To
All District Education Officers

Sub: Clarification regarding availing Mid-day Meal through Centralized Kitchen

Madam/ Sir,
A doubt has been raised by districts regarding sending of SMS on real time basis where Mid-Day Meal is served to children through Central Kitchen. The matter has been examined and it is clarified that:-

Headmaster/Headmistress or In-charge MDM Teacher can send MDM consumption data on a daily basis through SMS from his/her Registered Mobile number in the following format:

**SMS to 15544**

Format - **MDMOD M999Y888** if MDM served

Format - **MDMOD M999N9** if MDM not served

Where 999 - Total number of students present in the school on that day.
888 - Number of meals provided by Central Kitchen Agency as per order / indent given by the Headmaster/ Headmistress on previous day to the Central Kitchen Agency.
9 - Reason Code for not served

**Reasons Codes for MDM-Not Served**

1- Funds not Available
2- Food Grains not Available
3- Fuel Not Available
4- CCH Absent
5- Dispute between Agencies
6- Court Case
7- Natural Calamity
8- Non-service by agencies
9- Others

You are, therefore, requested to give instruction to your field functionaries accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

State Nodal Officer (MDM) & Ex-officio Joint Secretary to Govt.
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