



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Agriculture Department - Karshika Vivara sanketham - ATMA Call Centre - Release of one-time-grant which was resumed by Government from TP account of SFAC - sanctioned - orders issued .

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### AGRICULTURE (PLANNING A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.600/2023/AGRI Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 21-06-2023

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- Read 1 GO(Rt) no.1625/2014/AD dated 03/09/2014.  
2 GO(Rt) no.51/2018/Fin dated 28/03/2018.  
3 GO(Rt) no. 3546/2019/Fin dated 08/05/2019.  
4 Letter No. Plg.40/SFAC/2018 dated 01.04.2023 from MD,SFAC.  
5 GO(Rt)No.4133/2023/Fin dt 01/06/2023.

### ORDER

As per Government Order read as 1st paper above, an amount of **₹5 crores** was allotted to SFAC as one time grant from Central Government share of ATMA for the establishment of Farmer's Call Centre "Karshika Vivara Sanketham Oru Viralthumbil"(Farmers' Call Centre cum Agricultural Information Hub). An amount of ₹18,46,16,476/- kept in the TP Account No.701010200003946 of SFAC was resumed by Government on 31.03.2018 vide order read as 2nd paper above, out of which ₹2,92,79,563/- (Rupees Two Crore ninety two lakhs seventy nine thousand five hundred and sixty three only) belonged to the Central Government share of one-time-grant allotted for Karshika Vivara Sanketham Call Centre (ATMA). As per Government Order read as 3rd paper above, an amount of ₹ 74.25 lakhs was authorized as additional expenditure from head of account 2401-109-73 (P) to make up the resumed fund.

2. Now the Managing Director, SFAC as per the letter read as 4th paper above has requested Government to recoup an amount of **₹.2,18,54,563/-** (Rupees Two Crore Eighteen Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty Three only) to the PSTSB account No. of SFAC **799012700001690** at District Treasury, Thiruvananthapuram as early as possible since any delay or non-refund of full amount back will adversely affect the functioning of ATMA Call Centre. As per Government Order read as 5th paper above, Government have authorised additional expenditure to the tune of ₹ 74,25000/- (Rupees Seventy Four Lakh Twenty Five thousand only) under the

head of account **2401-00-109-73(P)** for the release of the resumed fund to SFAC, Kerala.

3. In the circumstance, Government are pleased to accord sanction to release an amount of **₹74.25 Lakh** (Rupees Seventy Four Lakh Twenty Five Thousand only) for reallocating the fund resumed from **TP Account No.701010200003946** of SFAC.

4. The Director of Agriculture is authorized to draw and disburse the amount to the Managing Director, Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium for the purpose. The Director of Agriculture should also take timely steps to regularise the additional expenditure through Re-appropriation of Savings only within the Grant before the close of the current Financial Year.

(By order of the Governor)  
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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

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The Director, Agriculture Development and Farmers Welfare Department,  
Thiruvananthapuram

The Managing Director, Small Farmers Agribusiness Consortium,  
Thiruvananthapuram

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

The District Treasury, Thiruvananthapuram .

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