

**Government of West Bengal**  
**Department of Food and Supplies**  
**Khadyashree Bhavan**  
**11/A, Mirza Ghalib Street, Kolkata- 700087**

No.: DCG-16013(11)/1/2021-SEC(DCG)-DCG/534

Date: 07.04.2022

**-ORDER-***Sub: Distribution of SK Oil in PDS to Digital Ration Card holders only*

Through GO no. 2063-FS dated 11.07.2017 presently prevalent policy of SKO distribution was adopted. Therein the then no. of DRC holders in a district was considered for DRC scale @600 ml/head/month. The residual no. of beneficiaries from allocation prior to the aforesaid policy was deemed to be paper RC beneficiaries.

It is observed that since then no. of paper RC beneficiaries have smoothly transitioned into no. of DRC beneficiaries in 20 districts. In Darjeeling process of distribution of DRCs in the tea gardens is expected to complete in time bound manner.

In the districts of South 24 Parganas and Kolkata & Bidhannagar SKO in PDS is still allocated in favour of 16,03,496 old paper RC beneficiaries. The Director of Consumer Goods vide notification no. DCG-16013(11)/1/2021-SEC(DCG)-DCG/1050 dated 17.06.2021 urged all paper RC beneficiaries to apply for DRCs to avail higher benefits. An advertisement to this effect was also brought out in newspapers.

Meanwhile, benefit of PDS food grains has long been discontinued for paper RC holders in South 24 Parganas and Kolkata & Bidhannagar.

Now, in consideration of above and in partial modification of GO no. 2063-FS dated 11.07.2017, it is hereby ordered that SK Oil in PDS under this Department will be distributed solely against Digital RCs across the State on and from 01.06.2022 except Darjeeling for which a separate order will be issued. DRC holders in special areas as designated in the said GO will continue to get the benefit as mentioned therein.

Paper RC holders in South 24 Parganas and Kolkata & Bidhannagar are welcome to apply for DRC through Departmental webportal <https://food.wb.gov.in/> or by submitting filled up form with requisite documents in offices of Food Inspectors or Rationing Officers.

Towards dissemination of the information among the intended members of public, advertisement in 4 (four) leading newspapers (English, Bengali, Hindi and Urdu) of the State will be published by the Director of Consumer Goods. The approved draft of such advertisement is attached herewith. Moreover, all SK Oil Dealers serving paper RC beneficiaries presently will conduct distribution till 31.05.2022 with prominent display of the attached advertisement. The advertisement will be displayed in the Departmental webportal as well as notice boards of all offices under this Department in South 24 Parganas and Kolkata & Bidhannagar for the aforementioned period.

Encl: As stated

  
**Secretary in F&S Department**  
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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Director, CG/DDP&S/Rationing
2. The District Magistrate, South 24 Parganas/ Darjeeling
3. The Jt. Secretary (Food), Department of Food & Supplies
4. The Jt. Secretary (IT), Department of Food & Supplies with request to display this order and attached notification in webportal
5. The PS to HMIC, Department of Food & Supplies
6. The DDR, Kolkata North/ Kolkata South/ Bidhannagar
7. The DCF&S, South 24 Parganas/ Darjeeling
8. The Dy. Directors of Consumer Goods (all)
9. The Sr. PA to the Secretary, Department of Food & Supplies
10. The General Secretary, WB Kerosene Agents' Welfare Association
11. The General Secretary, WB Kerosene Dealers' Association
12. The General Secretary, Bangiya Kerosene Khuchra Byabsayi Samity

  
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বিজ্ঞপ্তি

এতদ্বারা দক্ষিণ ২৪ পরগণা এবং কলকাতা ও বিধাননগরের সকল পুরানো কাগজের রেশনকার্ডধারী উপভোক্তা যাঁরা বর্তমানে গণবন্টন ব্যবস্থার কেরোসিন তেল সংগ্রহ করার যোগ্য, তাঁদের জানানো যাচ্ছে যে তাঁরা ডিজিটাল রেশনকার্ডের জন্য তাঁদের নিকটবর্তী খাদ্য পরিদর্শক অফিসে বা [food.wb.gov.in](http://food.wb.gov.in) ওয়েবসাইটে গিয়ে আবেদন জানাতে পারেন।

বর্তমানে পুরানো কাগজের রেশনকার্ডের (মাথাপিছু ১৫০ মিলি প্রতিমাসে) তুলনায় ডিজিটাল রেশনকার্ডে কেরোসিন তেলের বরাদ্দ (মাথাপিছু ৫০০ মিলি প্রতিমাসে) বেশি।

পুরানো কাগজের রেশনকার্ডে গণবন্টন ব্যবস্থার কেরোসিন তেলের বরাদ্দ কর্তৃপক্ষের আদেশানুসারে ১লা জুন, ২০২২ থেকে বন্ধ করা হবে।

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