

ABSTRACT

Agriculture – Agricultural Engineering Department – Central assistance scheme of "Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization" – 2019 - 2020 – Permission for Establishment of Village level Custom Hiring Centre by the Producer Groups / Panchayat Level Federations formed by Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women(TNCDW) Limited – Granted – Orders - Issued.

Agriculture (AE.I) Department

G.O.(Ms).No.236

Dated: 11.10.2019 திருவள்ளுவராண்டு 2050 விகாரி, புரட்டாசி 24–ஆம் நாள்

Read:

- 1) G.O (Ms) No.107, Agriculture(AE1) Department, Dated 07.06.2019.
- 2) G.O (Ms) No.154, Agriculture(AE1) Department, Dated 30.07.2019.
- 3) Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women (TNCDW) Limited, Chennai-34 Letter No. 3822/2018/ TNSRLM-LP, Dated 26.06.19 and 20.08.2019.
- 4) Chief Engineer(Agricultural Engineering) letter No.AM1/24708/2019, dated 09.09.2019

Order:

In the Government Order 1st read above, among others orders have been issued for sanction an amount of Rs.2904 lakh for the establishment of 363 Nos of Village level Custom Hiring Centres under "Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization" 2018 - 2019 revalidated for the year 2019 - 2020. In the Government Order 2nd read above, among others orders have been issued for sanction an amount of Rs.1920 lakh under Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization 2019-2020 for establishment of 240 Nos of Village level Custom Hiring Centres.

2) In the letter 4th read above the Chief Engineer(Agricultural Engineering) has stated that the Village level custom Hiring Centres are at present established in the clusters formed under the scheme "Mission on Sustainable Dryland Agriculture (MSDA)" - Phase III programme on priority basis and totally 352 Nos has been allocated (General-308 Nos and SCP- 44 nos) as against 603 Nos sanctioned in Government Orders referred above.

- 3) In the letters 3rd read above the Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women (TNCDW) Limited., Chennai have informed that they are operating schemes exclusively for the welfare of rural small/ Marginal women farmers to upscale their livelihood through sustainable Agriculture and Animal Husbandry practices and as one of the practices they planned to establish Custom Hiring Centres through Women Panchayat Level Federations(PLF) which were also registered under Societies Act.
- 4) The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineer) has stated that the Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women(TNCDW) Limited, Chennai has got sanction from State Balance Growth Fund (SBGF) to assist Producer groups/ Panchayat Level Federations to take up Farm mechanization in IAMWARM project areas to drive SRI cultivation. Hence they proposed to establish 250 Village level Custom Hiring Centres with the contribution of 80% under Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization from Agricultural Engineering Department, 15% by State Balance Growth Fund (SBGF) Project and 5% contribution by Producer Groups/ Panchayat Level Federations.
- 5) The Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women(TNCDW) Limited, Chennai have sent a proposal to Chief Engineer(Agricultural Engineering) for the allocation of 250 Nos of Village level Custom Hiring Centres to all the districts except Chennai and Nilgiris District.
- 6) Hence, the Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has requested the permission for allocating remaining 251 Nos of Village level Custom Hiring Centres available from the sanctioned target under Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization to the Women Panchayat Level Federations(PLF)/ Producer groups formed by Tamii Nadu Corporation for Development of Women(TNCDW) Limited, Chennai.
- 7) The Government after careful consideration accept the proposal of Chief Engineer(Agricultural Engineering) and to permit the Chief Engineer(Agricultural Engineering) to allocate the remaining 251 Nos of Village level Custom Hiring Centres, available from the sanctioned target under Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization to the Women Panchayat Level Federations(PLF)/ Producer groups, formed by Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women(TNCDW) Limited., Chennai, subject to not to deviate the guidelines of Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization in any circumstances.
- 8) This orders issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No47466/Agri/2019, dated:10.10.2019.

//By Order Of The Governor//

Gagandeep Singh Bedi Agricultural Production Commissioner and Principal Secretary To Government

To

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

The Director of Agriculture, Chennai-5.

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

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Co-operation and Farmers Welfare, New Delhi 110 001.

The Commissioner of Treasuries and Accounts, Chennai-15.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-35.

The Treasury Officers /Sub Treasury Officers concerned.

The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA), Chennai-18.

The Principal Accountant General (E&RSA), Chennai-18.

The Deputy Accountant General/ ES-I, Office of Accountant General (E&RSA), Chennai – 18.

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The Senior Private Secretary to Agricultural Production Commissioner and Principal Secretary to Government, Agriculture Department, Chennai-9.

The Agriculture (OP3) Department, Chennai – 9. (for indexing purpose)

The Assistant Programmer, Agriculture Department, Chennai – 9. Stock file / Spare copies.

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