



ABSTRACT

Agriculture – National Agriculture Development Programme / Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana 2015-16 – Implementation of the Project proposals of Department of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business - Sanction of Rs.420.06 lakh – Orders Issued.

AGRICULTURE (AP1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms). No. 212

Dated: 29.09.2015

Thiruvalluvar Aandu, 2046, Purattasi-12

Read:

1. G.O.Ms.No.148, Agriculture (AP1) Department, dated 25.09.2014.
2. G.O.Ms.No.48, Agriculture (AP1) Department, dated: 03.03.2015.
3. Government letter No.2655/AP1/2015-8, Agriculture Department, dated 12.6.2015
4. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Ministry of Agriculture Letter No.1-24/2015-RKVY, Dated 17.07.2015.
5. From the Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business, letter No.ABS/31735/2014, dated 22.7.2015.

ORDER:

In the G.O. first read above, sanction was accorded for Rs.144.73 lakh out of total project cost of Rs.413.00 lakh for 1st year activities for the project Promotion of Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) for Lead Crops. Likewise, in the G.O. second read above, out of total project cost of Rs.426.72 lakh, orders were issued sanctioning a sum of Rs. 50.75 lakh for 1st year activities for the project Promotion of Farmer Producer Organizations for attaining self sufficiency in Pulses and Red gram under NADP during the year 2014-15.

2. During the 13th State Level Sanctioning Committee Meeting of National Agriculture Development Programme held on 05.06.2015 under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary to Government to sanction the project proposals for the year 2015-16, the following proposals of the Department of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business were approved to release the balance amount admissible for implementation of the scheme during the year 2015-16 along with observations as mentioned in the minutes of the above meeting:-

(Rs.in lakh)

Sl. No.	Name of the Project P.P.No.13.O.1	Cost of the Project for 3 years	Financial Sanction for 2014-15	Amount to be released for 2015-16	GOI share	State share
1	Promotion of Farmer Producer Organizations (FPOs) for Lead Crops	413.00	144.73	142.84	71.42	71.42

2	Promotion of Farmer Producer Organizations for attaining self sufficiency in Pulses and Red gram	426.72	50.75	277.22	138.61	138.61
	Total	839.72	195.48	420.06	210.03	210.03

3. Accordingly, the Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business has submitted the above proposals to Government for issue of orders.

4. The Government after careful examination, accept the proposals of Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business and accord approval for the above detailed project proposals and sanction a sum Rs.420.06 lakh (Rupees Four crore twenty lakh and six thousand only) (Rs.210.03 lakh GOI share: Rs.210.03 lakh State share) for the above purpose to the implementing Agency i.e. Department of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business under National Agriculture Development programme / Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana 2015-16, subject to the condition that under no circumstances any deviation from the decision of the State Level Sanctioning Committee is permitted. The funding pattern of the scheme is 50:50 sharing basis between the Central and State Governments.

5. The funds available under existing Centrally Sponsored / Central Sector Schemes should invariably be tapped before using Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana / National Agriculture Development Programme funds for the above projects. The projects should follow centrally prescribed cost norms and approved pattern of assistance. The Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business should take due care to ensure that there is no duplication of subsidy.

6. The Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business should personally oversee and ensure the technical, quality control and reasonableness of rates and estimates of the implementation of the schemeS.

7. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to the following Head of Account:-

2435-Other Agricultural Programmes – 01 - Marketing and Quality Control
- 800 - Other Expenditure – Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan – II
State Plan - JA - National Agriculture Development Programme (NADP-
RKVY) -Department of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business.
33 Payments for Professional and Special Services.
03 Special Services.
(DPC 2435 -01 -800-JA-3333)

8. Necessary additional funds of Rs.420.06 lakh will be provided in Revised Estimate / Final Modified Appropriation 2015-16 by the way of re-appropriation under the head of account 2401 00 800 KF 1101. Pending provision of such funds in Revised Estimate / Final Modified Appropriation 2015-16, the Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 4 above to the concerned by relaxing quarterly restriction of funds. However, this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of Legislature by

specific inclusion in the Supplementary Estimates 2015-16. He is also requested to include this item of expenditure while sending proposals for Revised Estimate / Final Modified Appropriation 2015-16 and also to send necessary explanatory notes for including the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates 2015-16 to Government in Finance (Agri / BG-I) Department without fail.

9. The Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business shall observe the comments / suggestions of State Level Sanctioning Committee while implementing the respective projects.

10. The Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business is directed to follow the respective guidelines while implementing the schemes.

11. The Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency which is the Nodal Agency, in consultation with the Head of Departments' to prescribe benchmarks for outcomes, milestones with time lines and monitor the outcomes through RDMIS to ensure that they are adhered to by the implementing departments.

12. The Executive Director, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency is requested to send the monthly progress report to the Government of India, in the prescribed format by 10th of the subsequent month under intimation to this Government without fail.

13. In the G.O 2nd read above, the Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agriculture-Business is permitted to change one of the place of Formation of Farmer Producer Organizations' (FPOs) from Madurai to Thoothukudi District. He is also directed to place the above change in the ensuing State Level Sanctioning Committee for approval and ratification.

14. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.43189/Agri/2015, dated: 18.08.2015 and Additional Sanction Ledger No.769 (Seven Hundred and Sixty Nine).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

RAJESH LAKHONI
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION COMMISSIONER
AND SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Agricultural Marketing and Agri-Business, Chennai -32.

The Director of Agriculture, Chennai - 5.

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

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

The Director of Seed Certification, Coimbatore-13.

The Director of Sugar, Chennai-35.

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

The Commissioner of Milk Production and Dairy Development, Chennai-51.

The Commissioner of Fisheries, Chennai-6.

The Registrar, Tamil Nadu Fisheries University, Nagapattinam – 611001.

The Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, Chennai-6.

The Vice-Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University,
Chennai-51.

The Executive Director, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, Chennai-32.
The Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi -110 001.
The Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Animal Husbandry, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi -110 001.
The Adviser (Agriculture), Planning Commission, Government of India, Yojana Bhawan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110 001.
The Professor and Head (CPME), National Institute of Rural Development, Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India, Rajendra Nagar, Hyderabad- 500 030.
The Secretary to Government, Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries Department, Chennai-9.
The Member-Secretary, State Planning Commission, Chennai-5
All District Collectors.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai - 8/Chennai - 35/Chennai-1.
The Treasury Officer / Sub-Treasury Officer concerned.
The Principal Accountant General, (AE / Audit) Chennai - 18.
The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA), Chennai - 18.
The Principal Accountant General (E&RSA), Chennai - 18.
The Resident Audit Officer, O/o Principal Accountant General (General and Social Sector Audit), Chennai - 9.

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The Private Secretary to Agricultural Production Commissioner and Secretary to Government, Chennai - 9.
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The Planning, Development and Special Initiatives Department, Chennai -9.
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P. Samik.
29/9/2015
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