

**GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI**  
**DEPARTMENT OF FOOD, SUPPLIES & CONSUMER AFFAIRS**  
**K-BLOCK, VIKAS BHAWAN, NEW DELHI**  
**(POLICY BRANCH)**

No. F. 5 (11) Misc/P&C(167)/F&S/2011/887

Dated: 27-11-2012

**ORDER**

**Sub: Powers for Cancellation/Suspension/Revocation of PDS outlets and Linking/Delinking of food cards attached with PDS outlets.**

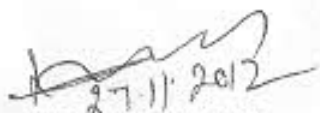
Vide order No. F.3 (32)/2005/F&S/P&C/Pt. file/40 dated 12.01.2009, it was directed by the then Secretary cum Commissioner (F&S), that appeals under clause (6) against the orders of the Dy. Commissioner or Asstt. Commissioner would be heard by the Addl. Commissioner / Jt. Commissioner, Food & Supplies Department for their respective Zones exercising the powers of the Commissioner, Food & Supplies.

2. Another order was issued, vide No F3 (32)/2005/F&S/P&C/255 dated 21.04.2011, in which, all the Zonal Asstt. Commissioners were directed to take prior written approval of the concerned Addl. / Spl. Commissioner before placing any PDS outlet under suspension or revocation of suspension and for linking / de-linking of ration cards attached with PDS outlets.

3. In partial modification of the above order No. F.3(32)/2005/F&S/P&C/255, dt. 21.04.2011, another order was issued vide No.F.3(1)/P&C/F&S/2011/723 dt. 8.11.2011, that all the Zonal Asstt. Commissioners **would submit the files** pertaining to suspension / cancellation of PDS outlets to their respective supervisory officers **only for information / confirmation**. Appeals against the said orders were continued to be heard by the respective Jt. / Addl./ Spl. Commissioner, as per the delegation of powers in vogue .

4. Now, to make the above orders dated 08.11.2011 & 21.04.2011 more clear, it is hereby clarified that all the Zonal Asstt. Commissioners are competent for Suspension / Cancellation of PDS outlets, and linking / de-linking of ration cards attached with them. They will send a copy of such order to the concerned Spl./ Addl./Jt. Commissioner for information only. Further, the Appeal shall be heard by the Spl./Addl./Jt. Commissioner, Food & Supplies Department of their respective Zones, exercising the powers of the Commissioner Food & Supplies, as per provision of clause (6) under the Delhi Specified Articles (Regulation of distribution ) order 1981.

5. This issues with the prior approval of the Competent Authority.

  
(S.S. KANAWAT)  
SPL. COMMISSIONER (P&C)

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