



# West Bengal Rice Mill Owner's Association

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To,  
The Principal Secretary,  
Food & Supplies Department,  
Government of West Bengal  
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Sub:- Request for installation of AI based grain analyzer in the Paddy procurement centers.

Respected Sir,


Your kind self is aware of the fact that deduction made in the Paddy brought by the Farmers in the Procurement Centers is always a great concern for the State Government as well as our Association. Millers complaint that they are not getting FAQ Paddy as per specification laid down by the Government of India, while farmers complaint that their deduction is made unnecessarily by the Rice Millers. Efforts have been made by the State Government by formation of three men committee and recently block level committee to solve this issue but in reality the situation has not improved.

Sir, to address such issue Government of Odisha & many other State Governments including FCI has placed automatic AI based grain analyzer in the procurement centers to ensure farmers are not harassed over the FAQ parameters and also to ensure that only FAQ Paddy is purchased so that Millers are not deprived of OTR.

Sir, time and again we have been requesting you to kindly intervene in the matter so that Millers can run their business honestly. Your kind self has made many reforms in the process of Procurement which has made things simple both for farmers as well as the Rice Mill Industry.

Sir, to make procurement of Paddy more transparent & seamless we request your kind self to install AI based grain analyzer in all the Paddy procurement centers, so that interest of both the Farmers & Millers are protected.

Thanking You,  
Yours faithfully,

  
Manoj K Fogla  
General Secretary