



Abstract

Agriculture - Cyclone "Ockhi" – Assistance for Area Expansion of Banana for Re - cultivation of banana by affected farmers of Tuticorin district – Inter Project Diversion of Funds to the tune of Rs.171.15 lakh under National Agriculture Development Programme – Permission accorded – Orders - Issued.

Agriculture (AP1) Department

G.O.(2D) No.71

Dated 06.04.2018

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2049, பங்குனி 23

Read:

1. G.O Ms.No.192, Agriculture (AP1) Department, dated 31.07.2017
2. G.O Ms.No.167, Agriculture (AP1) Department, dated.12.12.2017
3. From the Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops, Letter No.GOI/18441/2017, dated 12.03.2018.
4. From the Executive Director, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, Letter No.3333/TAWDEVA/NADP/2016, dated 13.3.2018.

ORDER

In the Government Order 1st read above, orders were issued according administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.2900.09 lakh and financial sanction for a sum of Rs.1450.045 lakh as 1st instalment release for implementation of the various projects of the Department of Horticulture and Plantation Crops under National Agriculture Development Programme / Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana 2017-18.

2. Subsequently, in the Government Order 2nd read above, a sum of Rs.1450.045 lakh as 2nd instalment was released.

3. In the letter 3rd read above, the Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops has requested to divert an amount of Rs.92.32 Lakh from PP.No.15.15 "AESA based Integrated Pest Management" and Rs.78.84 Lakh from PP.No.15.16 "Assistance for Crop Specific Harvest, post-harvest and protective equipment" to the PP.No.15.17 "Area expansion in Horticulture Crops in non National Horticulture Mission (NHM) Districts", area Expansion of Banana in Tuticorin district, a sub component. He has also stated that based on the farmers need and potential of the crops, diversion has already been made within the area expansion programme and requested the Government to ratify this inter project diversion. The component wise physical and financial diversion proposed is given below:-

(p.t.o.)

(Rs. in lakh)

Sl. No	Projects	Project Sanctioned		Amount proposed for utilization		Proposed Diversion	
		Physical	Finance	Physical	Finance	Physical	Finance
1	AESA based Integrated Pest Management	17225 ha	325.00	12838.00 ha	232.68	-4387.00 Ha	-92.32
2	Assistance for Crop Specific Harvest, post-harvest and protective equipment	7992 nos	450.05	6995.00 nos	371.21	-997.00 Nos	-78.84
3a	Area expansion in Horticulture Crops in non NHM Districts	3392 ha	500.09	3320.00 ha	500.09		
b	Area Expansion in Banana in Tuticorin district- Ockhi Relief	0	0	488.92 Ha	171.15	+488.92 Ha	+171.15
	Total		1275.14		1275.14		

4. In the letter 4th read above, the Executive Director, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency has recommended the proposal of the inter project diversion of Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops.

5. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops and the Executive Director, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, ratify the action of the Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops for having done the inter project diversion of funds to the tune of Rs.171.15 lakh, in view of the Cyclone 'Ockhi' hit on 30.11.2017 which caused damage to Banana Crops in Tuticorin District and accord permission for inter project diversion of funds as follows:

(Rs.in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the project	SLSC approved amount	Down sized amount	1 st release	2 nd release	total release	diversion proposed now for Tuticorin district for Ockhi relief	Balance amount for implementation
1	PP.No.15.15 AESA based Integrated Pest Management	500.00	325.00	162.50	162.50	325.00	92.31	232.69

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2	PP.No.15.16 Assistance for Crop Specific Harvest, post-harvest and protective equipment	600.00	450.00	225.000	225.000	450.00	78.84	371.16
3	PP.No.15.17 Area expansion in Horticulture Crops in non NHM Districts	500.09	500.09	250.045	250.045	500.09		
	Total		1275.09	637.545	637.545	1275.09	*171.15	603.85

(* Inter project diversion for a sum of Rs.171.15 lakh for the damage caused to banana plantation in Tuticorin District.)

6. The Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops is directed to place this inter project diversion of funds in the ensuing State Level Sanctioning Committee meeting and the project shall be completed without further diversion or deviation within the stipulated time.

7. The Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops shall strictly adhere the instructions issued in the G.O.1st read above.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O.No.14474/Agri/2018, Dated: 04.04.2018.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

GAGANDEEP SINGH BEDI
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION COMMISSIONER AND
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops, Chennai -5.

The Director of Agriculture, Chennai - 5.

The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering), Chennai -35.

The Commissioner of Agricultural Marketing & Agri-Business, Chennai -32.

The Director of Seed Certification and Organic Certification, Coimbatore-13.

The Director of Sugar, Chennai-35.

The Vice Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Agriculture University, Coimbatore-3.

The Executive Director, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, Chennai-32.

The Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi -110 001.

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