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PROVINCIAL AGRICULTURAL COORDINATORS

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Northern
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**RE: DISTRIBUTION OF LEGUME SEED UNDER E VOUCHER PROGRAMME-
2017/2018 SEASON**

Reference is hereby being made to the above captioned matter.

You are aware of Government Policy regarding agricultural diversification and the emphasis on working towards household food and nutritional security. It is in view of this, that a decision was made to reserve 20% of the total funds available for farmers under the E Voucher programme for farmers to buy certified legume seed.

Due to inadequate quantities of legume seed available for the 2017/2018 season and some limitations in the current ZIAMIS system to ensure that the 20% is used to procure legume seed by farmers, a decision has been made to procure the available legume seed quantities and have the seed issued to farmers in selected districts.

In view of the foregoing, you are all urged to ensure that this seed is issued to approved beneficiary farmers in the selected districts through the various outlets that the suppliers will use. All District Agricultural Coordinators must

ensure that they confirm having received the seed in the districts through Goods Received Notes.

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Julius J. Shawa
Permanent Secretary
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

ALLOCATION OF LEGUME SEED TO PROVINCES AND DISTRICTS

SEED TYPE	TOTAL QUANTITY (MT)	PROVINCE	DISTRICT	TAREGET FOR 2017/2018	NUMBER OF PACKS AVAILABLE (Each 25Kg)
SOYA BEANS	3,843	CENTRAL	KAPIRI MPOSHI	27,780	27,780
			CHIBOMBO	22,408	22,408
			MUMBWA	16,925	16,925
			KABWE	24,928	24,928
		MUCHINGA			
			ISOKA	12,174	12,174
		COPPER BELT	LUFWANYAMA	10,834	10,834
			MASAITI	13,440	13,440
		SOUTHERN	CHOMA	25,231	25,231
				153,720	153,720

SEED TYPE	TOTAL QTY	PROVINCE	DISTRICT	TARGET	NUMBER OF PACKS AVAILABLE (Each 15Kg)
COWPEAS	65	SOUTHERN			
			GWEMBE	4,400	4,400
				4,400	4,400

SEED TYPE	TOTAL QTY	PROVINCE	DISTRICT	TARGET	NUMBER OF PACKS AVAILABLE (Each 20Kg)
GROUNDNUTS	3,850	EASTERN	LUNDAZI	27,070	27,070
			CHIPATA	47,736	47,736
			KATETE	26,869	26,869
			PETAUKE	28,683	28,683
			CHADIZA	14,710	14,710
			NYIMBA	12,430	12,430
			SINDA	15,800	15,800
		LUSAKA	RUFUNSA	12,142	12,142
		MUCHINGA	MAFINGA	7,060	7,060
				192,500	192,500

SEED TYPE	TOTAL QTY	PROVINCE	DISTRICT	TARGET	NUMBER OF PACKS AVAILABLE (Each 20Kg)
BEANS	360	NORTHERN			
			MPOROKOSO	9,300	9,300
		COPPER BELT	LUANSHYA	9,021	9,021
				18,321	18,321