## K-11053/8/2017-LH Government of India Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying Department of Animal Husbandry & Dairying

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020

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## OFFICE MEMORANDUM

With reference to the occurrence of African Swine Fever in the country, it has been decided by the Government that the following rates would be paid as compensation for culling of pigs (in the containment zone) to prevent spread of the disease -

SI. No.	Category of destruction	Carcass Weight classification	Compensation rate- (Rs.)
A	Animal carcass		
1	Piglet	Up to 15 kg	2200 _
2	Grower/Finisher/Adult	15 - 40 kg	5800
3	Finisher/Adult/ Breeding	40 - 70 kg	8400
4	Boar/Sow	70 - 100 kg	12000
	Adult/Breeding Boar/Sow	> 100 kg	15000
B	Animal Feed		
1	Cost of feed destroyed	-	22.00 /kg -

2. The share of Government of India, under Assistance to States for Control of Animal Disease (ASCAD), a component of the extant Livestock Health & Disease Control Scheme, would be 50% of the abovementioned compensation rates.

3. Compensation is payable on pigs culled by the State /UT and is computed on the basis of the carcass weight of the pigs. For calculating the body weight of pigs (to be) culled, conventional methods of weighing with weighing machines can be used without compromising biosecurity. However, where it is not possible to do so, the following weighing formula can be used –

- Measure Heart Girth (circumference of the pigs' girth) in Meters
- Measure the length of the pig along its back from the base of its ears to the base of the tail, in Meters
- Square the Heart girth and multiply with length (L X G<sup>2</sup>)

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- Then, multiply by 69.3, the resultant will be the live weight of the pig in Kg (L X G<sup>2</sup> X 69.3)
- 72% of the live weight may be taken as Carcass weight (L X G<sup>2</sup> X 69.3 X 72 /100)

4. Further, compensation, either for culling of pigs or for destruction of feed, shall be paid in no other mode than <u>payment online (via RTGS / NEFT)</u> directly into the bank account of the beneficiary.

5. This OM is in supersession of any earlier communication regarding compensation payable on culling of pigs and destruction of feed materials by the State.

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To,

The Principal Secretary, Department of Animal Husbandry (All States)

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- (1) Director / Commissioner (AHD) (all states)
- (2) PPS to Secretary (AHD), DAHD
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