

**Most Urgent
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No. EDN-H(EE)(4)4-54/2017-18-MDM Reim
Directorate of Elementary Education
Himachal Pradesh

प्रारम्भिक शिक्षा निदेशालय

August, 2017/08/2017

Dated Shimla-171001 the

To

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1. All the Deputy Directors (Ele. Edu.), Himachal Pradesh.
 2. All the Deputy Directors (Higher Edu), Himachal Pradesh.
 3. All the Block Elementary Education Officers, Himachal Pradesh.

Subject :-

Prescribed / approved rates of transportation charges of foodgrains (rice) from Fair Price Shops / PDS Depots to Schools under Mid Day Meal Scheme due to the implementation of Goods Service Tax (GST).

Sir/Madam,

As you are already aware that the Mid day Meal Scheme is being implemented in the State of Himachal Pradesh in all the Government Primary and Upper Primary Schools and NRST/NRBC & Cantonment Board schools by providing rice based hot cooked mid day meal to the school students of classes I-VIII. The Foodgrains (rice) under the aforesaid scheme is being provided free of cost by the Government of India and cooking cost as per norms per child per day is also provided for the preparation of mid day meal in schools which includes:-

- i) Cost of Ingredients: pulses, vegetables, cooking oil, condiments etc. and fuel.
- ii) Local transportation charges for ingredients and fuel. (Except rice)
- ii) Transportation charges for rice from fair price shop to respective school premises is being allocated separately to the concerned Block.

In view of the above, it is stated that due to the implementation of Goods & Services Tax (GST) w.e.f.01-07-2017, the PDS rates of transportation of foodgrains (Rice) from Fair Price Shops / PDS Depots to schools under Mid Day Meal Scheme are now required to be revised accordingly. You are, therefore, directed to get fixed and approved the transportation charges of foodgrains (Rice) from Fair Price Shops / PDS Depots to schools under Mid Day Meal programmes from your respective District Controller, Food Civil Supplies & Consumers Affairs and send the same through e-mail to this Directorate on the prescribed formats Annexure-I & II at the earliest, so that the Department could be able to take up the matter with the State Government to demand additional funds on account of enhanced transportation charges from the Government of India, MHRD, New Delhi under Mid Day Meal Scheme for 2017-18.

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[Signature]
DIRECTOR

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Office of the Deputy Director of Higher Education Una District Una (HP)

Copy to:-

1. The Directorate of Elementary Education HP Shimla for information please.
2. All the Principal/Headmasters GSSS/HS in Una District for information and **strict compliance.**

[Signature]
Deputy Director of Higher Education
Una District Una (H.P.)

Annexure-1

MID DAY MEAL SCHEME

Block wise information to be compiled at District Level for fixation of transportation charges prevalent under PDS

PROFORMA FOR SCHOOL WISE DISTANCE FROM FPS/PDS Depots TO SCHOOLS)

Sr.No.	Name of School	Name of FPS/PDS Depot	Distance from FPS/ PDS Depot to School (In Kms)			
			By road	By mule	By head load	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2						
3						
4						

Annexure-II

Information to be supplied to the Directorate

PROFORMA FOR BLOCK WISE AVERAGE DISTANCE FROM FPS/ PDS Depots TO SCHOOLS)

Sr.No.	Name of Edu Block	Average distance				Remarks
		By road	By mule	By head load	Total (8+9+10)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	
	Total					

MID DAY MEAL SCHEME						
FORMAT FOR APPROVAL / FIXATION OF TRANSPORTATION RATES PREVALENT UNDER PDS						
Name of District :-						
Sr.No.	Rate per KM per quintal approved under PDS (In Rs.)				Loading & Unloading charges per quintal (In Rs.)	Total (In Rs.) (5+6)
	By road	By mule	By head load	Total (8+9+10)		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Signature of competent authority for fixing PDS