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F.No.4(2)/2016-Comp. Government of India Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution Department of Food and Public Distribution

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 29/11/2019

To

Principal Secretary/Secretary, Department of Food & Civil Supplies, All State/UT Governments.

Subject: <u>Integrated Management of Public Distribution System - Extension of the scheme by one year up to 31-03-2021 reg.</u>

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that Government of India has approved a Central Sector Scheme "Integrated Management of Public Distribution System (IM-PDS)" fully funded by the Central Government for implementation during 2018-19 and 2019-20. Due to certain constraints, some States/UTs have not been able to claim first/further installments and complete some key activities of the scheme i.e. Inter-State/National Portability, National level de-duplication of ration cards/beneficiaries, Setting up of SPMU and DPMUs, etc by States/UTs under the IMPDS scheme. To enable the States/UTs, to complete the pending activities within the approved project cost, Government of India has extended the validity of the scheme by a period of one year beyond 31-03-2020 i.e. up to 31-03-2021. No further extension would be allowed.

2. The funds will be released to States / UTs subject to the conditions as given in table below::

SI.	Release of funds (may be claimed)	Conditions to be met by States / UTs
` '	First instalment of 60 % of first year.	 All components under plan scheme of End-to-End Computerization of TPDS operation should have been completed. State transparency portals should be live and should have all required information of computerisation scheme. Availability of records of all automated NFSA ration card transactions at districts on Annavitran Portal. Signing of MoU between State / UT and DoF&PD. Submission of State/UT specific proposal as per template provided by DoF&PD.
	Second installment of 40 % of first year.	 Operationalization of SPMU (including DPMUs) under the scheme across the State Integration and operationalization of State PDS system with central repository and de-duplication of

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1 1	Third installment 60% of second year.	ration cards/beneficiaries in the State. 3. Submission of Utilisation Certificate (UCs) to the extent of 60% funds released by DoF&PD as first installment 1. Continued operations of SPMU (including DPMUs) under the scheme across the State.
		 Ensure continuous operations of integrated State PDS systems with central repository and de- duplication of ration cards/beneficiaries in the State. Submission of Utilisation Certificate (UCs) to the extent of 90% funds released by DoF&PD during first year.
1 1	Fourth installment of 20% of second year.	 Continued operations of SPMU (including DPMUs) under the scheme across the State. Ensure continuous operations of integrated State PDS systems with central repository and deduplication of ration cards/beneficiaries in the State. Submission of Utilisation Certificate (UCs) to the extent of 60% funds released by DoF&PD as Third installment and 100% UC of first year. Submission of Annual Audited Statement of funds of the year first year.
1, ,	Final installment of 20% of second year.	Submission of Utilisation Certificate (UCs) to the extent of 75% funds released by DoF&PD during second year.
(f)	Final Settlement would be done after receiving UC of full amount released by DoF&PD to the States/UTs	Submission of 100% Utilisation Certificate (UCs) of funds released by DoF&PD during second year, and submission of Annual Audited Statements of funds of the years 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21.

3. Proposal for release of financial assistance for completion of activities under the Scheme may be furnished along with status of fulfillment of conditions mentioned in para 2 above along with relevant documents.

Yours faithfully,

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