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Decision to Launch Pilot Project for

Food Subsidy through DBT

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The UP Government has decided to launch a pilot project for payment of food subsidy through DBT (Direct Benefit Transfer) to bank accounts of beneficiaries. Under the decision, the project has been launched in Faizabad-Ayodhya Nagar Nigam and Khekda tehsil of Baghpat district.

Principal Secretary, Food and Civil Supplies, Mrs. Nivedita Shukla, gave this information. She said that the concerning officers had earlier been instructed to ensure distribution of food grains under the Antyodaya scheme to cent percent beneficiaries by 25th of every month. She said that if the Antyodaya beneficiaries with disabilities did not receive their food grain by 25th of the month, the district administration would ensure that the shop owner must deliver food grain to such beneficiaries at his/her doorstep positively by 30th of the month.

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