



## ABSTRACT

Agriculture – Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension (SMAE) under National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) - Implementation of “Support to State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms Scheme (ATMA)” during the year 2014-15 – Sanction and release of 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of 90% Government of India share and 10% State Share of Rs.869.522 lakh - Orders Issued.

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### AGRICULTURE (AP1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms).No.63

Dated: 16.03.2015

Thiruvalluvar Aandu, 2045, Panguni-2

Read:

1. From the Joint Director (Extn Reforms), Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation Department, New Delhi F.No.27(6)/2014-AE, dated: 05.08.2014.
2. G.O.Ms.No.199, Agriculture (AP1) Department, dated 10.12.2014.
3. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation Department, New Delhi, Letter F.No.36-20/2012-AE/Extn. Desk, dated 02.02.2015.
4. From the Director of Agriculture / State Nodal Officer (Extn.Reforms) Letter No.ATMA1/11317/2014, Dated 09.02.2015 and 17.02.2015.

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### ORDER:

In the letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Technical Committee of Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Ministry of Agriculture, have approved an amount of Rs.12013.646 lakh and tentatively allocated an amount of Rs.4222.70 lakh for the State Extension Work Plan for the year 2014-15.

2. In the G.O. 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, orders were issued sanctioning an amount of Rs.2596.406 lakh as 1<sup>st</sup> installment (i.e) (Rs.485.056 lakh being the 10% State share and Rs.2111.35 lakh being the 90% share released by Government of India) towards implementation of the scheme “Support to the State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms (ATMA)” for the year 2014-15.

3. In the letter 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, Government of India have released Rs.782.570 lakh (Rs.626.050 lakh under General component, Rs.148.690 lakh under SCPSC component and Rs.7.830 lakh under TSP component) as 2<sup>nd</sup> installment towards Grants-in-Aid to the Tamil Nadu Government for implementation of Centrally Sponsored Scheme “Support to State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms (ATMA)” under Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension during 2014-15.

4. The Director of Agriculture in his letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above, has stated that the Government of India has accorded approval for implementation of Support to State Extension Programmes for Extension Reforms (ATMA) as a component of Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension (SMAE) under National Mission on Agricultural Extension and Technology (NMAET) during the year 2014-15. The funding pattern is

90:10 sharing basis by Government of India and State Government for all the Extension activities and manpower support, 50:50 support for Farmer Friend and 75:25 for Innovative Technology Dissemination (ITD) components and requested the Government to release 10% State Share of Rs.86.952 lakh and 90% Government of India share of Rs.782.570 lakh totaling to a sum of Rs.869.522 lakh, for implementation of the said scheme.

5. The Government after careful examination, accept the proposal of the Director of Agriculture and accord sanction for release of an amount of Rs.869.522 lakh (Rupees Eight crore sixty nine lakh fifty two thousand and two hundred only (i.e) Rs.86.952 lakh being the 10% State share and Rs.782.570 lakh being the 90% share released by Government of India as 2<sup>nd</sup> installment for Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension under NMAET towards implementation of the scheme "Support to the State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms (ATMA)" for the year 2014-15.

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para 5 above shall be debited to the Head of Account as mentioned in the Annexure to this order.

7. The Director of Agriculture is authorized to draw the entire amount of Rs.869.522 lakh sanctioned in para 5 above and deposit it in the ATMA Bank Account maintained at Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, the State Level Nodal Agency for release of the amount by means of cheque to the Agricultural Technology Management Agency (ATMA) for implementation of the Scheme.

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

9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No. 14427/Agri/2015, dated: 16.03.2015

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The Executive Director, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, Chennai 32.

All the District Collectors, (Except Chennai)

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi – 110 001.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai – 8/Chennai – 35

The Treasury Officer / Sub-Treasury Officer concerned.

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The Accountant General (Audit), Chennai-18.

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

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

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ANNEXURE

(G.O.(Ms).No.63, Agriculture (AP1) Department, Dated. 16.03.2015)

Name of the project	Amount (Rs.in Lakh)	Head of Account
Support to State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms Scheme (ATMA) under Sub-Mission on Agricultural Extension (SMAE).	695.611	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-Aids 03 Grants for Specific Schemes (DPC 2401 00 109 UC 0936)
	165.211	2401 – 00 – Crop Husbandry 789-Extension and Farmers Training Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-VI Schemes shared between State and Centre-UI. State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms. 09 Grants-in-Aids 03 Grants for Specific Schemes (DPC 2401 00 789 UI 0934)
	8.700	2401 – 00 – Crop Husbandry 796-Extension and Farmers Training Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-VI Schemes shared between State and Centre-UB. State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms. 09 Grants-in-Aids 03 Grants for Specific Schemes (DPC 2401 00 796 UB 0933)
Total	869.522	

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