

Abstract

Agriculture – Implementation of Seed Village Programme of the Sub-Mission on Seeds & Planting Material under National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) during 2017-2018 - Sanctioned – Orders – Issued.

Agriculture (AP2) Department

G.O.(Ms).No.261

Dated:26.10.2017 ஹேவிளம்பி வருடம், ஐப்பசி, 9 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2048 Read:

- 1. G.O.(Ms).No.7, Agriculture (AP2) Department, dated:06.01.2017.
- 2. G.O.(Ms).No.144, Agriculture (AP2) Department, dated: 13.06.2017.
- 3. From the Director of Agriculture letter No.TANSEDA3/41636/2017, dated: 29.06.17 addressed to Government of India.
- 4. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmer's Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Co-operation and Farmer's Welfare, New Delhi letter No.10-5/2013-SD VI, dated: 30.06.2017.
- 5. From the Director of Agriculture letter No.TANSEDA 3/41636/ 2017, dated: 07.07.2017.
- 6. From the Director of Agriculture letter No.TANSEDA 3/41636/2017 dated: 21.08.2017.
- 7. G.O. (Ms.) No.259, Agriculture (AP2) Department, dated: 21.10.2017

ORDER:-

In the Government order first read above, orders have been issued according administrative approval and sanction for an amount of Rs.1370.00 lakh (GOI share Rs.822.00 lakh and State share Rs.548.00 lakh) for the implementation of the Seed Village Programme and certified seed production of the Sub-Mission on Seeds and Planting Material (SMSP) under National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) during 2016-17 as detailed below.

(Rs.in lakh)

| SI.No | Component | General (82 %) | SC (16 %) | ST (2 %) | Total | Total Amount sanctioned | | | |
|-------|---|-------------------|--------------|-------------|---------|-------------------------|--------|---------|--|
| | | | | | | GOI | State | Total | |
| 1 | Certified Seed Distribution (60: 40) | 959.40 | 187.20 | 23.40 | 1170.00 | 702.00 | 468.00 | 1170.00 | |
| 2 | Certified Seed Production (60:40) | 164.00 | 32.00 | 4.00 | 200.00 | 120.00 | 80.00 | 200.00 | |
| | Total | 1123.40 | 219.20 | 27.40 | 1370.00 | 822.00 | 548.00 | 1370.00 | |

- 2. In the Government Order second read above, orders have been issued to dovetail an amount of Rs.432.00 lakh for Kuruvai Package 2017 from Submission on Seed and Planting Materials 2017 under certified Seed Distribution component.
- 3. In the letter third read above, the Director of Agriculture has forwarded the revised proposal to Government of India for approval and implementation of the Seed Village Programme during 2017-18 at a total cost of Rs.51.67 crore (Central share Rs.31.00 crore and State share Rs.20.67 crore) as detailed below:-

| Name of component | Physical Target | Sharing pattern | Total Allocation proposed (Rs. In Crore) | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--|-------|-------|--|
| | (Qtl) | (%) | Centre | State | Total | |
| Seed Village Programme (SVP) | 1,07,437 | 60:40 | 25.22 | 16.82 | 42.04 | |
| Certified Seed Production (CSP) | 4,300 | 60:40 | 5.78 | 3.85 | 9.63 | |
| Total | | | 31.00 | 20.67 | 51.67 | |

4. The Government of India in their letter fourth read above have conveyed their sanction to release grants-in-aid amounting to Rs.8,00,00,000 (Government of India share) for implementation of the Seed Village Programme of the Sub-Mission on Seeds and Planting Material (SMSP) under National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) during 2017-18 as follows:-

| For ST farmers | Rs.16,00,000 |
|---------------------|----------------|
| For SC farmers | Rs.1,28,00,000 |
| For General farmers | Rs.6,56,00,000 |
| Total | Rs.8,00,00,000 |

