

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION  
DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION

**RAJYA SABHA**  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 208  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 21<sup>ST</sup> JULY, 2026**

**CRITERIA SET BY FCI FOR SETTING UP WAREHOUSES**

**208 # DR. DHARMSHILA GUPTA:**

Will the Minister of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution be pleased to state:

- (a): the criteria and eligibility conditions prescribed by the Food Corporation of India (FCI) for setting up warehouses in Bihar;
- (b): whether Government of Bihar has submitted any proposal or request to the Central Government for setting up new FCI warehouses or expanding existing storage capacity in the State, if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Central Government on the same; and
- (c): the number of district-wise FCI-owned and rented warehouses in Bihar currently, along with their total storage capacity?

**A N S W E R**  
MINISTER OF STATE FOR MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS,  
FOOD & PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION  
**(SHRIMATI NIMUBEN JAYANTIBHAI BAMBHANIYA)**

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- (a): The criteria and eligibility conditions prescribed by FCI for setting up Warehouses in Bihar is as per the approved MTF (Model Tender Form) for the scheme under which construction is proposed e.g. PEG Scheme/Silo Scheme etc.
- (b): The Government has not received any proposal or request from Govt. of Bihar for setting up new FCI warehouses.
- (c): The number of district-wise FCI-owned and rented warehouses in Bihar currently along with their total storage capacity is enclosed as **Annexure I**.

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## Annexure-I

| FOOD CORPORATION OF INDIA REGIONAL OFFICE : PATNA                               |                                     |              |                  |                        |             |     |       |       |           |     |        |             |               |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|------------------|------------------------|-------------|-----|-------|-------|-----------|-----|--------|-------------|---------------|
| STORAGE CAPACITY OF FCI OWNED AND HIRED GODOWN OF BIHAR REGION AS ON 30.06.2026 |                                     |              |                  |                        |             |     |       |       |           |     |        |             |               |
|                                                                                 |                                     |              |                  | Covered capacity (MT.) |             |     |       |       |           |     |        |             |               |
| SL. No                                                                          | गोदाम का नाम/ Name of Godown        | FCI DISTRICT | Revenue District | Owned                  | State Govt. | CWC | SWC   | PEG   | Pvt.Party | PWS | SILO   | Total hired | Total covered |
| 1                                                                               | FSD, PHULWARISHARIF [EC17004]       | PATNA        | PATNA            | 61572                  | 0           | 0   | 0     | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 0           | 61572         |
| 2                                                                               | FSD, MOKAMA(EC17003)                |              |                  | 53529                  | 0           | 0   | 0     | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 0           | 53529         |
| 3                                                                               | BSWC PEG DUBAULI ARA [EC17016] {B9} |              | BHOJPUR          | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 0     | 5000  | 0         | 0   | 0      | 5000        | 5000          |
| 4                                                                               | DIGHAGHAT [EC17002] {A1}            |              | PATNA            | 5000                   | 0           | 0   | 0     | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 0           | 5000          |
| 5                                                                               | ARM ARA [EC17013] {B2}              |              | BHOJPUR          | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 10630 | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 10630       | 10630         |
|                                                                                 | TOTAL                               |              |                  | 120101                 | 0           | 0   | 10630 | 5000  | 0         | 0   | 0      | 15630       | 135731        |
| 6                                                                               | FSD, BUXAR (EC25003)                | BUXAR        | BUXAR            | 31320                  | 0           | 0   | 0     | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 0           | 31320         |
| 7                                                                               | BSWC, SASARAM (EC25002)             |              | ROHTAS           | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 25000 | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 25000       | 25000         |
| 8                                                                               | BSWC, NATWAR (ARM) [EC25004]        |              |                  | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 20000 | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 20000       | 20000         |
| 9                                                                               | PEG MOHANIA(EC25001)                |              | KAIMUR           | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 0     | 25000 | 0         | 0   | 0      | 25000       | 25000         |
| 10                                                                              | SILO KAIMUR [EC25007] {B6}          |              | KAIMUR           | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 0     | 0     | 0         | 0   | 50000  | 50000       | 50000         |
| 11                                                                              | BUXAR [EC25003] {A1} silo           |              | BUXAR            | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 0     | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 50000       | 50000         |
|                                                                                 | TOTAL                               |              |                  | 31320                  | 0           | 0   | 45000 | 25000 | 0         | 0   | 100000 | 170000      | 201320        |
| 12                                                                              | FSD, GAYA(EC14001)                  | GAYA         | GAYA             | 64329                  | 0           | 0   | 0     | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 0           | 64329         |
| 13                                                                              | BSWC JEHANABAD (EC14016)            |              | JEHANABAD        | 0                      | 0           | 0   | 5000  | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 5000        | 5000          |
|                                                                                 | TOTAL                               |              |                  | 64329                  | 0           | 0   | 5000  | 0     | 0         | 0   | 0      | 5000        | 69329         |

