



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Agriculture Department - International Agricultural Exposure Training of farmers to Israel - Delegation of Farmers - Approved - Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (EB) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.28/2023/AGRI Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 11-01-2023

- Read 1. G.O.(Rt)No.944/2022/AGRI dated 02.11.2022
2. GO(Rt) No.1118/2022/AGRI dated 17.12.2022
3. Office Memorandum No.M-106/05/2015 dated 29.12.2022 from the Government of India- Ministry of External Affairs
4. Minutes of the Selection Committee Meeting held on 05.01.2023

ORDER

As per Government Order read (1) above, Administrative sanction has been accorded for conducting National and International Exposure tours for farmers, for an amount of ₹200 lakh by meeting the expenditure from the H/A 2401-00-109-80 Plan earmarked as budget provision during the current financial year, by which the farmers of the State can understand the best practices in agriculture by visiting farms in India and abroad where profitable farming is practiced using modern techniques. Accordingly, it has been decided that the chosen farmer groups intending to adopt new technology will initially be sent to important Agricultural institutes and renowned innovative farms and agribusinesses in Israel from February 12th to 19th, 2023.

2) Government of India-Ministry of External Affairs as per reference read as (3) above, has conveyed the in-principle approval for the exposure visit of farmers from Kerala to Israel to study modern Israeli agricultural techniques subject to State Govt orders.

3) As per the Government Order read (2) above, a schedule has been issued for the selection of farmers for the proposed visit to Israel. The Selection Committee under the Chairmanship of the Principal Secretary, Agriculture has, after normative evaluation of electronically received applications selected of 20 farmers (out of the 34 applications received). Applications received later shall proposed to the second batch.

4) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to approve the specified delegation of farmers (attached as Annexure) for the International Agricultural Exposure Training to Israel from February 12th to 19th, 2023. Officials joining the delegation will be specified separately. Director Agriculture will make arrangements to brief participants and prepare documentation for VISA etc in coordination with Nodal Officer notified for the purpose at Indian Embassy , Tel Aviv and Representation of Israel /Nodal Officers at Bangalore/New Delhi. All tour related expenses including to and fro Economy Airfare, VISA costs, Insurance, Accomodation, Transport and permissible incidentals of Farmers selected and Officers accompanying will be debited to the above mentioned H/A and reimbursed. Director may draw sufficient Advance if required.

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

To:

The Resident Commissioner, Kerala House, New Delhi

The Director, Agricultural Development & Farmers' Welfare Department

The Director, SAMETI

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram

The Principal Information Officer, Farm Information Bureau

The Persons concerned (Through the Director, Agriculture & Famers Welfare Department)

Information & Public Relations(Web&New Media) Department

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Section Officer

Copy to :

PS to Minister (Agriculture)

PA to Agricultural Production Commissioner & Principal Secretary

PA to Principal Secretary (Agriculture)

CA to Additional Secretary-I (Agriculture)

Annexure

International Agricultural Technology & Exposure Tour of farmers to Israel **List of Selected Farmers**

Sl No	Name of Farmer	Smart Id	Application no	Krishi Bhavan	DISTRICT
1	SUJITH S P	1210639	2022010000510	Kanjikkuzhy	ALAPPUZHA
2	GNANA SARAVANAN MATHEWKUTTY	4259049	2022010000341	Perumatti	PALAKKAD
3	TOM	4225030	2022010000206	Marangattupally	KOTTAYAM
4	JOPU JOHN JAYARAM	4259686	2022010000402	Karuvarakundu	MALAPPURAM
5	KALLIDUKKIL MUJEEB	246764	202310000729	Pampakuda	ERNAKULAM
6	CHEMMIKKAT	4260447	2022010000461	Thavinhal	WAYNAD
7	JOBY DAVID K	4259729	2022010000607	Ealavally	THRISSUR
8	AJAYAKUMAR K P	57513	2022010000462	Mayyil	KANNUR
9	ARUN MOHAN	63457	2022010000489	Chathamangalam	KOZHIKODE
10	SREEVIDYA M	115414	2022010000189	Bedadka	KASARAGOD
11	HEPSIBA K	1856213	2022010000579	Aryancode	THIRUVANANTHAPURAM
12	SUNILKUMAR M S	344097	2022010000364	Aranmula	PATHANAMTHITTA
13	KIRAN K	236074	2022010000374	Elapully	PALAKKAD
14	RESMI MATHEW	115132	202310000732	Marangattupally	KOTTAYAM
15	STANLY JOSEPH	14480	2022010000227	Kanichar	KANNUR
16	ABDUSSAMED K T	89361	2022010000307	Keezhuparamba	MALAPPURAM
17	DON THOMAS	4259706	2022010000643	Kodenchery	KOZHIKODE
18	ADITYA DAS	293544	2022010000606	Vaniyamkulam	PALAKKAD
19	ABIEN K RAJ	405092	2022010000681	Pampady	KOTTAYAM
20	RAJANARAYANAN	56584	2022010000485	Thiruvilwamala	THRISSUR

Waiting List

Sl No	Name of Farmer	Smart Id	Application no	Krishi Bhavan	DISTRICT
1	HARIKRISHNA	4261405	2022010000518	Atholi	KOZHIKODE
2	SAIFULLA	46038	2022010000445	Makkarapparamba	MALAPPURAM
3	BIJU KURIAN SIBIN MOHAMMED	3658928	2022010000288	Payam	KANNUR
4	MOOSA ROBERT	4260385	2022010000574	Kozhinjampara	PALAKKAD
5	THOTTUPURAM	4261261	2022010000537	Velloor	KOTTAYAM
6	SHAJI A	382982	2022010000525	Muthalamada	PALAKKAD
7	LIJO JOHN	4260115	2022010000372	Sholayur	PALAKKAD
8	BIJU	166623	2022010000280	Elapully	PALAKKAD
9	JUSTIN JOHN	4186133	2022010000234	Puduppariyaram	PALAKKAD
10	JINU A	195184	2022010000299	Mathur	PALAKKAD