



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

<u>Abstract</u>

Agriculture Department - Release of Grant-in-aid to Vegetable & Fruit Promotion Council, Keralam for the year 2023-24- Sanction accorded - Orders Issued.

AGRICULTURE (PLANNING-B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.644/2023/AGRI Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 04-07-2023

Read 1 Letter No.ADFW/5477/2023-VC Dated 15.05.2023 from the Director, Agriculture Development & Farmer's Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram.

ORDER

As per the letter read above, Director of Agriculture has requested to release an amount of Rs.41,85,000/- (Rupees Forty One Lakh and Eighty Five Thousand only) which is allocated to VFPCK in the Kerala Budget for the year 2023-24 as Non-Plan Grant-in-aid as detailed below:

Sl.No.	Head Account	Amount (Rs.in lakh)
1	2401-00-119-82-NP-31-Grant-in-aid (Salary)	32,75,000/-
	2401-00-119-82-NP-36-Gant-in-aid (Non Salary)	9,10,000/-
	Total	41,85,000/-

2) Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord sanction to the Director of Agriculture to release an amount of Rs.13,95,000/- (ie.Rs.10,91,667/- under 2401-00-119-82-31- Salary and Rs.3,03,333/- under 2401-00-119-82-36 - Non salary) for meeting the salary & non salary expenses of VFPCK upto July 2023.

3) Director of Agriculture is also informed that the ceiling limit of these heads of account are also enhanced for facilitating the above release.

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

To:

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

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

The Chief Executive Officer, Vegetable & Fruit Promotion Council, Keralam, Kochi.

Finance Department (vide U.O No.2453803/Agri-B1/204/2023-FIN dated 15-06-2023).

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Section Officer