

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:6435
ANSWERED ON:07.05.2013
CHARGES FOR MILLING
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Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to revise the costing sheet for Custom Milled Rice for items like Mandi Labour charges, cost of new Gunny bags and transportation charges for the State of Odisha; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS)

(a) & (b) Yes, Madam. The provisional cost sheet of Custom Milled Rice (CMR) for Odisha for KMS 2012-13 has been revised as per details given below in respect of Mandi Labour Charges and Cost of new Gunny bags:-

(Rs./qtl.)

Item	Pre-revised rates	Revised rates
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Mandi Labour Charges	5.08	9.17
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Cost of new Gunny Bags	71.19	79.64
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However, in case of transportation charges, it was not found feasible to change the rate approved earlier.