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PART I—Orders and Notifications by the Governor of West Bengal, the High Court, Government Treasury, etc.

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
Department of Food & Supplies
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11-A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata-700 087

NOTIFICATION

No. 1141-FS./Sectt/Food/4P-21/2024 – Kolkata, the 21 st March, 2025.— WHEREAS it has been considered necessary to amend the West Bengal Targeted Public Distribution System (Maintenance & Control) Order, 2024, as subsequently amended, (hereinafter referred to as the said Control Order), in the manner hereinafter appearing;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 and Section 5 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955 (10 of 1955), the Governor is pleased hereby to make, with an immediate effect, the following amendment in the said Control Order, namely:

Amendments

In the said Control Order,- In Part I of Schedule C, for serial No. 4 and entries relating thereto, *substitute* the following serial No. and entries relating thereto:—

Sl. No.	Offences/contravention under relevant Clause	Penalty for first offence/contravention	Penalty for second time offence/contravention of same provision	Penalty on third time or subsequent offence/contravention of same provision
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
4.	Committing offence under Clause 46	Fine of minimum of 1.25 (one decimal two five) times and maximum of 1.5 one decimal five) times the economic cost of the distribution public commodities and also an additional fine for an	Fine of minimum of 1.5 (one decimal five) times and maximum of 2 (two) times the economic cost of the public distribution commodities and also an additional fine for an offence of black	

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
4.	Committing offence under Clause 46	offence of black marketing or misappropriation or siphoning of public distribution commodities, taken together, meant for public distribution as below:	marketing or misappropriation or siphoning of public distribution commodities, taken together, meant for public distribution and/or termination of his license as below:	Fine of minimum of 2(two) times and maximum of 3 (three) times the economic cost of the public distribution commodities and also an additional fine for an offence of black marketing or misappropriation or siphoning of public distribution commodities, taken together, meant for public distribution and/or termination of his license as below:
	Quantity of PDS commodities black marketed/ misappropriated/ siphoned of, taken together	Additional fine for first offence/contravention	Additional fine for second offence/contravention of the same provision	Additional fine for third or subsequent offence/contravention of the same provision
	Less than 50 kg	NIL	NIL	NIL
	51 kg – 300kg	Rs. 10,000	Rs. 20,000	Rs. 30,000
	301 kg – 1000 kg	Rs. 20,000	Rs. 40,000	Rs. 50,000
	More than 10 qtl – 20 qtl	Rs. 50,000	Rs. 1,00,000	Rs. 1,50,000
More than 20 qtl	Rs. 1,00,000	Rs. 2,00,000	Rs. 3,00,000	

- (1) In Part II of Schedule C, for serial No. 3 and entries relating thereto, *substitute* the following serial No. and entries relating thereto:—

Sl. No.	Offences/contravention under relevant Clause	Penalty for first offence/contravention	Penalty for second time offence/contravention of same provision	Penalty on third time or subsequent offence/contravention of same provision
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
3.	Committing offence under Clause 48	Fine of minimum of 1.25 (one decimal two five) times and maximum of 1.5 one decimal five) times the economic cost of the public distribution commodities and also an additional fine for an offence of black marketing or misappropriation or siphoning of public distribution commodities, taken together, meant for public distribution as below:	Fine of minimum of 1.5 (decimal times one five) and maximum of 2 (two) times the economic cost of the distribution public commodities and also an additional fine for an offence of black marketing misappropriation or siphoning of public distribution commodities, taken together, meant for public distribution and/or termination of his license as below:	Fine of minimum of 2 (two) times and maximum of 3 (three) times the economic cost of the public distribution commodities and also an additional fine for an offence of black marketing or misappropriation or siphoning of public distribution commodities, taken together, meant for public distribution and/or termination of his license as below:

Sl. No.	Offences/contravention under relevant Clause	Penalty for first offence/contravention	Penalty for second time offence/contravention of same provision	Penalty on third time or subsequent offence/contravention of same provision
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
3.	Quantity of PDS commodities black marketed/ misappropriated/ siphoned of, taken together	Additional fine for first offence/contravention	Additional fine for second offence/contravention of the same provision	Additional fine for third or subsequent offence/contravention of the same provision
	Less than 50 kg	NIL	NIL	NIL
	51 kg – 300 kg	Rs. 30,000	Rs. 60,000	Rs. 1,00,000
	301 kg – 1000 kg	Rs. 60,000	Rs. 1,20,000	Rs. 2,00,000
	More than 10 qtl – 20 qtl	Rs. 1,50,000	Rs. 3,00,000	Rs. 6,00,000
	More than 20 qtl	Rs. 3,00,000	Rs. 6,00,000	Rs. 12,00,000

By order of the Governor,

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Department of Food & Supplies