



## ABSTRACT

Agriculture – DPAP - Second installment of funds (General category & SCSP Category) for implementation of water conservation works, drought proofing measure in complementarily and supplementation into watershed interventions under taken through IWMP supplementing material component of MGNREGA for water conservation management retaliated works, ground water recharge etc., under PMKSY “Other Interventions” in Tamil Nadu during the year 2016-17 – Sanction and Release a sum of Rs.16.66 Crore as Central and State matching Share – Orders – Issued.

### Agriculture (DPAP) Department

G.O. (Ms) No. 83

Dated 27.03.2017

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1. G.O.(Ms) No.304, Agriculture (DPAP) Department, dated 14.10.2016.
2. From the Under Secretary to GOI, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, letter No.19-47/2015-RFS-III, dated 01.03.2017. (2<sup>nd</sup> installment of General Category).
3. From the Under Secretary to GOI, Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, letter No.19-47/2015-RFS-III, dated 01.03.2017. (2<sup>nd</sup> installment of SCSP Category).
4. The Chief Executive Officer, SLNA, TAWDEVA, Letter No.2836/SLNA/2015, dated 07.03.2017.

### ORDER:

In the Government Order 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Government have sanctioned and released a sum of Rs.3916.666 lakhs as Central and State Share for Water Conservation and Water Harvesting works under PMKSY “Other Interventions” in Tamil Nadu during the year 2016-17. As per the guidelines 1% of the amount sanctioned above shall be utilized for monitoring and 1% for evaluation of Integrated Watershed Management Programme Projects.

2. In the letter 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the GOI have sanctioned 2<sup>nd</sup> installment a sum of Rs.1000.00 Lakh (Rupees One Thousand Lakhs only) towards the Central share to Tamil Nadu to implement Other interventions under PMKSY – Per Drop More Crop for water conservation works, drought proofing measure in complementarily and supplementation into watershed interventions under taken through Integrated Watershed Development Programme (IWMP)



supplementing material component of MGNREGA for water conservation management related works, ground water recharge etc., during the year 2016-17 as follows:-

Sl.No.	Category	Amount (Rs in lakhs)
1.	General	800.00
2.	TSP	10.00
3.	SCSP	190.00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1000.00</b>

3. In the letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above the Chief Executive Officer, SLNA, TAWDEVA has stated that the Government of India have also informed that the activities are to be implemented as per the approved Annual Action Plan (AAP) of PMKSY. The funding pattern of the scheme is 60% Central Share and 40% State Share. The Government of India have sanctioned and released the 2<sup>nd</sup> installment of Rs.1000.00 lakhs (60%) and the Government of Tamil Nadu have to release Rs.666.000 lakhs (40%) as State share in line with the Central share as detailed below.

(Rupees in Lakhs)

Sl.No.	Category	Central share released by Government of India (60%)	State share to be released by GoTN (40%)	Amount (Rs. in lakhs)
1.	General	800.000	533.333	1333.333
2.	SCSP	190.000	126.000	316.000
3.	TSP	10.000	6.667	16.667
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1000.000</b>	<b>666.000</b>	<b>1666.000</b>

4. Therefore, the Chief Executive Officer, SLNA, TAWDEVA has requested the Government to sanction and release a sum of Rs.1666.000 lakhs as 2<sup>nd</sup> installment towards the Central and State matching Share for implementing Other Interventions works under PMKSY in Tamil Nadu during the year 2016-17 and to authorize the Director of Agriculture, Chennai to draw the Central and State matching share for a sum of Rs.1666.000 lakhs (Rupees One thousand six hundred and sixty six lakhs only). He has also requested the Government the Director of Agriculture, Chennai may be authorized to draw and to disburse the amount to the Chief Executive Officer, State Level Nodal Agency savings bank account opened for the purpose and further release to implement "Other Interventions" works under of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) – Per Drop More Crop as per the common guidelines issued by the Government of India.

5. The Government after careful examination decided to accept the proposal of the Chief Executive Officer, SLNA, TAWDEVA and accord sanction a sum of Rs.16.66 Crore (Rupees Sixteen Crore and Sixty Six lakh only) to implement "Other interventions" under PMKSY – Per Drop More Crop for water conservation works, drought proofing measure in complementarily and supplementation in to watershed interventions under taken through Integrated Watershed Development Programme (IWMP) supplementing material component of MGNREGA for water conservation management related works, ground water recharge etc., under PMKSY during the year 2016-17 in sharing pattern of 60:40 basis. As per the



guidelines 1% of the amount sanctioned above shall be utilized for monitoring and 1% for evaluation of Integrated Watershed Management Programme Projects. The guidelines appended to this order shall be followed scrupulously.

6. The amount sanctioned in para 5 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

“2501 – Special Programmes for Rural Development – 05 Wasteland Development – 101 – National Wasteland Development Programme – Schemes in the Twelfth Five year plan – VI Schemes shared between State and Centre – UB – Integrated Watershed Management Programme – 09 – Grants – in –aid – 03– Grants for specific Schemes” (DP Code – 2501-05-101-UB-0938) – Rs.13.33333Crore.

