IT (2)19031/2018

Directorate of Agriculture Development & Farmers Welfare ,Vikas Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram Dated: 04/05/2018

Circular

Sub:- Department of Agriculture Development and Farmers Welfare –Annual Plan 2018-19 Scheme on Agro Service Centre and Service Delivery including Regional Farm Facilitation Centres – Honorarium to Data Entry Operators engaged under NeGP-A – Sanction Accorded during 2018-19 @Rs.19,950/- for engaging Data Entry Operators in Districts and Blocks- reg

Ref: - 1. GO(Rt)No.818/2017/AGRI, dated 24/08/2017

- 2. Order No- TP(2)7465/2018, dated 28/04/2018 of the Director of Agriculture
- 3. OA 404/2017 Dated 22/03/2018 of KAT Thiruvananthapuram
- 4. IT(2)15154/2018, dated 04/04/2018 of the Director of Agriculture
- 5. Proceeding No. IT(2)19031/2018, dated /05/2018.

As per reference 1st cited above Administrative Sanction was accorded for the scheme "Agro Service Centres and Service Delivery 2017-18". The services of Data Entry Operators engaged as per reference 1st were terminated as on 31/03/2018. Continuous sanction for the scheme for the year 2018-19 was accorded as per reference 2nd cited above and funds were earmarked for payment of Honorarium of Data Entry Operators engaged under NeGP-A up to March 2019 in the revised rate of Rs.19,950/- and Rs. 407 Lakhs is set apart for the payment of honorarium of the Data Entry Operators up to 31/03/2019.

As per reference 3rd cited KAT Thiruvananthapuram have directed to formulate guidelines/parameters for assessment of the performance of the employees and to enter in to an independent decision as regards to their continuance based on the assessment of their performance. Principal Agricultural Officers have furnished the District level consolidated report of Data Entry Operators who have successfully completed the performance evaluation criteria with their recommendation and is approved by Director, Department of Agriculture Development and Farmers Welfare as per reference 5th cited above.

Necessary bonds should be obtained from Data Entry Operators at the time of reappointment after successful completion of performance evaluation or new appointment. In case of existing or arising vacancies at Block or District Level or rearrangement of offices of Data Entry Operators on mutual consent within the district can be done at District Level itself with out sending to directorate to avoid delay or disruption in service delivery. After appointment at District Level PAO's are directed to send the fund requirement for paying honorarium @Rs.19,950/- per month up to March 2019.

Rs. 202,29,300 /- (Rupees Two Hundred and Two Lakhs Twenty Nine Thousand Three Hundred only) is allotted to Districts and HQ as detailed below for payment of Honorarium for Data Entry Operators engaged under NeGP-A under the Head of Account 2401-00-113-83 (Plan) for six months.

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SL.No.	Name of District	Block	District HQ	Total No. of DEOs	Amount Allotted (in Rs.)
1.	Thiruvananthapuram	11	1	12	14,36,400
2.	Kollam	11	1	12	14,36,400
3.	Alappuzha	12	1	13	15,56,100
4.	Pathanamthitta	8	1	9	10,77,300
5.	Kottayam	11	1	12	14,36,400
6.	Idukki	8	1	9	10,77,300
7.	Ernakulam	14	1	15	17,95,500
8.	Thrissur	16	1	17	20,34,900
9.	Palakkad	13	1	14	16,75,800
10.	Malappuram	15	1	16	19,15,200
11.	Kozhikode	12	1	13	15,56,100
12.	Wayanad	4	I	5	5,98,500
13.	Kannur	11	1	12	14,36,400
14.	Kasaragode	6	1	7	8,37,900
	Directorate			3	3,59,100
		Total			202,29,300

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To All PAOs

Planning Section to allot funds as mentioned above to HQ and Districts