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Government of Jammu & Kashmir
Department of Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs
Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Srinagar

Subject:- Distribution of savings of sugar among PHH consumers on Eid-ul-Fitr.

Ref:-1. Director, FCS&CA, Jammu letter No.DFCS&CAJ/P&S/2018-19/sugar/4942-43 dated:12-01-2019.

2. Director, FCS&CA, Kashmir letter No.DFCS&CA/Plg/9770-72 dated:09-04-2019.

Government Order No :- 63 -FCS&CA of 2019
D a t e d :- 29 -05-2019

Whereas, the Department of FCS&CA had, after entering into contract with supplier for procurement of sugar for period of 6 months w.e.f July, 2018, requested the Director, FCS&CA, Jammu/Kashmir vide No.FCS&CA/Accts/249/2018 dated:03-07-2018 to procure 223500.00 quintals of sugar for a period of 6 months (104340.00 quintals in respect of Jammu Division and 119160.00 quintals in respect of Kashmir Division) on the basis of the annual allocation of sugar;

Whereas, the procurement of sugar and its distribution under PDS beyond December, 2018 was put on hold in compliance to Finance Department instructions conveyed vide OM No.FD-VII-15(71)4235/P-II dated:05-02-2019;

Whereas, the Director, FCS&CA, Jammu vide No.DFCS&CAJ/P&S/2018-19/sugar/4942-43 dated:12-01-2019 and letter No.DFCS&CAJ/291(A)-F/2019-20/286-87 dated:11-05-2019 intimated that there is a saving of 27223.250 quintals of PDS sugar out of the previous procurement. Besides, the Director, FCS&CA, Kashmir intimated vide No.DFCS&CA/Plg/9770-72 dated:09-04-2019 that he has also savings of 5437.000 quintals of PDS sugar out of the previously procured sugar;

Whereas, in view of closure of distribution of sugar under PDS beyond December, 2018, the matter of savings of sugar with Director, FCS&CA, Jammu/Kashmir was brought to the notice of the Finance Department with the request to concur to the Departmental proposal with respect to distribution of the reported savings of 32660.250 quintals of sugar be made under PDS to the PHH category consumers on the eve of Ramadan/Eid-ul-Fitr in order to save it from deterioration due to prolonged storage/prevaling climatic conditions and causing loss to the State exchequer;

Whereas, in the Departmental proposal to the Finance Department, it was also worked out that the Directorate of FCS&CA, Jammu requires 17390.000 quintals of sugar for distribution under PDS @500 gm per soul and the Directorate of FCS&CA, Kashmir shall have a requirement of 19860.000 quintals of sugar for distribution among the PHH consumers. Consequently, 9833.000 quintals of surplus sugar with the Directorate of FCS&CA, Jammu were proposed to be lifted and transported to the Directorate of FCS&CA, Kashmir;

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Whereas, the Finance Department vide UO No.A/13(07)-I-496 dated:28-05-2019 concurred to the Departmental proposal as follows:

Finance Department conveys its concurrence to the Departmental proposal of distribution of available stocks of sugar through PDS to PHH consumers of the State, subject to the following conditions:

- i. All distribution shall be through PoS.
- ii. Distribution shall be at least 70% Aadhar based

Now, therefore sanction is hereby accorded to the:-

- i. Distribution of 32660.250 quintals of sugar, available out of the previous procured quantity with the Director, FCS&CA, Jammu/Kashmir, among the PHH consumers of the State on the eve of Eid-ul-Fitr @500 gms/soul @Rs.25/Kg strictly through the PoS Devices at the sale outlets with at least 70% Aadhar based authentication,
- ii. Lifting of 9833.000 quintals of sugar available over and above the monthly requirement/allocation with the Directorate of FCS&CA, Jammu and its transportation to the Directorate of FCS&CA, Kashmir to supplement one month's allocation/requirement for the PHH consumers within the jurisdiction of the Director, FCS&CA, Kashmir.

However, the following instructions shall strictly be adhered to in implementation of this Order:-

- i. The Director, FCS&CA, Jammu and the Director, FC&CA, Kashmir shall have a close co-ordination in lifting and transporting the surplus sugar available with Director, FCS&CA, Jammu.
- ii. The transportation of sugar from Jammu to Valley shall be made through the trucks of the JKSRTC/CHT with a view to have least transportation cost, to be borne by the Director, FCS&CA, Kashmir.
- iii. The stocks of sugar from Jammu be transported directly to the sale outlets of the individual District to cut additional transportation/handling charges.
- iv. The shortfall of stocks in distribution, if any, shall be ensured to be compensated by Aadhar based distribution through PoS Devices.
- v. Both the provincial Directors shall ensure that sale proceeds realized on account of distribution of sugar to the PHH consumers shall be credited to the respective Revolving Fund (Sugar) Account soon after its realization and no outstanding is left on this account.
- vi. The sale proceeds realized by the Director, FCS&CA, Kashmir on account of distribution of the actual quantity of sugar lifted from the Directorate of FCS&CA, Jammu shall be transferred by him to the Revolving Fund (Sugar) Account operated by the Director, FCS&CA, Jammu.



- vii. Both the Directors shall, immediately after distribution of the stocks, send a compliance report to the Adm. Department w.r.t the actual quantity of sugar distributed and the amount of sale proceeds realized on this account and intimate whether any stocks remained undistributed due to any specified cause.

This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department conveyed vide UO No. quoted above.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sd/-

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Secretary to the Government
FCS&CA Department

No:-FCS&CA/Acctts/249/2018

Dated: - 29 -05-2019

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