5. Accordingly, the Director of Agriculture has furnished the component wise disaggregation of funds as earmarked by Government of India to the tune of Rs.1333.34 lakh (Government of India share Rs.800.00 lakh and State Government share Rs.533.34 lakh) including a sum of Rs.432.00 lakh have already been dovetailed for Kuruvai Package 2017 from Sub-Mission on Seeds and Planting as follows:-

(Rs.in lakh)

| SI. | Component | General | SCSP | STSP | Total | Total Amount sanctioned | | |
|-----|---|--------------|--------|-------|---------|--------------------------------|--------|---------|
| No | | (82 %) | (16 %) | (2 %) | | GOI | State | Total |
| 1 | Seed Village Programn | ne (SVP) (60 | 0:40) | | | | | |
| а | Certified Seed Distribution | 611.07 | 100.27 | 23.33 | 734.67 | 440.80 | 293.80 | 734.67 |
| b | Kuruvai Package 2017 (dovetailed) | 345.60 | 86.40 | 0.00 | 432.00 | 259.20 | 172.80 | 432.00 |
| | Total (1) | 956.67 | 186.67 | 23.33 | 1166.67 | 700.00 | 466.67 | 1166.67 |
| 2 | 'F' Seed distribution under (CSP) (60:40) | 136.67 | 26.67 | 3.33 | 166.67 | 100.00 | 66.67 | 166.67 |
| | Total | 1093.34 | 213.34 | 26.66 | 1333.34 | 800.00 | 533.34 | 1333.34 |

6. Since the amount of Rs.432.00 lakh has been dovetailed to Kuruvai Package 2017 and already released under the respective Heads of Accounts vide G.O. second read above, the Director of Agriculture has requested the Government (i) to issue orders to sanction an amount of Rs.901.34 lakh for implementation of SMSP under NMAET during 2017-18 as detailed below:-

(Rs.in lakh)

| SI. | Component | General (82 %) | SCSP (16 %) | STSP (2 %) | Total | Total Amount sanctioned | | |
|-----|---|-------------------|----------------|---------------|--------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| No | | | | | | GOI | State | Total |
| 1 | Seed Village Programme (SVP) (60:40) | 611.07 | 100.27 | 23.33 | 734.67 | 440.80 | 293.87 | 734.67 |
| 2 | 'F' Seed distribution under (CSP) (60:40) | 136.67 | 26.67 | 3.33 | 166.67 | 100.00 | 66.67 | 166.67 |
| | Total | 747.74 | 126.94 | 26.66 | 901.34 | 540.80 | 360.54 | 901.34 |

- (ii) An amount realized by way of distribution of seeds to the farmers under Seed Village Programme viz., farmers contribution may be remitted in TANSEDA savings bank account and
- (iii) to ratify his action for issue 'Go ahead' orders for implementation of above scheme during 2017-2018 in anticipation of the Government of India approval and commencement of sowing season.
- 7. In G.O. seventh read above, orders have been issued to dovetail an amount of Rs.250.00 lakh for Samba Special Package 2017 from Sub-Mission on Seeds and Planting 2017.
- 8. The Government after careful examination, accord administrative approval and for an amount of Rs.1333.34 lakh (Rupees Thirteen crore thirty three lakh and thirty four thousand only) (GOI share Rs.800.00 lakh and State share Rs.533.34 lakh) and Financial sanction of Rs.901.34 lakh for implementation of the Seed Village Programme and Certified Seed Production Under Sub-Mission on Seeds & Planting Material under National Mission on Agricultural Extension & Technology during 2017-2018 including Rs.250.00 lakh diverted to Samba Special Package 2017 as per the component wise details given below:-

(Rs.in lakh)

| SI. | Component | General (82 %) | SCSP (16 %) | STSP (2 %) | Total | Total Amount sanctioned | | |
|-----|---|-------------------|----------------|---------------|--------|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| No | | | | | | GOI | State | Total |
| 1 | Seed Village Programme (SVP) (60:40) | 611.07 | 100.27 | 23.33 | 734.67 | 440.80 | 293.80 | 734.67 |
| 2 | 'F' Seed distribution under (CSP) 60:40) | 136.67 | 26.67 | 3.33 | 166.67 | 100.00 | 66.67 | 166.67 |
| 1 7 | Total | 747.74 | 126.94 | 26.66 | 901.34 | 540.80 | 360.54 | 901.34 |

