Sub: - Appointment of Handling Contractors at RRC-cum-DSCs for the year 2017-19 at district level.

I am directed to say that appointment of Handling Contractors at RRC-cum-DSCs for the year 2017-19 has been finalized at the district level except Cuttack, Jagatsinghpur & Ganjam district.

As per the terms & conditions of the tender paper, the Handling Contractors are required to perform "carrying of the procured stock during delivery of CMR by Custom Millers from the platform/weighment scale point by head-loads/change of headload or wherever necessary by using hand-trolleys, carts etc. and stacking in a countable manner inside the godown" under the contract alongwith other handling operations mentioned in detail in the tender paper.

During finalization of tender documents in the Corporation Head Office, it was discussed that the milling charges paid to the Custom Millers includes the cost of delivery of CMR at the platform/weighment scale point at the RRC-cum-DSC as per Govt. of India guidelines. It was also discussed that the Custom Millers are being paid Rs.4.00 per Qtl. for delivering the stock at RRC-cum-DSCs and stacking inside the godown. The Schedule of Rate for carrying of the procured stock during delivery of CMR by Custom Millers from the platform/weighment scale point and stacking inside the godown by the Handling Contractor was finalised at Rs.6.00 per Qtl. excluding the cost of unloading of CMR from the vehicles of the Custom Millers to the platform/weighment scale point. With such arrangement, tenders have been finalised in different districts at the percentage of above/at/below the SOR.

Accordingly, payment of handling charges @Rs.4.00 per Qtl. to the Custom Millers after functioning of Handling Contractors at RRC-cum-DSCs shall be discontinued as this may lead to double payment of cost for carrying the stock & stacking inside godown.

It is therefore requested to take necessary steps for intimating all the District Managers and Custom Millers for settlement of miller's bill accordingly to safeguard the financial interest of the Corporation.

General Manager (PDS)

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