



## ABSTRACT

Agriculture – Implementation of Federated Database of Farmers - Constitution of “**Sub Committee for development of land records based Centralized Farmers' Database and creation of Framework for Digital Ecosystem of Agriculture**” -- Orders – Issued.

### AGRICULTURE (AP2) DEPARTMENT

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2050, விகாரி, ஐப்பசி மாதம் 19- ஆம் நாள்

G.O.(Ms).No.254.

Dated: 05.11.2019.

Read:

1. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, New Delhi Office Memorandum F.No.Z-11018/10/2019-IT, dated 25.10.2019.
2. From the Director of Agriculture, letter No.GOI3/94984/2019, dated 31.10.2019.

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### ORDER:

The Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Co-operation and Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare have constituted a Task Force under the Chairmanship of the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Co-operation and Farmers Welfare with Shri. J.Satyanarayana, former Secretary, MeitY and Ex-Chairman, UIDAI as Co-Chairman, to finalise the concept note / blue print for pilot projects and to suggest further course of action to be taken for development of land records based Centralized Farmers' Database and creation of framework for Digital Ecosystem of Agriculture. The First meeting of the Task Force was held on 25.10.2019 and a Steering Committee headed by the Additional Secretary (IT) with the President and Chief Executive Officer, NeGD as Co-Chairperson was also constituted to monitor weekly progress of Pilot Implementation for Federated Database of Farmers with the Members of the Steering Committee. In the above Committee, Secretary level representatives from States viz. Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra, Tripura, Andhra Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Odisha have been included as Members. The first meeting of the Steering Committee was held on 30.10.2019 through video conferencing.

2. The Director of Agriculture has reported that, in the meeting it has been requested that the three flagship schemes viz. PMKISAN, Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana and Soil Health Card are to be integrated with land records of respective States to create Farmer database, for which 60 villages @ 10 villages of one District from each State have to be selected for the pilot purpose and the common fields of the above database should be studied and define the procedure for integration with land records

and to form a Sub-Committee consisting of representatives from Agriculture, Revenue / Land records Department and State NIC immediately so as to attend the Video Conference on every Wednesday 4.00 p.m. to discuss the progress of Pilot Implementation for Federated Database of Farmers.

3. The Director of Agriculture has, therefore, requested the Government to issue suitable orders for the formation of **“Sub Committee for Centralized Farmers’ Database and creation of Framework for Digital Ecosystem of Agriculture”** as detailed below:-

- (i) Director of Agriculture – Member–Secretary;
- (ii) Director of Survey and Settlement – Member; and
- (iii) State Informatics Officer, NIC, Tamil Nadu – Member;

4. The Government, after careful examination of the above proposal of the Director of Agriculture, hereby constitute a **“Sub Committee for development of land records based Centralized Farmers’ Database and creation of Framework for Digital Ecosystem of Agriculture”** with the following composition:-

- (i) Director of Agriculture – Member–Secretary;
- (ii) Director of Survey and Settlement – Member; and
- (iii) State Informatics Officer, NIC, Tamil Nadu – Member;

5. The Committee shall take necessary action to integrate the three schemes viz. PMKISAN, Pradhan Mantri Fasal Bima Yojana and Soil Health Card with land records to create farmers database @ 10 villages of one District for the pilot purpose and the common fields of the above database should be studied and the procedure for integration with land records has to be defined.

6. The Government direct that the Members of the Committee shall attend the Video Conference to be conducted by the Government of India on every Wednesday to discuss the progress of Pilot Implementation for Federated Database of Farmers and to send a report on the outcome to the Government.

(By Order of the Governor)

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