9. The expenditure sanctioned in para 7 above shall be debited to the following heads of account:-

"2401-00-Crop Husbandry – 102 – Food grains Crops – Schemes shared between State and Centre –UC – Production and Distribution of quality seeds - 09 Grants-in–Aid-03 Grants for specific schemes".

(DPC 2401-00-102-UC-0930)

"2401-00-Crop Husbandry – 789 Special component plan for Scheduled caste - Schemes shared between State and Centre – UR – Production and Distribution of quality seeds - 09 Grants-in-Aid-03 Grants for specific schemes".

(DPC 2401-00-789-UR-0936)

"2401-00-Crop Husbandry – 796 Tribal Area sub plan – Schemes shared between State and Centre - UM - Production and Distribution of Quality Seeds - 09 Grants-in–Aid-03 Grants for specific schemes".

(DPC 2401-00-796-UM-0931)

- 10. Necessary additional funds of Rs.25.00 lakh (9.34 lakh + 15.66 lakh) will be provided in Revised Estimate / Final Modified Appropriation 2017-18 under the relevant head of accounts. Pending provision of such funds the Director of Agriculture is permitted to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 7 above. However, the expenditure shall be brought to the notice of the Legislature by specific inclusion in the Supplementary Estimate 2017-18. The Director of Agriculture is requested to include this expenditure while sending the proposal for Revised Estimate / Final Modified Appropriation 2017-18 and also to send necessary draft explanatory notes for including the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates 2017-18 to Government in Finance (Agri/BG.I) Department at the appropriate time without fail.
- 11. The Government also ratify the action of the Director of Agriculture in having issued 'Go-ahead' orders to the districts for implementation of the scheme during 2017-2018. The amount realized by way of distribution of seeds to the farmers under Seed Village Programme viz., farmers shall be remitted in Tamil Nadu State Seed Development Agency Savings Bank account.
- 12. The Director of Agriculture is authorized to draw and disburse the amount under relevant heads of account sanctioned in para 7 above.
- 13. The Director of Agriculture is directed to follow the guidelines issued by Government of India for Sub-Mission on Seeds & Planting Material while implementing the Seed Village Programme.
- 14. The Director of Agriculture is requested to ensure that the funds are utilized for the purpose for which it was released (i.e. for General farmers / SC farmers / ST farmers) and no diversion of funds are allowed in any case. He is also directed to ensure that adequate funds are allocated for women farmers.

- 15. The Director of Agriculture is requested to submit the monthly Physical and Financial Progress Report regularly and Utilization Certificate in the prescribed proforma (GFR–19A) to Government of Tamil Nadu and Government of India.
- 16. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.52851/Agri/2017, dated.25.10.2017 and Additional Sanction Ledger No.1689 (One thousand Six Hundred and Eighty Nine).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

GAGANDEEP SINGH BEDI AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION COMMISSIONER AND PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Agriculture, Chennai-5.

The Accountant General, Chennai - 18.

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

The Resident Audit Officer, O/o. Principal Accountant General, (Social Sector Audit), Chennai-9.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Chennai-8.

The Treasury Officers concerned.

Copy to:

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmer's Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmer's Welfare, New Delhi.

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

The Finance (Agri/BG-I.II) Department, Chennai-9.

The Planning, Development and Special Initiatives Department, Chennai-9.

The Financial Controller, Office of the Director of Agriculture, Chennai-5.

The Agriculture (AP-2) Department, Chennai-9.

The Agriculture (OP-3) Department, Chennai-9.

The Data Entry Operator, Agriculture Department, Chennai -9.

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SECTION OFFICER

26/10/17