



## ABSTRACT

Agriculture – National Agriculture Development Programme / Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana 2015 -16 – Implementation of the Project proposals of Department of Agricultural Engineering - Sanction of Rs.1300.00 lakh – Orders Issued.

### AGRICULTURE (AP1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms). No.53

Dated: 08.02.2016

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு, 2047, தை 25

Read:

1. Government letter No.2655/AP1/2015-8, Agriculture Department, dated 12.06.2015
2. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers Welfare, RKVY Cell Letter F.No.7-1/2015-RKVY, Dated 19.11.2015.
3. From the Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) letter No.AM1/46629/2014, dated: 25.6.2015 and 05.01.2016.

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### ORDER:

During the 13<sup>th</sup> 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, among others, the following proposals of Department of Agricultural Engineering were approved with observations as mentioned in the minutes of the above meeting:-

(Rs.in lakh)

Sl. No	P.P.No.	Name of the Project	Cost of the Project	SLSC Approved Amount
1	13.17	Agricultural Mechanization in Tamil Nadu	500.00	500.00
2	13.SA.4	Agricultural Mechanization in Tamil Nadu	4500.00	800.00
		TOTAL	5000.00	1300.00

2. Accordingly, the Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has sent the combined proposal for the project Agricultural Mechanization in Tamil Nadu to the tune of Rs.1300.00 lakh under National Agriculture Development Programme 2015-16 to Government for issue of orders.

3. The Government after careful examination, accept the proposals of Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) and accord approval for the following detailed project proposals and sanction a sum of Rs.1300.00 lakh (Rupees Thirteen crore only) for the above purpose to the implementing Agency i.e. Department of Agricultural Engineering 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 60:40 sharing basis between the Centre and State Governments:-

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4. 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 Department of Agricultural Engineering should take due care to ensure that there is no duplication of subsidy.

5. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) should personally oversee and ensure the technical, quality control and reasonableness of rates and estimates of the implementation of the schemes.

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above shall be debited to the following Head of Account and the component wise details of the projects as mentioned in the Annexure to this order:-

Agricultural Mechanization in Tamil Nadu

2402-00-Soil and Water Conservation-102-Soil Conservation Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan- II State Plan - JZ National Agriculture Development Programme (NADP-RKVY) – Agricultural Engineering Department.  
11 Subsidies -01 Individual Based Subsidy  
(DPC 2402-00-102-JZ -1111) – **Rs.1040.00 lakh**

2402-00-Soil and Water Conservation-789 Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes-Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-II State Plan-JC National Agriculture Development Programme (NADP-RKVY)-Agricultural Engineering Department under Special Component Plan.  
11 Subsidies-01 Individual Based Subsidy  
(DPC 2402-00-789-JC-1113)- **Rs.260.00 lakh**

7. Necessary additional funds will be provided in Final Modified Appropriation 2015-16. Pending provision of such funds in Final Modified Appropriation 2015-16, the Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 3 above by relaxing quarterly restriction of funds. However, this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of Legislature by specific inclusion in the Supplementary Estimates. He is also directed to include this item of expenditure while sending proposals for 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) Department without fail.

8. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is permitted to interchange the components according to the farmers demand within the total cost of the above project.

9. The subsidy allowed under the project Agricultural Mechanization in Tamil Nadu is 40% to general category farmers or limited subsidy prescribed for each machinery whichever is less and 50% to SCSP farmers or limited subsidy prescribed for each machinery whichever is less.

10. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) shall observe the comments / suggestions of State Level Sanctioning Committee while implementing the project.

11. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is directed to follow the respective operational guidelines while implementing the scheme.

12. 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.

13. 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 10<sup>th</sup> of the subsequent month under intimation to this Government without fail.

14. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.3694/Agri/2016, dated: 04.02.2016 and Additional Sanction Ledger No.2131 (Two Thousand One Hundred and Thirty One).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

S. VIJAYAKUMAR  
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION COMMISSIONER  
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To

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

The Director of Agriculture, Chennai - 5.

