

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI  
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD, SUPPLIES & CONSUMER AFFAIRS  
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Minutes of meeting of Fair Price Dealers Association held on 28.01.2016 at 12.30 PM under the Chairmanship of Commissioner, Food & Supplies Department-cum-CMD-DSCSC Ltd.

In the meeting the following points were discussed and decided :

- 1. Margin Money :** The Association brought to the notice of CFS that the existing margin money at the rate of Rs.70/- per quintal to the FPS holder is not sufficient enough to run FPS, hence it should be increased immediately for which the Association has already given their representation. CFS appraised that enhancement of margin money is already under consideration by the Government. The Association also claimed that their margin money which was enhanced w.e.f. September, 2014 should be made applicable w.e.f. September, 2013 i.e., the month in which NFS was implemented in Delhi. CFS asked the Association to give their representation in writing.
- 2. Short Supply of Food Grains :** Association appraised that in many cases short supply is received by the FPS holder, but the balance quantity is not delivered to the FPS holders by DSCSC Ltd. CFS asked the Association to give specific details FPS-wise so that matter can be taken up by DSCSC Ltd. with the transporter.
- 3. Supply of Sugar :** It was brought to the notice of CFS that sugar supplied in the last couple of days at few FPSs. This creates problem for the FPS holders to distribute sugar within a day or two to the consumers. CFS appraised the Association that due to delay in testing procedure the timely supply could not be made in last two months which is likely become normal from next month onwards.
- 4. Supply of Sugar to POS enabled FPS :** It was decided that DSCSC will make supply of sugar to all the POS enabled FPSs on priority so that a stock is available early at those FPSs in order to distribute the sugar through POS to all the consumers before the last day of month as the stock of the sugar cannot be carried forward and shown online along with next month allocated quantity.
- 5. Sample of wheat taken by FSSAI from FPS :** It was brought to the notice of CFS that officials of FSSAI have taken sample from some Fair Price Shops without permission and presence of departmental officials. The Association requested that such sample by FSSAI should be taken in the presence of FSO / Inspector and sample from FCI also to be taken at the same time

  
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to ascertain the difference, if any. CFS asked the Association to give the representation in writing for consideration as per FSSAI rules.

6. **Sample of Wheat and Rice to all FPS :** It was informed by the Association that all the FPSs are not getting the sample of wheat and rice and transporter stating that only one sample is given by FCI for one vehicle even though having supply of more than one FPS. CFS said that the matter will be taken up by DSCSC Ltd. with transporter and FCI so that sample of wheat and rice are given to all the FPSs.
7. **Renewal of FPS Licence online :** It was brought to the notice that online module for renewal of FPS licence contains only one field indicating amount. It was decided that the necessary change to be made in the module to have two columns showing renewal fee and security amount separately.
8. **Weighment of small quantity at FPS :** It was requested by the Association that small quantity up to 25 quintals of food grains to be weighed at FPS itself at the time of delivery. CFS asked the Association to give their suggestions in writing for consideration by DSCSC with the transporter as per contract.
9. **Payment by FPS holder to the labour of transporter :** It was brought the notice of CFS by the Association that many FPS holders are paying money to the labour for unloading and proper stacking of foodgrains in their FPSs as the same is not being done by the labour normally. CFS appraised them that the terms and conditions of contract of the transporter with DSCSC Ltd. will be reviewed to solve such problems.
10. **Admissible shortage claimed by FPS holder :** It was brought the notice of CFS that as per practice FPS holders are claiming shortage @ 500 gram per quintal for wheat and rice and 1 Kg. per quintal for sugar. However, orders / directions related to this quantity are not available with them to show to the visiting officers / official when asked. CFS directed Policy branch to reiterate the decision taken earlier or order issued in this regard for information of all concerned.

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



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