

Government of West Bengal
Food & Supplies Department
11/A, Mirza Galib Street, Kolkata-700087

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ORDER

Sub- Use of Weighing scale during distribution of foodgrain through ePoS.

To ensure transparency and streamline the foodgrain distribution through ePoS, necessary steps has been taken by the Department to provide Weighing scale to all FPSs. These weighing scales are required to be integrated with ePoS either through USB cable or Bluetooth. ePoS will fetch quantity of foodgrain directly from integrated Weighing Scale. **Successful Transaction** through ePoS can only be possible after fetching entitled quantity of beneficiary in case of Rice and Wheat. In case of Atta, only number of packet to be selected in ePoS as the Atta is already an weighted and packed item.

Further, to avoid human error, ePoS has a tolerance limit of ± 50 Gram on commodity wise total entitlement of card holder to whom foodgrain is being distributed.

Now, it is hereby directed to all FPS dealer to use Weighing Scale during distribution of foodgrain. All DCF&S/DDR should ensure use of weighing scale by FPS dealers. ADCF&S/SCF&S/RO and other Inspecting officials should also adequately sensitized about this and requested to regularly and closely monitor.

Director of DDP&S and Director of Rationing should review the use of weighing scale by the FPS dealers during distribution. An MIS report with Drilldown manner upto FPS level has already been provided under the login of important officials upto the level of Inspector F&S in FPS Automation portal (Weighing Scale usage module under Txn cum auth tab). Inspector in charge, SCF&S/RO should regularly monitor compliance and take necessary action in case of non compliance.

If the Weighing scale malfunctions, concerned FPS should immediately inform the matter to the service engineer of the Automation agency (Linkwell/WTL) and Automation agency should arrange for replacement/repair of the faulty Weighing scale or its parts within a working day. This has got the approval of competent authority.


Additional Secretary

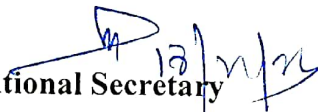
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