

**No P-21016/01/2018-Dist.**  
**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas**

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated the 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2018

To

- (1) The Director General, Petroleum Planning & Analysis Cell,  
SCOPE Complex, Core 8, Lodhi Road, New Delhi- 110 003.
- (2) The Secretary / Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies,  
(All States/UTs– as per the list attached).

Subject: **Allocation of Kerosene for distribution under the Public Distribution System (PDS) for the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2018-19 (April-June, 2018).**

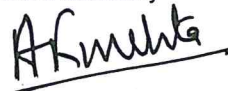
Sir,

I am directed to allocate PDS SKO Quota for the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2018-19 to the States/UTs as per the annexure. For the UT of Lakshadweep, full year's allocation of 768 KL (i.e. for 2018-19) has been made in 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2018-19 (April-June, 2018).

2. States/UTs are requested to ensure lifting of the entire allocation within the Quarter itself. No carry forward of unlifted quantity, if any, to subsequent Quarter would be allowed, except in case of exigencies such as natural calamities.

3. State Governments/UT Administrations are to ensure that availability of subsidized Kerosene is for distribution under Public Distribution System to the targeted beneficiaries, only for the purposes of cooking and illumination. State Governments/UT Administrations are also to ensure that allocated Kerosene is not diverted for adulteration of petrol/diesel or for any other use.

Yours faithfully



Encl: As above.

(Awdhesh Kumar Mehta)  
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India  
☎: 23385339

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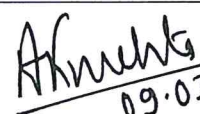
1. The Director (Marketing), IOCL, HPCL and BPCL, Mumbai.
2. PPS to Joint Secretary (M) and Director (LPG), MOP&NG.
3. Technical Director, NIC, Shastri Bhawan – for uploading on the website of MoP&NG.
4. SO, PP Section, MoP&NG w.r.t. to downward revision of PDS SKO allocation for the State of Gujarat as per the request received from the Food, Civil Supplies & Consumer Affairs Department, Government of Gujarat vide their letter NO.KSN-102017-662-B dated 18<sup>th</sup> January 2018, on account of voluntary surrender of 3,000 KL per month effective February, 2018..
5. Guard file.

### LIST OF THE STATES/UTS

1. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, UT of A&N Islands, Port Blair.
2. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
3. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Assam, Dispur.
4. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Bihar, Patna.
5. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Chhattisgarh, Raipur.
6. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Goa, Panaji.
7. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
8. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
9. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of J&K, Jammu.
10. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Jharkhand, Ranchi.
11. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Karnataka, Bangalore.
12. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
13. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food & Civil Supplies, UT of Lakshadweep, Kavaratti Islands.
14. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
15. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Maharashtra, Mumbai.
16. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Manipur, Imphal.
17. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Meghalaya, Shillong.
18. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Mizoram, Aizwal.
19. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Nagaland, Kohima.
20. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Orissa, Bhubaneswar.
21. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Rajasthan, Jaipur.
22. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok.
23. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Chennai.
24. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Telangana, Hyderabad.
25. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala.
26. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
27. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of Uttarakhand, Dehradun.
28. The Secretary/Administrator, Deptt. of Food and Civil Supplies, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkata.

**Annexure to letter No P-21016/01/2018-Dist. dated 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2018**

	<b>STATE/UT</b>	<b>PDS SKO allocation for 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter of 2018-19 in KL (April to June, 2018)</b>
1	A & N Islands	1032
2	Arunachal Pradesh	1980
3	Assam	61464
4	Bihar	83148
5	Chhattisgarh	28764
6	Goa	528
7	Gujarat	76980
8	Himachal Pradesh	3624
9	*Jammu and Kashmir	14520
10	Jharkhand	46692
11	Karnataka	39000
12	Kerala	13908
13	\$Lakshadweep	768
14	Madhya Pradesh	84048
15	Maharashtra	93708
16	Manipur	4476
17	Meghalaya	4860
18	Mizoram	1200
19	Nagaland	2568
20	Orissa	62112
21	Rajasthan	64992
22	Sikkim	864
23	Tamil Nadu	48444
24	Telangana	24480
25	Tripura	7344
26	Uttar Pradesh	221964
27	Uttarakhand	6336
28	**West Bengal	176004
	<b>Total allocation</b>	<b>1175808</b>
	*Jammu and Kashmir PDS SKO quota for 1st Quarter of 2018-19 has been made on the same scale as that made in corresponding Quarter of 2017-18. The above allocation of Jammu and Kashmir includes separate allocation of 3528 KL for Laddakh region also on yearly basis. For Laddakh region State Government of J&K is allowed to uplift the entire year's allocation of 3528 KL of SKO during any time of the year.	
	\$ PDS SKO quota for Lakshadweep is for the full year of 2018-19.	
	**West Bengal- In view of W.P.25064 (W) of 2016 in the High Court at Calcutta Vs. Union of India and others, Hon'ble High Court of Calcutta has directed to not make further reduction in PDS Kerosene Quota in respect of West Bengal. .	

  
 09.03.2018  
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