|    |                                          |                 |                 |       |      |       |       |       |      |      |   |       |       |
|----|------------------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|---|-------|-------|
| 14 | SWC, NAWAGACHIA (EC-12008)               | BHAGALPU<br>R   | BHAGALPU<br>R   | 0     | 0    | 0     | 44000 | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 44000 | 44000 |
| 15 | CWC, MUNGER (EC-12004)                   |                 | MUNGER          | 0     | 0    | 18587 | 0     | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 18587 | 18587 |
| 16 | STATE GOVT, MUNGER (EC-12001)            |                 |                 | 0     | 3200 | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 3200  | 3200  |
|    | TOTAL                                    |                 |                 | 0     | 3200 | 18587 | 44000 | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 65787 | 65787 |
| 17 | ARDC, JAMUI (EC-24001)                   | JAMUI           | JAMUI           | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 2800 | 0    | 0 | 2800  | 2800  |
| 18 | BSWC, JAMUI (PEG) (EC-24002              |                 |                 | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 5000  | 0    | 0    | 0 | 5000  | 5000  |
|    | TOTAL                                    |                 |                 | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 5000  | 2800 | 0    | 0 | 7800  | 7800  |
| 19 | BSWC, CHAPRA(PEG)(EC-20004)              |                 | SARAN           | 0     | 0    | 0     | 12528 | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 12528 | 12528 |
| 20 | CWC, SIWAN (EC-20003)                    |                 |                 | 0     | 0    | 24518 | 0     | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 24518 | 24518 |
| 21 | PEG BABU BISHNUPUR [EC20027] {B9}        |                 | GOPALGANJ       | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 10000 | 0    | 0    | 0 | 10000 | 10000 |
| 22 | PWS SARAI VAISHALI I [EC20021] {B10}     |                 | SIWAN           | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0    | 5400 | 0 | 5400  | 5400  |
| 23 | BSWC SARAI [EC20023] {B2}                |                 | vaishali        | 0     | 0    | 0     | 4078  | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 4878  | 4078  |
| 24 | PWS BELKUNDA SARAI HAJIPUR [EC20024] {B1 |                 | vaishali        | 0     | 0    | 0     |       | 0     | 0    | 3015 | 0 | 3015  | 3015  |
| 25 | GOPALGANJ (PEG) [EC20011]                |                 | GOPALGANJ       | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 15000 | 0    | 0    | 0 | 15000 | 15000 |
|    | TOTAL                                    |                 |                 | 0     | 0    | 24518 | 16606 | 25000 | 0    | 8415 | 0 | 75339 | 74539 |
| 26 | FSD, NRPA (EC-15001)                     | MUZAFFARP<br>UR | MUZAFFAR<br>PUR | 48438 | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 0     | 48438 |
| 27 | BSWC, NRPA.[EC15005] /ARM                |                 |                 | 0     | 0    | 0     | 5760  | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 5760  | 5760  |
| 28 | BSWC, SITAMADHI (EC-15004)               |                 | SITAMADH<br>I   | 0     | 0    | 0     | 7275  | 0     | 0    | 0    | 0 | 7275  | 7275  |
| 29 | ARDC, PUNAURA (EC-15003)                 |                 |                 | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 5000 | 0    | 0 | 5000  | 5000  |
|    | TOTAL                                    |                 |                 | 48438 | 0    | 0     | 13035 | 0     | 5000 | 0    | 0 | 18035 | 66473 |

