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What are the reformative steps taken by the Government to make food grain distribution system more effective?

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NFSA 2013

National Food Security Act: legal cover for up to 75 per cent rural and 50 per cent urban population at central issue prices.

AAY

Antyodaya Anna Yojana: poorest households entitled to 35 kg of grain per month under NFSA.

ONORC

One Nation One Ration Card under IM-PDS: portability of NFSA entitlements across participating States for migrants.

Shanta Kumar Committee 2015

High-level committee on FCI that recommended leaner stocks, better targeting, and selective cash transfer.

ePoS

Electronic point-of-sale at Fair Price Shops to authenticate beneficiaries and record offtake.

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