## Government of West Bengal Food & Supplies Department 11A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata – 700 087

No.2431- FS/Sectt./Food/4P-06/2020

Dated, Kolkata the 30<sup>th</sup> September,2020

## **NOTIFICATION**

The Department of Food and Supplies had earlier issued an order on submission of Bank Guarantee by the empanelled Rice Millers before receiving paddy from the Purchase Centres in KMS 2019-20, vide No. 4559-FS dated 27<sup>th</sup> November'2019. The same will be followed in KMS 2020-21 also, following the slabs detailed below.

- 2. The submission of Bank Guarantee is compulsory on the part of a Rice Mill before receiving any quantum of paddy from any purchase Centers and will be incorporated in the Part C of the Bi-Partite Agreement and Part B of the Tri-Partite Agreement respectively, as well as in the online paddy procurement system.
- 3. Now the Governor has been pleased to decide that like previous KMSs, the Parboiled Rice Millers shall have to furnish the Bank Guarantee as per the mentioned slabs starting from 500 MT of paddy.

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Holding of quantity of	Amount of Bank Guarantee (BG)
Paddy in MT or its	
equivalent CMR	•
Upto 500 MT	Rs. 15 Lakhs(Rupees Fifteen Lakhs only) or Post Dated
	Cheque (PDC) of Rs. 30 lakhs (Rupees Thirty Lakhs only) may
	also be given
501 MT to 1000 MT	Rs. 30 Lakhs (Rupees Thirty Lakhs only)
1001 MT to 1500 MT	Rs. 45 Lakhs (Rupees Forty five Lakhs only)
1501 MT to 2000 MT	Rs. 60 Lakhs (Rupees Sixty Lakhs only)
2001 MT to 3000 MT	Rs. 90 Lakhs (Rupees Ninety Lakhs only)
3001 MT to 4000 MT	Rs. 1.20 Crore (Rupees One Crore & twenty Lakhs only)
4001 MT to 5000 MT	Rs. 1.50 Crore (Rupees One Crore & fifty Lakhs only)
5001 MT onwards as	BG at the rate of Rs. 30 lakhs per 1000 MT
above up till 20000 MT	
being maximum holding.	

- 4. However the Raw Rice Millers shall have to furnish compulsory security deposit in the form of Bank Guarantee of Rs. 50, 00,000/-(Rupees Fifty Lakh) only for participation in procurement like earlier KMSs but if the possession of paddy of any Raw Rice Mill exceeds 2000 MT, he/ she shall have to furnish Bank Guarantee of Rs. 60, 00,000/- (Rupees Sixty Lakh) only and so on for KMS 2020-21 as per the slabs mentioned above.
- 5. The signing of Bipartite/Tripartite Agreements along with deposit of the mandatory requisite Bank Guarantee (BG) will lead to activation of the empanelment of the Rice Millers in the portal.
- 6. The process of registration, empanelment and signing of agreement and submission of Bank Guarantee (BG) shall be completed by 31<sup>st</sup> October, 2020. The Rice Millers who will

submit BG by 15.11.2020 after completion of delivery of CMR of KMS 2019-20 by 31.10.2020 will get double the equivalent paddy as mentioned above for KMS 2020-21 for the months of November and December 2020 against the BG mentioned above.

7. The Rice Millers who submit BG later than 15.11.2020 till 31.12.2020 will have to submit BG double the amount as detailed in the table above. In case any Rice Miller signs agreements and submits the BG later than 31.12.2020 and before 31.1.2021, the BG amount would be triple.

This issues with approval of the Competent Authority.

Commissioner in the

Food & Supplies Department

No.2431/1 (18)-FS

Dated, Kolkata the 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2020

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

- 1. The Additional Chief Secretary, Co-operation Department, Govt. of West Bengal.
- 2. The Additional Chief Secretary, Panchayat & Rural Dev. Department, Govt. of West Bengal.
- 3. The Additional Chief Secretary, Agriculture Department, Govt. of West Bengal
- 4. The Additional Chief Secretary, Agricultural Marketing Department, Govt. of West Bengal
- 5. The Managing Director, BENFED.
- 6. The Managing Director, WBECSC Ltd.
- 7. The Special Secretary (Budget &IT), Food & Supplies Department
- 8. The Director of DDP&S, Food & Supplies Department
- 9. The Director of Finance, Food & Supplies Department
- 10. The Managing Director, PAMCL
- 11. The District Magistrate (All except Kalimpong)
- 12. The CEO, CONFED.
- 13. The Branch Manager, NAFED
- 14. The Branch Manager, NCCF, Kolkata.
- 15. The P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge, Food & Supplies Department.
- 16. The District Controller of Food & Supplies, (All except Kalimpong).
- 17. The Sr. P.S. to the Secretary to the Govt. o West Bengal, F & S Department.
- 18. The President, Bengal Rice Mills Association.

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