



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Agriculture Department - Various committees for the smooth implementation of the project 'Establishment of Smart Krishi Bhavans in Kerala under RIDF XXVII' - Constituted - Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (IFA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.934/2022/AGRI

Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 31-10-2022

- Read:- 1. G.O(Rt) No.275/2022/Agri dated 31.03.2022.
2. G.O(Rt) No.296/2022/Agri dated 08.04.2022.
3. Letter No.KLDC/AD/P&M/Smart Krishi Bhavan-RIDF/XXVI/22 dated 10.06.2022 of the Managing Director, Kerala Land Development Corporation, Thiruvananthapuram.
4. Proceedings No.ADFW/2680/2022-TV2 dated 22.08.2022 of the Director, Agriculture Development & Farmers' Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram.
5. Letter No.ADFW/2680/2022-TV2 dated 03.09.2022 of the Director, Agriculture Development & Farmers' Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

As per the Government Orders read as 1st and 2nd papers above, Administrative Sanction and revised Administrative Sanction was accorded for the project '**Establishment of Smart Krishi Bhavans in Kerala under RIDF XXVII**' for a total financial outlay of ₹31.5 Cr. The project is executed through the Kerala Land Development Corporation for the 'Department of Agriculture Development & Farmers' Welfare'. The Additional Director (Extension) will be the Project Manager of the Project. The Managing Director, Kerala Land Development Corporation, as per the letter read as 3rd paper above, has submitted a proposal and requested Government to constitute certain committees at various level for the effective implementation, operation and management of the said project. He has also requested to constitute a Special Cell at the Directorate of Agriculture for monitoring the day to day activity of the project.

2) A Special Cell has been constituted at the Directorate of Agriculture under the chairmanship of Director of Agriculture for monitoring the day to day activity of the project as per the proceedings read as 4th paper above.

3) Government have examined the matter and are pleased to constitute the following committees for the effective implementation of the project viz., 'Establishment of Smart Krishi Bhavans in Kerala under RIDF XXVII' being implemented through Kerala Land Development Corporation.

I. State Level Project Implementation Committee

Chairman:	The Secretary to Government, Department of Agriculture
Convener:	The Director, Department of Agriculture Development & Farmers' Welfare.
Members:	1. The Additional Director of Agriculture (Extension)
	2. The Additional Secretary to Government, Agriculture Department
	3. The Managing Director, Kerala Land Development Corporation
	4. Representative from IT Cell not below the rank of Additional Director of Agriculture
	5. State Agricultural Engineer, Department of Agriculture Development & Farmers' Welfare

Terms of Reference

1. Review of the project.
2. Monitoring of the Project Implementation by providing support to executing agency.
3. Suggesting measures for smooth functioning of Smart Krishibhavans after completion of the project.

II. Technical Committee

Chairman:	The Secretary to Government, Department of Agriculture
Convenor:	Chief Engineer/ Project Engineer, Kerala Land Development Corporation
Members:	1. The State Agricultural Engineer, Department of Agriculture Development & Farmers Welfare
	2. The Executive Engineer(Agriculture), Alappuzha. Kozhikkode

	3. Electrical Engineer (Retired.)
	4. Additional Director (Extensions)
	5. Representative from IT Wing not below the rank of Additional Director of Agriculture
	6. Senior Finance Officer, Directorate of Agriculture

Terms of Reference

1. Issue Technical Sanction of the Project.
2. Provide guidance and support on Technical decisions and processes.
3. Selection of best suitable bidding method. Pre-qualification of contractors/agencies. Guidance for preparation of bid documents and invitation of bids, their evaluation and recommendation for selection of Contracts/Tenders.
4. Ensuring technical quality and providing support for creating technical specifications for all components of the project.
5. Coordination and monitoring of the construction works with the executing agency.
6. Give suggestions for the smooth functioning of Smart Krishi Bhavans after the completion of the project.
7. Approval of recommendation of Committees regarding modification of components, revised estimate etc. all within the AS limit without deviating from the overall objective of project.

III. Project Implementation Committee at Krishi Bhavan Level

Chairman:	The Panchayat President of concerned panchayat in which Krishi Bhavan located.
Convenor:	The Agriculture Officer of concerned Krishi Bhavan
Members:	1. The Assistant Director of Agriculture
	2. The Deputy Director of Agriculture (concerned)
	3. The Panchayat member
	4. Representative from ADC
	5. Project-in-charge, Kerala Land Development Corporation
	6. The Agriculture Engineer of the District

Terms of Reference

Monitoring of the Project Implementation and management of assets after completion of project. The Committee has the power to modify the project within the AS & TS amount without deviating from the overall objective.

(By order of the Governor)
DR B ASHOK I A S
SECRETARY

To

The Director, Department of Agriculture Development and Farmers' Welfare,
Thiruvananthapuram

The Managing Director, Kerala Land Development Corporation,
Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Accountant General (Audit)/(A&E) Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
All members of concerned Committees (Through the Director, Department of
Agriculture Development and Farmers' Welfare).

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