

ALL ODISHA RICE MILLERS ASSOCIATION

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Dated 23rd June, 2018.

To,
The Managing Director,
Odisha State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd,
C/2, Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar-751012.

Sir,

**Sub: Payment of Rice Handling Charges to Gajapati dist. Millers
Due to non-functioning of appointed handling contractor.**

Enclosed please find copy of representation Dt.11.06.18 of Gajapati District Rice Millers Association sent to the District Manager, Oscsc Ltd, Gajapati with a copy to your honour and Aorma on the above subject.

As represented in the above letter, the *custom millers are performing entire operations of unloading and stacking inside the RRC godown at their own cost* while delivery of CMR during current KMS 2017-18 as per earlier practice. The millers were neither informed nor aware of any such appointment of Handling Contractor at the RRC at any point of time during the current KMS 2017-18. This is quite strange and unfortunate.

Your honour may kindly remember that the same thing happened last month in Ganjam District also and you have been kind enough to intervene in the matter. There is need to maintain full transparency. *As a matter of policy, we suggest that the details of appointment of handling contractors and brief description of operation may be displayed at all the RRCs for information of all to avoid any complicity in future.*

We therefore, most humbly request your honour to *kindly cause an enquiry by a senior officer from the Head office and release payment of handling charges on rice to the millers* by with-holding payment to the contractor since the entire operation of delivery of CMR at the RRCs has been performed by the Millers at their own cost as per earlier practice.

Enclo: Copy of representation as above.

Copy to: Commissioner-cum-Secretary,
FS&CW Department, Odisha.

Yours faithfully,


(Santosh Kr. Agrawal),
Chairman.