GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract


AGRICULTURE (PB) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No. 514/2018/AD. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 05.06.2018

Read.: 1) Letter No. TP(2) 7452/18 dated 11/04/2018 from the Director of Agriculture Development and Farmers' Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram.
2) Minutes of the 1st Working Group Meeting held on 26.04.2018 and 08.05.2018.

ORDER

In the Budget 2018-19 an amount of Rs. 700.00/- lakh has been provided under the Head of Account 2401-00-119-81(P) for Vegetable Development through Vegetable and Fruit promotion Council Keralam.

2) The Director of Agriculture Development and Farmers’ Welfare Department as per his letter read above has submitted the proposal 'Vegetable Development Support to VFPCK' for an amount of Rs.700.00/- lakh for Administrative Sanction. The abstract of the proposal is as follows:

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<th>Sl.No</th>
<th>Components</th>
<th>Amount proposed (Rs.in lakhs)</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td>Support for promoting cultivation of vegetables under PGS, increasing the cultivation of tubers and enhancing production and productivity.</td>
<td>494.65</td>
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<td>Awareness creation</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>Technology Development and Dissemination through PTD, Demonstration, campaign etc.</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td><strong>700.00</strong></td>
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2) The Working Group meeting held on 26.04.2018 and 08.05.2018 approved the scheme for issuing administrative sanction.

3) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the implementation of the scheme "Vegetable Development Support to VFPCK' at a total cost of Rs.700/- lakh (Rupees Seven hundred lakhs only)
by meeting the expenditure from the Head of Account 2401-00-119-81(P) subject to the
following General Conditions, wherever applicable.

i) All rules, formalities and procedures shall be strictly followed for the
   implementation of the scheme. The norms of financial propriety shall be adhered to.
ii) The expenditure would be met only from the provision available under the
    appropriate head of account.
iii) The fund release will be based on actual requirement, and the fund released should
    not be parked in banks.
iv) Store Purchase Rules shall be strictly adhered to for all kinds of purchases.
v) Tender/e-tender and other stipulated formalities shall be followed wherever
    necessary.
vii) Post creation and purchase of vehicles are not admissible under the scheme.
vii) The Director of Agriculture Development and Farmers' Welfare Department
    shall monitor the implementation of the scheme and ensure that the
    implementation is as per the existing procedures, rules and regulations.
viii) The implementation agencies/Departments also should prepare an implementation
    schedule to complete the project in time and send regular progress report on
    financial and physical progress on a quarterly basis.
ix) The Director should hold monitoring meetings once in 2 months to review the
    progress and send report to Government.

4) The Director, Agriculture Development and Farmers' Welfare Department is
   authorised to release an amount of Rs. 700.00 lakhs (Rupees Seven hundred lakhs only) to
   the Chief Executive Officer, Vegetable and Fruit Promotion Council Keralam.

   (By Order of the Governor),

   K. MINI

   Additional Secretary

To

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Principal Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director, Agriculture Development and Farmers' Welfare Department,
Thiruvananthapuram.
The Chief Executive officer, Vegetable & Fruit promotion Council Keralam,
Kakkanad, Kochi.
The Member Secretary, State Planning Board, Pattom, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Finance Department.
The Planning & Economic Affairs Department.
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