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

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

The Director of Seed Certification, Coimbatore-13.  
The Director of Sugar, Chennai-35.  
The Vice Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Agriculture University, Coimbatore-3.  
The Director of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, Chennai-6.  
The Commissioner of Milk Production and Dairy Development, Chennai-51.  
The Commissioner of Fisheries, Chennai-6.  
The Vice-Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University, Chennai-51.  
The Vice-Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Fisheries University, Nagapattinam – 611001.  
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.  
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**ANNEXURE**

(G.O.Ms.No.53, Agriculture (AP1) Department, Dated: 08.02.2016)

**1. Farm machinery / Implements for Distribution to General Category Farmers**

Sl. No	Name of the Agricultural Implements and Machinery	Average Unit Cost (Rs. in lakh)	For Other farmers		For Small, Marginal and Women Farmers		Grand Total Subsidy required (Rs. In lakh)
			Pattern of Assistance	Maximum eligible subsidy amount (Rs. in lakh)	Pattern of Assistance	Maximum eligible subsidy amount (Rs. in lakh)	
1	Power Tiller (8 BHP and above 8 BHP)	1.60	40%	0.60	50%	0.75	1040.00
2	Paddy transplanter (4 rows)	2.50	40%	0.75	50%	0.94	
3	Paddy Transplanter (Above 4 rows)	17.00	40%	2.00	40%	2.00	
4	Specialised Self Propelled Machinery; (1) Reaper; (2) Post Hole Digger; and (3) Pneumatic / other planter	1.50	40%	0.50	50%	0.63	
5	Rotavator	1.00	40%	0.50	50%	0.63	
6	Power weeder for Garden land / Wet land walk behind type including Brush cutter, Paddy Power Weeder	1.00	40%	0.20	50%	0.25	
7	Multicrop thresher	3.40	40%	0.50	50%	0.63	
8	Chaff Cutter (Operated by engine / electric motor below 3 HP) and by powertiller and tractor of below 20 BHP	0.40	40%	0.16	50%	0.20	

9	Chaff Cutter (Operated by engine / electric motor above 3-5 HP) and by powertiller and tractor of below 35 BHP	0.50	40%	0.20	50%	0.25		
10	Power operated knapsack sprayer (Capacity 8-12 lit, Above 12-16 lit, and above 16 lit) and Tractor mounted /operated sprayer (Below 20 BHP, 20-35 BHP and above 35 BHP)	0.20	40%	0.10	50%	0.13		
11	Manually operated tools including gender friendly equipments (Paddy drum seeder, coconut tree climber, dryland weeder, manually operated sprayers, etc..)	0.20	40%	0.08	50%	0.10		
							Total	1040.00

The above mentioned individual Agricultural Machinery / Implements subsidy assistance are as per the Sub-Mission on Agriculture Mechanisation guidelines. The allowable subsidy is as per the above pattern of the assistance of the basic cost of the machinery or the maximum permissible subsidy per equipment per beneficiary whichever is less.

2. Farm machinery / Implements for Distribution to Special Component Plan Farmers

Sl. No	Name of the Agricultural Implements and Machinery	Average Unit Cost (Rs. in lakh)	For SC/ ST Farmers		
			Pattern of Assistance	Maximum eligible subsidy amount (Rs. in lakh)	Total Subsidy required (Rs. In lakh)
1	Power Tiller (8 BHP and above 8 BHP)	1.60	50%	0.75	260.00
2	Paddy transplanter (4 rows)	2.50	50%	0.94	
3	Paddy Transplanter (Above 4 rows)	17.00	40%	2.00	
4	Specialised Self Propelled Machinery; (1) Reaper; (2) Post Hole Digger; and (3) Pneumatic / other planter	1.50	50%	0.63	
5	Rotovator	1.00	50%	0.63	
6	Power weeder for Garden land / Wet land walk behind type including Brush cutter, Paddy Power Weeder	1.00	50%	0.25	
7	Multi crop Thresher	3.40	50%	0.63	
8	Chaff Cutter (Operated by engine / electric motor below 3 HP) and by powertiller and tractor of below 20 BHP	0.40	50%	0.20	
9	Chaff Cutter (Operated by engine / electric motor above 3-5 HP) and by powertiller and tractor of below 35 BHP	0.50	50%	0.25	
10	Power operated knapsack sprayer (Capacity 8-12 lit, Above 12-16 lit, and above 16 lit) and Tractor mounted /operated sprayer (Below 20 BHP, 20-35 BHP and above 35 BHP)	0.20	50%	0.13	
11	Manually operated tools including gender friendly equipments (Paddy drum seeder, coconut tree climber, dryland weeder, manually operated sprayers, etc.,)	0.20	50%	0.10	
Total					260.00

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