



# GOVERNMENT OF KERALA <u>Abstract</u>

Agriculture Department – Restructured State Crop Insurance Scheme- Enhancing of sanctioning limit of Crop Insurance claims- Sanction Accorded - orders issued.

# Agriculture (Agri) Department

G.O.(Rt)No.191/2023/AGRI

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 26-02-2023

Read:- 1)GO(Ms) no. 37/2017/Agri dt 22/03/2017

- 2) GO(Ms) no.119/2018/Agri dated 26/09/2018
- 3)Minutes of the Administrative Committee Meeting held on 21/11/2022.
- 4) Letter No. ADFW/3431/2022-TP2 dated 21/01/2023 of the Director of Agriculture, Thiruvananthapuram.

#### **ORDER**

As per G.O read as  $1^{st}$  paper above State Crop Insurance Scheme is being implemented and sanctioning limit of crop loss compensation was sanctioned in Kerala State. As per G.O read as  $2^{nd}$  paper above the sanctioning limit of crop insurance claims of Principal Agricultural Officers was enhanced.

2. As per the Minutes read as 3<sup>rd</sup> paper above, the Administrative Committee constituted for the scrutiny of crop insurance claims directed the Director of Agriculture to furnish a proposal for enhancing the sanctioning limit of Crop loss compensation of various authorities. Accordingly as per letter read as 4<sup>th</sup> paper above the Director of Agriculture has submitted proposal for enhancing the sanctioning limit of Crop loss compensation of various authorities under the State Crop Insurance Scheme to the extent shown in the table below:

# For Crops other than Paddy

Officer	Present Compensation Sanctioning limit under State Crop Insurance Scheme	sanctioning limit proposed
Principal Agriculture Officer	Up to Rs. 4,00,000/-	Up to Rs. 5,00,000/-
Director of Agriculture	Rs. 4,00,000/- Up to Rs.5,00,000/-	Rs. 5,00,001/- Up to Rs. 10,00,000/-
Administrative Committee	Above Rs. 5,00,000/-	Above Rs. 10,00,000/-

### For Paddy

Officer		Enhanced Compensation sanctioning limit proposed
Principal Agriculture Officer	Up to Rs. 4,00,000/-	Up to Rs. 7,00,000/-
Director of Agriculture	Rs. 4,00,000/- Up to Rs.10,00,000/-	Rs. 7,00,001/- Up to Rs. 15,00,000/-
Administrative Committee	Above Rs. 10,00,000/-	Above Rs. 15,00,000/-

Having examined the matter in detail, Government are pleased to accord sanction to enhance the sanctioning limit of Crop loss compensation of various authorities under the State Crop Insurance Scheme as detailed below;

### For Crops other than Paddy

Officer	Enhanced Compensation sanctioning limit
Principal Agriculture Officer	Up to Rs. 5,00,000/-
Director of Agriculture	Rs. 5,00,001/- Up to Rs. 10,00,000/-
Administrative Committee	Above Rs. 10,00,000/-

# For Paddy

Officer	Enhanced Compensation sanctioning limit
Principal Agriculture Officer	Up to Rs. 7,00,000/-
Director of Agriculture	Rs. 7,00,001/- Up to Rs. 15,00,000/-
Administrative Committee	Above Rs. 15,00,000/-

(By order of the Governor)
S SABIR HUSSAIN
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To

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

The Accountant General (A&E/Audit, Kerala), Thiruvananthapuram

The Finance Department (Vide U.O note No.115687115687/Agri-B1/188/2015-Fin dated 17/08/2022)

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