



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA** 

#### Abstract

Agriculture Department - Annual Plan 2023-24 - "Scheme on Development of Agricultural Production Organisations and Technology Support 2023-24 " –Administrative Sanction Accorded – Orders issued.

# AGRICULTURE (FARMS) DEPARTMENT

# G.O.(Rt)No.489/2023/AGRI Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 20-05-2023

- Read:- 1 Letter Number ADFW/4666/2023-TP2 dated 12.04.2023 of the Director of Agriculture Development and Farmers Welfare, Thiruvananthapuram.
  - 2 Minutes of the Department Working Group Meeting held on 02.05.2023.

### <u>ORDER</u>

The Director of Agriculture Development and Farmers Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram, as per letter read above has submitted a detailed proposal for administrative sanction for the implementation of the *"Scheme on Development of Agricultural Production Organisations and Technology Support 2023-24* for an amount of ₹650.00 lakh earmarked in the budget under the H/A 2401-00-109-56 Plan for the scheme, during the current financial year as detailed below.

SL. No	Name of the component	Total amount (Rs. in lakhs)
	Training and extension module to develop, and disseminate technical inputs on a regular basis	
	by KAU.	100.00
2.	Support to newly formed FPOs	500.00
3.	Developing digital platforms by IT-Startups	50.00
	Total	650.00

## (Rupees Six Hundred and Fifty lakh only)

(2) The Working Group Meeting held on 02.05.2023 has approved the proposal.

(3) Government have examined the proposal in detail and are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the implementation of the proposal *"Scheme on Development of Agricultural Production Organisations and Technology Support 2023-24"* for an amount of ₹ 650.00 lakh (Rupees Six hundred and Fifty lakh only) earmarked in the budget under the H/A 2401-00-109-56 Plan during the current financial year subject to the following Conditions,wherever applicable.

- 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.
- 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.
- vi. Post creation and purchase of vehicles are not admissible under the scheme.
- vII. The Head of Departments 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 to review the progress and send report to Government regarding the progress of implementation of the approved scheme.
  - x. The Director, Agriculture / Director of Soil Survey & Soil Conservation Department shall sign an MoU with the concerned implementing agencies of the scheme before releasing the funds. It should also be ensured that the Utilization Certificates pertain to all schemes are submitted by the agencies in time.

- xI. AIMS portal registration and Digital Soil Health Card is mandatory.
- xII. Geo fencing & Geo tagging is mandatory. It should be ensured in every scheme wherever beneficiaries exist.
- xIII. Plan review will be conducted on every month.
- xiv. The administrative sanction accorded is inclusive of the amount put under e- LAMS and amount need for encashing the queue bills.
- xv. The Project Manager is Additional Director of Agriculture (Marketing) and the duration of the project is up to 31.03.2024.

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

To:

The Director, Agriculture Development & Farmers Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Registrar, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur.

The Director of Planning, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur.

The Director of Research, Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur.

The Agricultural Chief, State Planning Board, Pattom,

Thiruvananthapuram.

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala,

Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Director, Kerala State Audit Department, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Joint Director, Kerala State Audit Department,

Kerala Agricultural University, Thrissur.

The Finance Department.

The Planning & Economic Affairs (CPMU) Department.

The Agriculture (PB) Department.

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