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Office Memorandum

Subject: Price Policy for Rabi Crops for Rabi Marketing Season (RMS) 2022-23-- Fixation of Minimum Support Prices.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the Price Policy for Rabi Crops for Rabi Marketing Season (RMS) 2022-23. Government of India has approved the increase in MSP of mandated Rabi Crops for Rabi Marketing Season (RMS) 2022-23 on 08.09.2021. Details of MSPs for mandated Rabi Crops (Fair Average Quality) for Rabi Marketing Season (RMS) 2022-23 are given as under:

Commodity (Fair Average Quality)	Minimum Support Price (Rs. per quintal)
Wheat	2015
Barley	1635
Gram	5230
Masur (Lentil)	5500
Rapeseed & Mustard	5050
Safflower	5441

- 2. In this regard, it is mentioned that the prices of other oilseeds belonging to the rapeseed and mustard group such as toria be fixed on the basis of their normal market price differentials with rapeseed & mustard.
- 3. It is also mentioned that in case of cereals, Food Corporation of India (FCI) and other designated state agencies would continue to provide price support to the farmers. State Governments will undertake procurement of coarse grains with prior approval of Government and would distribute the entire procured quantity under NFSA. The subsidy will be provided only for the quantity issued under National Food Security Act (NFSA). National Agricultural Cooperative Marketing Federation of India Limited (NAFED). Small Farmers Agri Business Consortium (SFAC) and other designated central agencies would continue to undertake procurement of pulses and oilseeds. The losses, if any, incurred by the nodal agencies in such operations may be fully reimbursed by the Government as per the guidelines.

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- 4. In addition, the Ministries Departments concerned are requested to take necessary action for providing price support operations as well as for wide dissemination of related information.
 - 5. This issues with the approval of Adviser (FE).

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