

**Government of Jammu & Kashmir**  
**Directorate of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs**  
**Kashmir**

**Subject: Allocation of Foodgrains for the month of April - 2023 under National Food Security Act (NFSA)/ NPHH in favour of Kashmir Division.**

Ref:-

1. Adm. Deptt's letter No. FCS&CA/Plan/NFSA/Alloc/2020-21 dated:- 13-03-2023.
2. Adm. Deptt's letter No. FCS&CA/IMPDS/7098709/2023 dated:- 02-01-2023
3. This office letter No. DFCS&CA/Pg/2022/156-85 dated:- 04-01-2023.

**Order No. 666 -DFCS&CAK of 2023**  
**Dated: - 15 -03-2023.**

Consequent upon the allotment of Foodgrains conveyed by Administrative Department under NFSA (AAY+PHH categories free of cost) and NPHH (NPHH category as per prevailing rates) for the month of April 2023 vide above referred communication, the Assistant Director Stores/ Mills FCS&CA Kashmir is hereby authorized for:-

1. Lifting /Procurement of 255611.10 Qtls of Foodgrains viz 243978.38 Qtls of Rice and 11632.72 Qtls of Wheat from FCI by or before 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2023 under NFSA/ NPHH for the month of April - 2023 as per the category wise breakup given hereunder:-

Category	Quantity to be lifted from FCI		
	Rice	Wheat	(Qty. in Qtls.) Total
AAY	49479.15	1448.19	50927.34
PHH	144406.62	7622.02	152028.64
NPHH	50092.61	2562.51	52655.12
Total	243978.38	11632.72	255611.10

2. Release of 251162.22 Qtls of Foodgrains viz 239725.22 Qtls of Rice and 11437.00 Qtls of Wheat under NFSA/ NPHH in favour of Assistant Directors of FCS&CA Kashmir Division for the month of April - 2023 as per the category wise/ district wise breakup given in Annexure "A", "B" and "C" to this order.

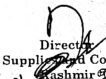
The concerned Assistant Directors shall ensure lifting/ dispatch of entire released quantity to the respective sale outlets within the stipulated time for its further distribution amongst bonafide rationees in the month of April - 2023

through PoS devices only as per the scale/ entitlement notified by the Administrative Department under respective categories in pursuance to the recent instructions regarding Free of Cost Foodgrains distribution under NFSA (AAY + PHH categories only) subject to the clarifications regarding distribution of Atta owing to grinding charges applicable across the Kashmir division already conveyed vide above referred communications.

The allocation is however, subject to the fulfillment of following terms and conditions that:-

1. The allocated quantity is lifted from the specified landing point within the stipulated time as per the guidelines conveyed by the Administrative Department.
2. The Assistant Directors of the concerned districts will ensure that the distribution shall be made only through PoS devices strictly as per the entitlement of the identified beneficiaries in compliance to the instructions of Administrative Department.
3. Ensure exclusive print receipts are printed for NFSA distribution and separate receipt are printed for other schemes, if any.
4. Ensure Print receipt of NFSA to prominently indicate free Foodgrain distribution and subsidy borne by the GoI. Format of print receipt for foodgrain distribution under NFSA will be as is shared by the GoI.
5. Ensure Separate biometric authentications to be made for distribution under NFSA and other schemes, if any.
6. The flying squads of officials shall be constituted to monitor the distribution of ration through PoS machines.
7. The monthly lifting/ off-take statements as per prescribed format should invariably be furnished to this directorate every month without any fail specifying therein the distribution of foodgrains.
8. No Diversion/ re-appropriation from one scheme to another & one category to another be allowed and the ration should be issued only to the bonafide rationees after proper identification and on cash payment specified by the government for each category in compliance with the instructions conveyed recently i.e. Free of Cost distribution for AAY and PHH categories only (however, subject to clarification regarding grinding charges for Atta distribution) and under NPHH category as per prevailing rates.
9. The Assistant Directors shall draw advance centre-wise roster/requirement of different commodities as per the format in vogue for issuance of ration among the consumers.
10. The Assistant Directors shall be personally responsible for proper distribution of ration amongst the bonafide consumers in compliance with the guidelines.
11. The Assistant Directors shall keep strict vigil against pilferage and overcharging reported at any sale outlets/ TSO circle.

