



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Agriculture Department - PKVY 2017-18 - Refund of Central and State shares released in 2020-21 - Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (PA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.1006/2023/AGRI Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 18-10-2023

Read 1. G.O. (Rt.) 98/2018/Agri dated 31.1.2018.

- 2. G.O.(Rt) No. 201/2018/Agri dated 08.03.2018.
- 3. G.O.(Rt)No. 262/2021/Agri dated 8/3/2021.
- 4. Letter No. ADFW/1801 /2020-TP1 dated 19.07.2022 from the Director of Agriculture, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 5. Circular No. 53 /2023/Fin dated 6.6.2023.

ORDER

As per Government Order read as 1st paper above Administrative Sanction was accorded for *Paramparagat Krishi Vikas Yojana 2017-18*. The first installment of 2017-18 amounting to 50% of the first year programme was released as per the Government Order read as 2nd paper above. As per Government Order read as 3rd paper above sanction was accorded to release an amount of ₹856.5688 *lakhs* released by Govt. of India as the 80% of the second installment for the first year, for 500 clusters started in the year 2017-18.

2. The Director of Agriculture as per the letter read as 4th paper above had informed that there was considerable delay in implementation of the scheme due to several contingencies. The Second Installment of the first year was released only during 2020-21 which has also caused a loss in continuity. Hence the Director of Agriculture has therefore requested to refund the Central share released in 2020-21 (₹856.57lakhs) to the Consolidated Fund of India and the corresponding State share (₹571.04 lakhs) to the

Consolidated Fund of the State.

- 3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord Sanction for the refund of Central share already released and now remaining in the SNA account. The amount is to be credited to the RoP head of the head of account from which the fund was earlier released to the SNA account.
- 4. Sanction is also accorded for refund of the Central share ₹856.57 lakhs (Rupees Eight Crore Fifty Six Lakh Fifty Seven Thousand only) from the head of account '1601- 00-900 Deduct Refund' to the heads of account under 3601 as follows:

3601-06-101-43-06-31 : ₹ 770.91192 lakhs

3601-06-789-39-04-31: 77.09119 lakhs

3601-06-796-43-04-31: ₹ 8.56569 lakhs

- 5. Sanction is also accorded to refund the State share to the tune of $₹571.04 \ lakh$ (Rupees Five Crore Seventy One lakh and Four thousand only) to the head of account '2401-00-911-99 Recovery of Over Payments PV'.
- 6. The Director of Agriculture shall take immediate necessary actions to carry out the refund process through *contra debit*.

(By order of the Governor)
LETHAKUMARI M B
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To

- 1. The Director of Agriculture, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 2. The Mission Director, State Horticulture Mission- Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 3. The District Treasury Officer, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 4. The Principal Accountant General(AuditI /AuditII /A&E), Thiruvananthapuram.

- 5. Finance (Agri-B) Department (vide U.O(F) 2162918/Agri-B1/335 /2022-FIN dated 24-02-2023 and 18.08.2023.
- 6. Stock File/Office copy.

Forwarded /By order

Section Officer