|    |                                   |          |                      |      |   |       |       |       |   |   |   |        |        |
|----|-----------------------------------|----------|----------------------|------|---|-------|-------|-------|---|---|---|--------|--------|
| 30 | FSD, CHANPATIA (EC-23001)         | MOTIHARI | W.<br>CHAMAPA<br>RAN | 7656 | 0 | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0      | 7656   |
| 31 | CWC, BETIAH (PEG)[EC23008]        |          |                      | 0    | 0 | 23309 | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23309  | 23309  |
| 32 | SWC NARKATIAGANJ [EC23009] {B2}   |          |                      | 0    | 0 | 0     | 9545  | 0     | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9545   | 9545   |
| 33 | PEG/PWS BETIAH (Pvt)[EC23007]     |          |                      | 0    | 0 | 0     | 0     | 25000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25000  | 25000  |
| 34 | BSWC,Betiah (EC-23003)            |          | E.CHAMPAR<br>NA      | 0    | 0 | 0     | 8691  | 0     | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8691   | 8691   |
| 35 | BSWC, RAXAUL (EC-23004)           |          |                      | 0    | 0 | 0     | 9542  | 0     | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9542   | 9542   |
| 36 | BSWC, MOTIHARI (EC-23005)         |          |                      | 0    | 0 | 0     | 6000  | 0     | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6000   | 6000   |
| 37 | PEG/PWS, MOTIHARI (PVT)(EC-23006) |          |                      | 0    | 0 | 0     | 0     | 20000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20000  | 20000  |
|    | TOTAL                             |          |                      | 7656 | 0 | 23309 | 33778 | 45000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 102087 | 109743 |

|    |                                        |               |               |       |      |       |       |       |   |       |        |        |        |
|----|----------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| 38 | FSD, DARBHANGA (EC-13001)              | DARBHANG<br>A | DARBHANG<br>A | 5000  | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 0      | 5000   |
| 39 | CWC, DARBHANGA(EC-13002)               |               |               | 0     | 0    | 3480  | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 3480   | 3480   |
| 40 | SWC/PEG DARBHANGA(EC-13003)            |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 10000 | 0 | 0     | 0      | 10000  | 10000  |
| 41 | FSD, JAYANAGAR (EC-13005)              |               | MADHUBA<br>NI | 11000 | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 0      | 11000  |
| 42 | Bihar (Silo), DARBHANGA [EC13006] {B6} |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 50000 | 50000  | 50000  |        |
| 43 | SWC, JHANJHAPUR [EC13004]              |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 14400 | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 14400  | 14400  |
|    | TOTAL                                  |               |               | 16000 | 0    | 3480  | 14400 | 10000 | 0 | 0     | 50000  | 77880  | 93880  |
| 44 | FSD, PURNEA (EC-16001)                 | PURNEA        | PURNEA        | 10440 | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 0      | 10440  |
| 45 | PURNEA SPOKE SILO [EC16015] {B6}       |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 50000 | 50000  | 50000  |        |
| 46 | BSWC, GULABBAG (EC-16007)              |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 6500  | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 6500   | 6500   |
| 47 | DEHARIA, KATIHAR, SILO                 |               | KATIHAR       | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 50000  | 50000  | 50000  |
| 48 | FSD, KATIHAR (EC-16002)                |               |               | 12500 | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 0      | 12500  |
| 49 | KATIHAR TWO SPOKE SILO [EC16014] {B6}  |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 50000  | 50000  | 50000  |
| 50 | CWC, KATIHAR (EC-16004)                |               |               | 0     | 0    | 6246  | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 6246   | 6246   |
| 51 | BSWC, KATIHAR (EC-16008)               |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 23000 | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 23000  | 23000  |
| 52 | BSWC, GARHBANILI(EC-16009)             |               | Araria        | 0     | 0    | 0     | 6500  | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 6500   | 6500   |
| 53 | BSWC, FARBISGANJ (EC-16006)            |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 11020 | 0     | 0 | 0     | 0      | 11020  | 11020  |
| 54 | PEG BSWC FORBESGANJ [EC16012]          |               |               | 0     | 0    | 0     | 0     | 15000 | 0 | 0     | 0      | 15000  | 15000  |
| 55 | CWC, KISHANGANJ (EC-16005)             |               | 0             | 0     | 9410 | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0 | 0     | 9410   | 9410   |        |
|    | TOTAL                                  |               |               | 22940 | 0    | 15656 | 47020 | 15000 | 0 | 0     | 150000 | 227676 | 250616 |

