



ABSTRACT

Agriculture – Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension under National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) – Implementation of Support to State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms Scheme (SSEPERS-ATMA) 2015-16 – Sanction and release of Government of India and State share of Rs.235.642 lakh for procurement of Pico Projectors and Hand Held Devices – Orders Issued.

AGRICULTURE (AP1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.37

Dated: 28.01.2016

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு, 2017, தை-14

Read:

1. G.O (Ms).No.218, Agriculture (AP1) Department, dated: 05.10.2015
2. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, F.No.6-24/2014-AE/Extn.Desk, dated: 08.10.2015
3. From the Joint Director (Ext.Ref), Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, F.No.6-24/2014 -AE (PT), dated: 12.10.2015.
4. From the Joint Secretary (Extn), Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, F.No.9 (3)/2015-AE, dated: 16.11.2015
5. From the Director of Agriculture / State Nodal Officer (Extn. Reforms) Letter No.ATMA1/17747/2015, dated 17.12.2015.

ORDER:

In the Government Order 1st read above, orders were issued for sanction and release of 1st installment of Government of India and State share of Rs.3365.140 lakh towards implementation of Support to State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms (SSEPERS-ATMA) under Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension, National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) for the year 2015-16.

2. In the letter 2nd read above, the Government of India has released an amount of Rs.141.385 lakh under General component for procurement of Pico Projectors and Hand held devices under Support to the State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms (ATMA) component of centrally sponsored scheme Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension during 2015-16.

3. In the letter 4th read above, the Government of India have communicated revised tentative allocation of Rs.3080.860 lakh for implementation of Support to State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms Scheme (SSEPERS – ATMA) in Tamil Nadu State with the revised funding Pattern of 60%: 40% between the Centre and State for all components and 50%:50% for Farmers Friend component during 2015-16.

4. The main objectives of the scheme are converging of all line departments' programmes, decentralize the decision making, encouraging Public Private Extension Services, ensuring an integrated, broad - based extension delivery mechanism consistent with farming system approach, adopting group approach to extension and addressing gender concerns by mobilizing farm women into groups and providing training to them.

5. The Director of Agriculture has therefore requested the Government to release an amount of Rs.235.642 lakh (i.e) Rs.94.257 lakh being the 40% State share and Rs.141.385 lakh being the 60% share released by Government of India for procurement of Pico projectors and Hand held devices under Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension, National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) towards implementation of the scheme Support to State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms (ATMA) for the year 2015-16.

6. The Government after careful examination, accept the proposal of the Director of Agriculture and accord sanction for release of Rs.235.642 lakh (Rupees Two crore thirty five lakh sixty four thousand and two hundred only) (i.e) Rs.94.257 lakh being the 40% State share and Rs.141.385 lakh being the 60% share released by Government of India for procurement of Pico Projectors and Hand held devices under Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension, National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) towards implementation of the scheme Support to the State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms (ATMA) for the year 2015-16.

7. The expenditure sanctioned in para 6 above shall be debited to the following Head of Account:-

2401 – 00 – Crop Husbandry 109-Extension and Farmers-Training-Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-VI Schemes shared between State and Centre-UC. National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology. 09 Grants-in-Aid 03 Grants for Specific Schemes
(DPC 2401 00 109 UC 0936)

9. The Director of Agriculture is authorized to draw the Government of India release amount and corresponding State share totaling to Rs.235.642 lakh for procurement of Pico projector and Hand held devices and deposit it in the Agricultural Technology Management Agency (ATMA) Bank Account maintained at Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, the State Level Nodal Agency for the implementation of Support to State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms (SSEPERs) (ATMA) during the year 2015-16.

10. The Director of Agriculture is directed to follow the operational Guidelines of SMAE while implementing the above scheme.

11. The Director of Agriculture is directed to procure the Pico Projectors and Hand held devices as per the norms of Government of India.

12. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.3055/Agri/2016, dated: 28.01.2016

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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