

Abstract

Agriculture Department - Agricultural Engineering - Central Assistance Scheme of "Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization" - Financial sanction for an amount of Rs.2040.83 lakhs for the implementation of Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization during the year 2015-16 - Orders - Issued.

Agriculture (AE.I) Department

G.O. (Ms) No.46

Dated 04.02.2016

Read:

- 1. Letter No.22218/AE.I/2015-1, Dated 31.8.2015.
- 2. G.O.(Ms) No.236, Agriculture (AE.I) Department, dated 30.10.2015.
- From the Government of India, Letter No.3-1/2015- M&T (I&P), Dated 30.12.2015.
- 4. From the Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) Lr.No.AM1/3253/2015 (2), dated 11.1.2016.

In the Government letter 1st read above, the Additional Annual Action Plan (AAP) of the Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization (SMAM) for the year 2015-16 for an amount of Rs.7200.00 lakhs has been sent to Government of India, in the sharing pattern of 50:50. Subsequently, the Government of India have revised the sharing pattern into 60:40.

2. The Government of India have now sanctioned the Additional Annual Action Plan of Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization (SMAM) 2015-16 for an amount of Rs.2500.00 Lakhs as per the following table:
Components of Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization 2015-16

(Rs.in Lakhs)

SI. No	Total approved AAP (Centre and State)	Total Central share	Total State share	Physical targets		Approved for release during 2015-16 (Central share)	
					Component No.3	Total	
1	2500.00	1500.00	1000.00	Powertiller-810 Nos; Tractor-1000 Nos; Rotavator-950 Nos; Paddy Transplanter-180 Nos.	1500.00	1500.00	

- 3. In the letter 3rd read above, the Government of India have sanctioned an amount of Rs.1500.00 Lakhs to Tamil Nadu as per the revised sharing pattern of 60:40 between Centre and State and released an amount of Rs.1224.50 lakhs towards the implementation of Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization (SMAM) during the year 2015-16 for the Additional Annual Action Plan (AAP). The balance amount of Rs.275.50 Lakhs will be released by Government of India separately including the Tribal Sub Plan Component. The corresponding State share is Rs.816.33 Lakhs.
- 4. In the letter 4th read above, the Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has sent the Additional Annual Action Plan sanction proposal for the implementation of Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization for the year 2015-16 as follows:-

Financial Assistance for procurement of Agricultural Machinery and Equipment

It is proposed to distribute 2247 Nos. of Agricultural Machinery and Implements namely Powertiller (8 BHP and above), Tractors (15-20 PTO HP), Tractors (20-40 PTO HP), Tractors (40-70 PTO HP), Rotavators and Paddy Transplanter (4 rows) to farmers with the subsidy assistance during the year 2015-16 and proposed to allot an amount of Rs.1671.50 Lakhs for general category farmers and Rs.369.33 Lakhs for Special Component Plan for Scheduled Caste farmers for various components under Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization during 2015-16 for Additional Annual Action Plan as per the following Table:-

			Financial	81	Financial	Grand Total			
SI. No	Name of the component	Physical Target for General Category farmers (in Nos)	Target for General Category farmers (Rs.in Lakhs)	Physical target for SC category farmers (in Nos)	target for SC category farmers (Rs.in Lakhs)	Physical (in Nos)	Financial (Rs.in Lakhs)		
1	Financial Assistance for Procurement of Agriculture Machinery and Equipment								
	Powertiller (8 BHP and above)	450	337.50	159	119.25	609	456.75		
	Tractor (15-20 PTO HP)	435	435.00	90	90.00	525	525.00		
	Tractor (20-40 PTO HP)	175	218.75	45	56.25	220	275.00		
	Tractor (40-70 PTO HP)	283	353.21	50	62.50	333	415.71		
	Rotavators	451	283.80	58	36.54	509	320.34		
	Paddy Transplanter (4 rows)	46	43.24	5	4.79	51	48.03		
	Total	1840	1671.50	407	369.33	2247	2040.83		

- 5. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has informed that the Tribal Sub Plan (TSP) category farmer's proposal will be sent separately after getting the release letter from Government of India.
- 6. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has, therefore, requested the Government to give administrative and financial sanction for an amount of Rs.2040.83 Lakhs (Rs.1671.50 lakhs for general category farmers and Rs.369.33 lakhs for scheduled caste farmers) towards the implementation of Additional Annual Action Plan of Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization for the year 2015-16. He has also requested to permit to utilize the savings amount if any towards the distribution of any of the agricultural machinery mentioned under the component "Financial Assistance for procurement of Agricultural Machinery and Equipment" within the respective Head of Accounts.
- 7. The Government after careful examination, have decided to accept the proposal of the Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) and permit him to implement Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization as per the Additional Action Plan for 2015-16 to the total outlay of Rs.2040.83 lakhs and accord financial sanction for a sum of Rs.2040.83 lakhs (Rupees twenty crore forty lakhs and eighty three thousand only) (Government of India share Rs.1224.50 Lakhs and State share Rs.816.33 Lakhs) (Rs.1671.50 lakhs for general category farmers and Rs.369.33 lakhs for scheduled caste farmers) towards the implementation of the scheme of Additional Annual Action Plan of "Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization" during the year 2015-16. The order for release for Tribal Sub Plan will be issued separately. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is also permitted to utilize the savings amount if any towards the distribution of any of the agricultural machinery mentioned under the component "Financial Assistance for procurement of Agricultural Machinery and Equipment" within the respective Head of Accounts.
- 8. The expenditure sanctioned at para 7 above shall be debited under the head of accounts as detailed below:-

For General Category farmers - Rs.1671.50 lakhs

"2401-00 - Crop Husbandry-113. Agricultural Engineering-Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-VI. Schemes shared between State and Centre. UB-Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization-11-Subsidies-01-Individual based subsidy (DPC:2401-113-UB-1116)"

For the Special Component Plan for Scheduled Caste farmers - Rs.369.33 lakhs

"2401-00-Crop Husbandry – 789 - Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes-Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-VI. Schemes shared between State and Centre. UJ-Sub Mission on Agricultural Mechanization-11-Subsidies- 01- Individual based subsidy (DPC:2401-789-UJ-1119)"

- 9. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 7 above.
- 10. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is authorized to utilize the savings amount if any towards the distribution of any of the Agricultural Machinery mentioned under the component "Financial Assistance for procurement of Agricultural Machinery and Equipment" within the respective Head of Accounts.
- 11. The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is directed to send the monthly, quarterly and annual progress reports on the Physical and Financial achievement of the scheme regularly to Government.
- 12. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.5780/Agri/2016, dated 4.2.2016.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

S.VIJAYAKUMAR, AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION COMMISSIONER AND SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering), Nandanam, Chennai-35.

The Director of Agriculture, Chennai-5.

The Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops, Chennai-5.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture and Co-operation, M&T Division, New Delhi - 110 001.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-35.

The Treasury Officers /Sub Treasury Officers concerned.

The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA), Chennai-18.

The Principal Accountant General (E&RSA), Chennai-18.

The Commissioner of Treasury and Accounts, Chennai-15.

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The Finance (Agri/BGI/BGII) Department, Chennai – 9.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-9.

The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister
for Housing, Urban Development and Agriculture, Chennai-9.

The Agriculture (B&P/AP1) Department, Chennai-9.

The Private Secretary to Agricultural Production Commissioner and Secretary to Government, Agriculture Department, Chennai-9.

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