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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRDESH CIVIL SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT

Office of the Commissioner of Civil Supplies, A.P., Vijayawada.

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From
The Commissioner of Civil Supplies,
CA, Food & Civil Supplies Deptt.,
Government of Andhra Pradesh,
Ashok Nagar, Kanuru, Vijayawada.
Sir/ Madam

To All Collectors (CS),

It is to inform you that the Director, GV WV & VS WS Dept, A.P has stated the Government have issued circular instructions to cover all left over beneficiaries due to various reasons and ordered to accord sanctions and disburse benefits to all left over beneficiaries of all schemes in Welfare calendar, **twice a year i.e., June and December months**. Accordingly, Civil Supplies department has revised New Rice Card SoP and issued the new rice cards in June, 2022 and December, 2022. Further,

It is further inform you that under the bi- annual sanction Programme issuance of new rice Card is scheduled to commence in June, 2023 to eligible beneficiaries.

In this connection there could be some nomadic families/shelter less families/individuals who are most deserving and yet beyond our PDS net as they may not be aware of the procedure for accessing ration cards even in our decentralized system. The Apex court recently given directions to esnure such families are given ration cards on priority. In line with the true spirit of NFSA Act it is our bounden duty to identify such families/Individuals and facilitate them to apply for ration cards so that we can provide food security to these most eligible and deserving categories of people .

It is therefore to request you to instruct the concerned to conduct the campaign and create awareness amongst poorest eligible beneficiaries who are not in a position to apply and not having rice cards to submit their new rice card application in their concerned Secretariat for issuance of rice card in June, 2023. This work may be treated as priority work.

Yours faithfully, H.arun Kumar Commissioner of Civil Supplies

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