

ABSTRACT

Agriculture – Coconut Development Board assisted schemes – Implementation of the scheme "Integrated Farming in Coconut Holding for Productivity Improvement – Laying out of Demonstration Plots (New & Maintenance)" during 2015 – 2016 – Financial sanction for a sum of Rs.21,87,500/- Accorded – Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE (H2) DEPARTMENT

G.O (Ms) No.112

Dated: 04.03.2016 Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2044, Masi 21 Read:

- 1.G.O.(Ms) No.182, Agriculture (H2) Department, dated 26.08.2015.
- 2.G.O.(Ms) No.264, Agriculture (H2) Department, dated 24.11.2015.
- 3. From the Commissioner of Agriculture, Letter No.OPC3/ 74676 / 2015, dated 22.02.2016.

ORDER:

In the Government order first read above administrative approval was accorded for implementation of Coconut Development Board assisted schemes in Tamil Nadu during 2015 - 16 at an outlay of Rs.1,87,50,000/- of which the share of the Coconut Development Board is Rs.1,37,50,000/- and share of the State Government is Rs.50,00,000/-. In the above order among other things, administrative approval was accorded for implementation of the scheme "Integrated Farming in Coconut Holdings for Productivity Improvement – Laying out of Demonstration Plots (New & Maintenance)" in 500 ha, at a cost of Rs. 87,50,000/-, which is 100% funded by Coconut Development Board.

2. Consequent on the release of Rs.65,60,100/- as first release by Coconut Development Board and unspent balance amount of Rs.2400/-, orders have been issued in the Government order second read above according financial sanction for a sum of Rs.65,62,500/- for implementation of the scheme "Integrated Farming in Coconut Holdings for Productivity Improvement – Laying out of Demonstration Plots (New & maintenance)" for maintenance of plots of 250 ha & new demonstration plots of 250 ha (50%) during 2015-2016.

3. The Commissioner of Agriculture in his letter third read above has stated that the Coconut Development Board has now released a sum of 21,87,500/- for implementation of the scheme "Integrated Farming in Coconut Holdings for Productivity Improvement-Laying out of Demonstration Plots (New & maintenance)" for laying of New plots in 250 Ha during 2015-16 and the same has been remitted into the Government account. The Commissioner of Agriculture has requested to issue financial sanction for a sum of Rs.21,87,500/- for new Demonstration Plots in 250 ha (50%) towards implementation of the "Integrated Farming in Coconut Holdings for Productivity Improvement—Laying out of Demonstration Plots scheme during the year 2015-2016. The breakup details are as below:-

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1.	Administrative approval issued for the implementation of the scheme during 2015-16.	Rs.87,50,000/-
2.	Financial sanction already issued as first installment for maintenance plot of 250 Ha & new demonstration plots of 250 ha (50%) during 2015-16 vide G.O.(Ms) No.264, Agriculture (H2) Department, dated 24.11.2015. (CDB release Rs. 65,60;100/- & Unspent balance amount Rs.2400/-)	Rs.65,62,500/-
3	Balance amount to be released by Coconut Development Board	Rs.21,87,500/-
4	Amount now released by Coconut Development Board.	Rs.21,87,500/-
5.	Financial sanction now requested	Rs.21,87,500/-

- 4. The Government after careful consideration, accord financial sanction for a sum of Rs.21,87,500/- (Rupees twenty one lakh eighty seven thousand and five hundred only) for implementation of the scheme "Integrated Farming in Coconut Holdings for Productivity Improvement-Laying out of new Demonstration Plots in 250 Ha during 2015-2016.
- 5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

2401 – 00 Crop Husbandry 114 – Development of Oilseeds III Centrally Sponsored schemes – SB – Integrated farming in Coconut holding for productivity improvement – 11 Subsidies – 01 Individual Based Subsidy.

[DPC No.2401-00-114 SB 1116]

- 6. The Commissioner of Agriculture is authorized to draw the expenditure as sanctioned in para 4 above.
- 7. The Commissioner of Agriculture is directed to send detailed periodical reports to Government on the implementation of the schemes for information and review. He is also requested to utilize the entire amount during 2015-2016 for implementation of scheme.
- 8. The progress reports in respect of the scheme indicating physical and financial achievements including the receipts accrued, if any, shall be furnished to Coconut Development Board regularly by the 10th of every month. In addition to the physical and financial progress reports, quantitative report on the outcome of the programme shall be sent to Coconut Development Board with reference to the objective of the programme.
- 9. The Commissioner of Agriculture is also instructed to ensure that the utilization certificate and details of unspent balance, if any, are furnished to the Coconut Development Board / Government in time.
- 10. The operational guidelines and other directions issued by the Coconut Development Board shall be followed strictly while implementing the schemes.
- 11. The Commissioner of Agriculture is also requested to give suitable directions to the District Joint Directors of Agriculture, Deputy Directors of Agriculture and Assistant Directors of Agriculture and field units to extend necessary assistance in implementing the programme benefiting the farming community.
- 12. The Commissioner of Agriculture is also requested to ensure that the Physical and Financial target fixed for the project are to be achieved fully for the year 2015-2016 without fail.
- 13. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O. No.16712/Agriculture/2016, dated 04.03.2016.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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