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Government of India Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying

Chanderlok Building, New Delhi Dated the 19th September 2024

To

The Chief Secretaries, All State/Union Territories

Sub: Payment of compensation for forced culling of poultry birds, destruction of eggs and poultry feed for control and containment of Avian Influenza-revision of rates.

Sir/ Madam

This is with reference to payment of compensation for forced culling of poultry birds, destruction of eggs and poultry feed for control and containment of Avian Influenza as per the Action Plan for Prevention Control and Containment of Avian Influenza (Revised 2021).

2. Based on stakeholder's consultation, the revised compensation rates for forced culling of poultry birds, destruction of eggs and poultry feed for control and containment of Avian Influenza to be followed by the States/UTs is as under:

SI.No	Species	Rate of Compensation (Rs. Per bird)	
		Chicks	Grower/ Adults
1	Layer	40	140
		(upto 8 weeks)	(more than 8 weeks)
2	Broiler	35	120
		(upto 4 weeks)	(more than 4 weeks)
3	Backyard Poultry birds	35	150
		(upto 8 weeks)	(more than 8 weeks)
4	Duck/Geese/Guinea Fowl	50	160
		(upto 4 weeks)	(more than 4 weeks)
5	Turkey	60	350
		(upto 8 weeks)	(more than8 weeks)
6	J. Quail	20	40
		(upto 5 weeks)	(more than 5 weeks)
7	White Pigeon/Domesticated and Other Ornamental Birds	200	
8	Poultry eggs other than J.Quail	4 / egg	
9	J.Quail Eggs	2/egg	
10	Poultry feed/ Feed Ingredients	25/ Kg	

3. The Government of India will continue to share 50% of the cost of compensation with the State Government out of the fund under ASCAD component of the LHDCP. The States Governments may also pay more form their own budgetary allocation, though this Department would confine to this recommended rate. Also no compensation will be paid in case of Government owned farms.

- 4. The State Government shall release the compensation amount following financial formalities
- 5. This issues with approval of competent authority and concurrence of IFD vide E-18211 (Note# 135) and will superced this Department Letter No. F.No. 50-178(A)/2005-LDT(AQ) Vol.II Dt 23rd May 2013.
- This will be effective from immediate effect.

Yours faithfully

Animal Husbandry Commissioner

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