

Directorate of Agricultural  
Development

and Farmer Welfare Department

Thiruvananthapuram

**24/05/2021**

**CIRCULAR**

Sub:- Annual Plan 2021-22 -Scheme on  
"Production and Distribution of planting  
Materials" through Departmental Farms -  
**"Other Requirements for Routine  
Planting Material Production Including  
rooted Pepper Cuttings "**- Working  
Instructions - issued - regarding.

Ref :- 1.G.O. (Rt.) No803/2017AD TVM  
Dated19/08/2017

2.Order No. ADFW/2997/2021-TP2 of  
Director of Agriculture Development  
and Farmers Welfare Department,  
Thiruvananthapuram

Government of Kerala vide order cited  
as (1) had accorded administrative  
sanction for implementation of the  
project proposal for "Routine planting  
material production including rooted  
pepper cuttings".According to  
reference cited 2nd,administrative  
sanction has been accorded for the

implementation of the captioned scheme during 2021-22 with a Budget provision of Rs.650 lakhs under the head of account 2401-00-104-91 Plan.

This component is envisaged to meet the requirement for routine activities of special farms, transferred farms and production of rooted pepper cuttings including transportation cost of pepper cuttings. Out of this Rs.100.00 lakh each is earmarked for planting material production in Idukki and Wayanad districts.

**a) Special farms and Transferred farms (Rs.494 lakhs)**

The main objective of this component is to transform the farms under the Department of Agriculture into model, market-oriented agricultural units. The major share of the scheme is proposed for the following purposes :

1. Purchase of inputs for production of planting materials and for maintenance of existing crops including machinery and irrigation components.
2. For meeting the input costs and gap filling needs including execution of minor works and transportation charges in special farms.
3. For meeting travel and fuel expenses.

Sl. No.	Item	Amount (Rs.in lakhs)
1	Input cost and minor works of special farms including transportation charges	396.00
2	Gap filling needs of farms transferred to LSGDs including transportation charges	80.00