ALL ODISHA RICE MILLERS ASSOCIATION

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<u>Points for discussions with Commissioner-cum-Secretary, FS & CW Dept.</u> during weekly review meeting at Bhubaneswar.

- 1. Allowing a Custom Miller for participation in other district needs to be avoided in case where such miller has not completed delivery of entire CMR in his home district. There may be some cases where such miller has even carry over stock of the other district too where he is allowed again to participate without looking into the pendency of delivery of carry over stock.
- 2. As an incentive to their compliance, Government may consider allowing further delivery of CMR at RRCs to those custom millers who have completed delivery of district specific quota to FCI during KMS 2013-14. This may also work as an initiative for early completion of delivery to FCI for other millers too.
- 3. Immediate communication of Rates of different items to be allowed to Custom Millers for KMS 2013-14 by OSCSC Ltd is now more important in view of close of current financial year 2013-14 by end of this month.
- 4. Payment of bills of custom millers in respect of delivery made to FCI by deducting actual rebate as per acceptance notes without withholding a fixed percentage. This matter was already discussed earlier in review meetings held on 19.2.13, 27.2.13, 9.4.13, 6.8.13 and 13.8.13. Consensus was reached for deduction of actual rebate without waiting for settlement of bills by FCI (Pl refer Para 7(c) of the proceeding of meeting held on 9.4.13 being communicated vide FS&CW letter No.7527 dt.15.4.13).
- 5. Non-acceptance of documents in some districts from custom millers in respect of CMR delivered to FCI for KMS 2013-14 which may result in delay for submission of bills to FCI by Oscsc Ltd.
- 6. *Mentioning of actual weight of gunny consignment on the Consignment Note* as per weighbridge while movement of stock from the Jute Mill as was discussed and finalized during meeting with Transporter and Aorma in presence of GM (A&A), Oscsc Ltd on 17th February, 2014.

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- 7. In order to make the levy scheme viable, payment of RMC fees and VAT/CST needs to be exempted. In addition to States like West Bengal, MP and Chhatishgarh, *the rate of tax on Paddy & Rice is also NIL in the State of Maharashtra* (Refer item Sl.No.9A of Schedule-A under VAT Act- copy enclosed for ready reference).
- 8. Creation of sufficient space by FCI at Ranital, Chandbali, Sakhigopal etc depots.
- 9. Reimbursement of Vat @5% on sale price of Levy Rice as per Odisha Vat Act instead of @5% on MSP of Paddy by FCI for KMS 2012-13. (*Refer FSCW Letter No.13160 dt.30.7.13 sent to GM,FCI, Bhubaneswar*). A proper communication needs to be made by the Odisha Regional Office to All the Area Managers.
- 10. Reimbursement and finalization of transport charges by FCI on Levy rice delivered beyond 8 K.M. by millers which is lying pending since long with different Area Managers including Bhubaneswar District Office. FCI may be requested to resolve the issue.
- 11. Any other matter.

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