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To

The Principal Secretary/Secretary  
(Dealing with NSAP)

Subject: Clarification regarding uploading of details of National Family Benefit Scheme (NFBS) in NSAP-PPS portal –regarding

Sir/Madam,

Several States have raised the issue that in want of BPL identification number, several claims under National Family Benefit Scheme (NFBS) are not being accepted by NSAP-PPS portal. In this regard it is to clarify that BPL identification number is a necessary requirement for claiming the benefits under the Scheme. However, in partial modification of the Guidelines, in cases where BPL identification number is not available, a Certificate duly signed by an authority not less than a District Collector certifying that deceased in whose case claim is being preferred belongs to BPL category needs to be invariably provided. The provision in the NSAP-PPS portal has already been made for uploading the Certificate.

2. Since DBT in NFBS has been started w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2018, the details of deceased and claimant are to be recorded in the NSAP-PPS portal. For such cases where State has already paid the claims, entry provisions/interface is readily available where the details can be entered. It is advisable that all the records where death cases entertained after 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2016 and paid by the States to be entered in NSAP-PPS portal by 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2019. From 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2019, this facility will be withdrawn and State has to give the claim through DBT under NSAP-PPS portal with single State Nodal Account linked with PFMS. States are, therefore, requested to clear the backlogs.

Yours faithfully,

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