|    |                                       |            |            |        |      |        |        |        |      |       |        |         |         |
|----|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|--------|------|--------|--------|--------|------|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| 56 | FSD, SAHARSA (EC-21001)               | SAHARSA    | Saharsa    | 15752  | 0    | 0      | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 0       | 15752   |
| 57 | PWS SAHARSA [EC21007] {B10}           |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 0      | 0      | 0    | 2751  | 0      | 2751    | 2751    |
| 58 | BSWC SAHARSA [EC21005]                |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 11400  | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 11400   | 11400   |
| 59 | BSWC MURLIGANJ [EC21006]              |            | MADHEPUR A | 0      | 0    | 0      | 3864   | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 3864    | 3864    |
| 60 | CWC, SUPAUL (EC-21003)                |            | SUPAUL     | 0      | 0    | 7032   | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 7032    | 7032    |
| 61 | BSWC, NARPATGANJ (EC-21010)           |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 5954   | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 5954    | 5954    |
| 62 | CWC, MADHEPURA (EC-19002)             |            | MADHEPUR A | 0      | 0    | 5163   | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 5163    | 5163    |
| 63 | BSWC, MADHEPURA (RASNA BLOCK)         |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 3815   | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 3815    | 3815    |
|    | TOTAL                                 |            |            | 15752  | 0    | 12195  | 25033  | 0      | 0    | 2751  | 0      | 39979   | 55731   |
| 64 | PEG, KHAGARIA(PVT) (EC-22007)         | SAMASTIPUR | KHAGARIA   | 0      | 0    |        | 0      | 10000  | 0    | 0     | 0      | 10000   | 10000   |
| 65 | CWC, KHAGARIA (PEG) [EC22008]         |            |            | 0      | 0    | 15660  | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 15660   | 15660   |
| 66 | SILO PASRAHA KHAGARIA [EC22013] {B6}  |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 50000  | 50000   | 50000   |
| 67 | PUSHA SAMASTIPUR SILO                 |            | SAMASTIPUR | 0      | 0    | 0      | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 50000  | 50000   | 50000   |
| 68 | SILO BARAUNI BEGUSARAI [EC22014] {B6} |            | BEGUSARAI  | 0      | 0    | 0      | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 50000  | 50000   | 50000   |
| 69 | CWC, SAMASTIPUR (EC-22002)            |            | SAMASTIPUR | 0      | 0    | 14568  | 0      | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 14568   | 14568   |
| 70 | BSWC, SAMASTIPUR (EC-22005)           |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 12018  | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 12018   | 12018   |
| 71 | PEG, KUSMAUT (PVT) (EC-22006)         |            | BEGUSARAI  | 0      | 0    | 0      | 0      | 15000  | 0    | 0     | 0      | 15000   | 15000   |
| 72 | BSWC, BARAUNI (EC-22004)              |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 2936   | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 2936    | 2936    |
| 73 | TILRATH (BARAUNI) (EC-22010)          |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 5066   | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 5066    | 5066    |
| 74 | BSWC, APMC, BEGUSARAI (EC-22009)      |            |            | 0      | 0    | 0      | 27840  | 0      | 0    | 0     | 0      | 27840   | 27840   |
|    | TOTAL                                 |            |            | 0      | 0    | 30228  | 47860  | 25000  | 0    | 0     | 150000 | 253088  | 253088  |
|    | GRAND TOTAL                           |            |            | 326536 | 3200 | 127973 | 302362 | 155000 | 7800 | 11166 | 450000 | 1058301 | 1384037 |

Agency Wise Present Storage Capacity with FCI Bihar as on 30.06.2026

| Sl. No. | AGENCY/SCHEME                               | No. of Depots | Capacity (MTs) |
|---------|---------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 1       | FCI owned                                   | 12            | 326,536        |
| 2       | ARDC                                        | 2             | 7,800          |
| 3       | PWS                                         | 3             | 11,166         |
| 4       | Central Warehousing Corporation (CWC)       | 10            | 127,973        |
| 5       | State Warehousing Corporation (SWC)         | 26            | 302,362        |
| 6       | Private Entrepreneur Guarantee Scheme (PEG) | 11            | 155,000        |
| 7       | SILO                                        | 9             | 450,000        |
| 8       | State Government                            | 1             | 3,200          |
| Total   |                                             | 74            | 1,384,037      |