12. The Assistant Directors shall furnish the information regarding lifting and dispatches of foodgrains to the Directorate without any fail.
13. The sale records shall be deposited in the respective section for inspection and recording purposes by 5<sup>th</sup> of the following month after conduct of sale of the foodgrains.
14. The sale proceeds shall be deposited as per the norms/procedure in vogue after completion of the distribution of foodgrains by 5<sup>th</sup> of the following month positively.
15. The un-lifted quantity, if any, owing to failure by any District, shall be correspondingly deducted from the next month's allocation and the un-lifted quantity shall not be re-allotted during the next month.
16. The entire quantity for a particular centre out of the allocation due for the month, shall be stored as per FIFO methodology to avoid deterioration.
17. The under-scaling of rations if any, shall be treated as misappropriation and embezzlement, thus strict action as warranted under rules shall follow.
18. The TSO/storekeeper/FPS Shop dealers shall ensure distribution of foodgrains to the identified beneficiaries under the Act without any dereliction.
19. The Storekeeper/FPS dealer shall deposit the sale records signed by village Heads/Mohalla Heads duly countersigned by TSO concerned as a part of social audit.
20. The TSO/ storekeeper/ FPS dealer shall maintain the acquaintance Rolls' Register.
21. A separate physical/financial account should be maintained for recording of inward and outward flow of commodities/ cash.
22. The ADs shall ensure implementation of the above terms and conditions in letter and spirit. Deviation, if any, shall attract disciplinary action against the erring officer and officials.

  
 Director  
 Food Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs  
 Kashmir

No: FCS&CA/PIg./NFSA-Alloc/165/ 2057-96  
 Copy to the:-

Dated: 15.03.2023

1. Divisional Commissioner Kashmir for favour of information.
2. Commissioner Secretary to Gov. FCS&CA - Civil Sect. J&K for favour of information.
3. Deputy Commissioner's \_\_\_\_\_ (All) for favour of information and n/a.
4. Divisional Manager FCI for information and immediate necessary action.
5. Chief Accounts Officer FCS&CA for information and immediate necessary action.
6. Put. Secretary to Hon'ble Advisor to His Excellence the Governor for information of Hon'ble Advisor.
7. General Manager SRTC for information and n/a.
8. All Assistant Directors FCS&CA Kashmir for information and necessary action.
9. Assistant Director Stores/ Mills FCS&CA Deptt. Kashmir for information and necessary action.
10. In-charge Budget Section/ TA/DA section for information and necessary action.
11. In-charge Supervisor Mechanical Transport for information and necessary action.
12. In-charge Website for information and necessary action.

Annexure "A"

Month : April 2023

Category : AAY

Fig. in Qrs.

District	Beneficiary Details		Net Allocation			
	RTs	Souls	Rice	Wheat	Total	
Anantnag	19820	85701	6524.60	191.85	6716.45	
Baramulla	27331	121092	9222.50	271.20	9493.70	
Bandipora	9146	41541	2833.49	81.05	2914.54	
Budgam	19623	71278	6288.30	184.94	6473.24	
Ganderbal	5549	23936	1863.26	54.99	1918.25	
Kupwara	27339	125372	8160.14	234.92	8395.06	
Kulgam	10797	50582	3641.96	104.73	3746.69	
Pulwama	14128	62355	4763.50	140.59	4904.09	
Shopian	6507	28969	2206.39	65.07	2271.46	
Srinagar (N)	5207	17406	1708.12	52.07	1760.19	
Srinagar (S)	3099	10227	1050.03	30.87	1080.90	
<b>Total</b>	<b>147546</b>	<b>638459</b>	<b>48262.29</b>	<b>1412.28</b>	<b>49674.57</b>	
Allocation Made by Administrative Department			49479.15	1448.19	50927.34	
Quantity to be Lifted from FCI			49479.15	1448.19	50927.34	
Quantity remaining balance with AD Stores/ Mills out of current Month's Allocation			1216.86	35.91	1252.77	

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