“2501 – Special Programmes for Rural Development – 05 Wasteland Development – 789 – Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes - Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan – VI Schemes shared between State and Centre – UA – Integrated Watershed Management Programme under Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes – 09 – Grants–in–aid – 03 – Grants for Specific Schemes” (DP Code – 2501-05-789 -UA-0934) – Rs.3.16Crore.

“2501 – Special Programmes for Rural Development – 05 Wasteland Development – 796 Tribal Area Sub Plan – Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan – VI Schemes shared between State and Centre – UA – Integrated Watershed Management Programme – 09 – Grants – in –aid – 03 – Grants for specific Schemes”. (DP Code – 2501-05-796 -UA- 0939) – Rs.16,66,700/-

7. The Director of Agriculture is hereby authorized to draw and disburse the said amount to the Chief Executive Officer, State Level Nodal Agency, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency for further release of funds to Project Officer/Joint Director of Agriculture of District Watershed Development Agencies of concerned districts for the implementation of Integrated Watershed Management Programme projects as per the Common Guidelines of Government of India. The Chief Executive Officer, State Level Nodal Agency, Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency is authorized to utilize the amount earmarked for monitoring and evaluation of Integrated Watershed Management Programme projects.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Agriculture) Department vide its U.O.No. 13720/Fin(Agriculture)/2017, dated 27.03.2017.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**GAGANDEEP SINGH BEDI**  
**Agricultural Production Commissioner**  
**and Principal Secretary to Government**

To  
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The Chief Executive Officer, State Level Nodal Agency,  
Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency, Chennai-32.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Chennai-8.  
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-35.  
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai-18(by name)  
The Accountant General(G&SSA), Chennai-18  
The Principal Accountant General (E&RSA), Chennai – 18.  
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The Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers  
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**Guidelines for PMKSY – Per Drop More Crop - “Other Interventions”**

**G.O. (Ms) No. 83, Agriculture (DPAP) Department, dated 27.03.2017**

Government is committed to giving high priority to water security. It will complete the long pending irrigation projects on priority and launch the “Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana” with the motto of ‘Har Khet Ko Paani’. There is a need for seriously considering all options including linking of rivers, where feasible; for ensuring optimal use of our water resources to prevent the recurrence of floods and drought. By harnessing rain water through ‘Jal Sanchay’ and Jal Sinchan’, we will nurture water conservation and ground water recharge. Micro irrigation will be popularized to ensure ‘Per Drop – More Crop’.

Out of about 141 m.Ha of net area sown in the country, about 65 million hectare (or 45%) is presently covered under irrigation. Substantial dependency on rainfall makes cultivation in unirrigated areas a high risk, less productive profession. Empirical evidences suggest that assured or protective irrigation encourages farmers to invest more in farming technology and inputs leading to productivity enhancement and increased farm income.

The overarching vision of PMKSY will be to ensure access to some means of protective irrigation to all agricultural farms in the country, to produce ‘per drop more crop’, thus bringing much desired rural prosperity.

Main objective of the PMKSY is to achieve convergence of investments in irrigation at the field level (preparation of district level and, if required, sub district level water use plans).

- A. Enhance the physical access of water on the farm and expand cultivable area under assured irrigation (Har Khet Ko pani),
- B. Integration of water source, distribution and its efficient use, to make best use of water through appropriate technologies and practices.
- C. Improve on-farm water use efficiency to reduce wastage and increase availability both in duration and extent,
- D. Enhance the adoption of precision-irrigation and other water saving technologies (More crop per drop).
- E. Enhance recharge of aquifers and introduce sustainable water conservation practices.
- F. Ensure the integrated development of rainfed areas using the watershed approach towards soil and water conservation, regeneration of ground water, arresting runoff, providing livelihood options and other NRM activities.

- G. Promote extension activities relating to water harvesting, water management and crop alignment for farmers and grass root level field functionaries.
- H. Explore the feasibility of reusing treated municipal waste water for periurban agriculture, and
- I. Attract greater private investments in irrigation.

This will in turn increase agricultural production and productivity and enhance farm income.

**PMKSY (Per Drop More Crop)**

- A. Promoting efficient water conveyance and precision water application devices like drips, sprinklers, pivots, rain-guns in the farm (Jal Sinchan);
- B. Topping up of input cost particularly under civil construction beyond permissible limit (40%), under MGNREGS for activities like lining inlet, outlet, silt traps, distribution system etc.,
- C. Construction of micro irrigation structures to supplement source creation activities including tube wells and dug wells (in areas where ground water is available and not under semi critical / critical / over exploited category of development) which are not supported under AIBP, PMKSY (Har Khet Ko Pani), PMKSY (Watershed) and MGNREGS as per block / district irrigation plan.
- D. Secondary storage structures at tail end of canal system to store water when available in abundance (rainy season) or from perennial sources like streams for use during dry periods through effective on-farm water management;
- E. Water lifting devices like diesel / electric / solar pumpsets including water carriage pipes, underground piping system.

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