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Government of India
Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
Department of Food & Public Distribution

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001

Dated: 11th January, 2019

To

**The Principal Secretary / Secretary,
Food & Civil Supplies Department,
Government/Administration of all States/UTs.**

Subject: Completion of records of foodgrains distribution on Annavitran portal - reg.

Madam/Sir,

As you are aware, this Department is monitoring the information received on the Annavitran portal in respect of both automated and un-automated transactions/distribution of foodgrains across all States/UTs.

2. In this regard, the login IDs and passwords for the Nodal Officers and District Food & Supply Officers (DFSOs) of all States/UTs were shared through emails for submitting the details of un-automated transactions/distribution on Annavitran portal every month manually. However, it is consistently observed that these details appearing on the Annavitran portal remain incomplete for most of the States/UTs, mainly due to non-reporting of un-automated transactions/distribution. And in some States/UTs, the details of ePoS transactions and distribution are also inconsistent with those appearing on the respective State/UT portal. The available information therefore remains incomplete, resulting in incorrect information pertaining to the actual distribution of highly subsidised foodgrains in the States/UTs, as well as at the national level.

3. This issue had been taken up again by this Department in the Video Conference held on 09.01.2019 with all States/UTs, and on the request of the States/UTs, a special one-time facility has been provided on the Annavitran portal for States/UTs to complete/correct/upload the pending details of all un-automated transactions/distribution in the preceding months of this financial year (i.e. from April 2018 till December 2018). This facility would be available to all States/UTs till 30.01.2019 and the details submitted till that date would be frozen. Further, it is informed that henceforth settlement of subsidy claims, etc. will be done on the basis of information available on the Annavitran portal. Also, as requested by States/UTs, from January 2019 onward, the facility to submit the un-automated transactions/distribution details by all DFSOs shall remain available up to the 15th of every succeeding month, as against the earlier deadline of 7th of every succeeding month.

4. The information in respect of both automated and un-automated transactions/distribution shall also be cross verified by the central Data Analytics team of this Department. In case any discrepancies are existing w.r.t. the automated (ePoS based)

transactions/distribution, the same shall be rectified immediately.

5. It is therefore requested that instructions may be issued to all DFSOs to ensure necessary action before 31.01.2019. For any support, nodal officers of States/UTs may contact Sh. Gaurav Verma, Consultant, DoFPD at cpmu.fpd@nic.in (9650787596); or Sh. BVC Rao, Sr. Technical Director, NIC HQ at bvcrao@nic.in (9958402296).

Yours faithfully,

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(D. K. Gupta)

Director (PD)

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