

Ration possible from any shop in Thrissur Taluk

Thrissur: Civil Supplies officials in Thrissur taluk on Thursday came up with an official release citing that with the successful implementation of the Aadhaar portability, ration card holders who have registered their Aadhaar in the E-Pos machine can buy grains and kerosene from any of the ration shops across the state. Even though ration portability has been implemented all across the state, it is the Thrissur taluk which has come up with such an official statement at first, a Civil Supplies official here said.

"The beneficiaries need to carry their ration cards to the ration shops, whichever is convenient to them, and after finger print analysis, they can buy grains and kerosene allotted to them," taluk supply officer P.R. Jayachandran said.

He also said that after the inspection began this year, as many as 14,350 card holders were removed from the priority list in his taluk as they were found to have good living conditions, while 6,140 card holders from minimal living circumstances were added to the priority list. They were earlier issued non-priority cards due to technical glitches, he noted. In Thrissur district, the total number of beneficiaries who were removed from the priority list has now gone above 30,000.