



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Agriculture Department - Annual Plan 2022-23 - Rice Development Scheme - Revision of Administrative Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (PLANNING-A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.318/2023/AGRI Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30-03-2023

Read: 1 G.O (Rt) No. 671/2022/Agri dated: 26/07/2022 .

2 Letter No. ADFW/ 3579/2022-TP2 dated: 15/02/2023 from Director of Agriculture, Thiruvananthapuram.

<u>ORDER</u>

As per the Government Order read as 1st paper above, Administrative Sanction was accorded for various components of the scheme Rice Development for an amount of Rs. 76 crores by meeting the expenditure from the head of account 2401-00-102-90(Plan) during 2022-23 subject to the following conditions:

- No double benefit is given to any beneficiaries and regular monitoring of fund flow should be ensured.
- As far as Operation Double Kole is concerned, the entire AIMS beneficiary database will be brought under the unified registry setting by the Government.

2) Now, t he Director of Agriculture as per the letter read as 2nd paper above has requested that additional funds to the tune of Rs. 130.89664 lakh under various components/sub-components of the scheme is required and as this additional requirement can be met from the savings available under other components of the same scheme, it is requested for the revision of the Administrative Sanction issued vide the Order read as 1st paper above.

3) Government have examined the matter and are pleased to *revise* the Administrative Sanction read as the 1st paper above by allocating the amounts shown against each components as detailed in

the table below , with the same total amount *Rs.* 76 crores (Rupees seventy six crores only) meeting the expenditure from the head of account 2401-00-102-90(Plan) during 2022-23:

SI No		Components	Amount (Rs. in lakh)
1		Assistance for Sustainable Rice Development and Royalty to paddy land owners	6114.98226
	a	Assistance for Sustainable Rice Development	5214.98226
	b	Royalty to paddy land owners	900.00
2		Area Expansion	690.65580
	a	Fallow land paddy cultivation	492.74274
	b	Support for converting single crop to double crop	61.61142
	c	Promotion of Upland paddy	70.79934
	d	Promotion of Speciality rice cultivation	65.50230
3		Registered Seed Growers Programme	125.00
4		Operation Double Kole	275.00
5		Operational support to padasekhara samithies and Paddy Development Agencies	320.56128
	a	Operational support to padasekhara samithies for group farming	291.58128
	b	Operational support to Paddy Development Agencies	28.98
6		Project based support for infrastructure development in padasekharams for reviving paddy cultivation including block level convergence, establishment of rice mills, promotion of local brands	73.80066
		Total	7600.00

4) The Government Order read as 1st paper above is modified only to the above extend.

(By order of the Governor) AJITHDAS A ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

The Director of Agriculture Development & Farmers' Welfare, Thiruvananthapuram
The Principal Accountant General (Audit I, Audit II/ A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
The Member Secretary, State Planning Board, Thiruvananthapuram
The Finance Department
The Planning and Economic Affairs Department
The I&PRD (Web & New Media)
Agriculture (Planning-B) Department
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Section Officer