



ABSTRACT

Horticulture – Centrally Sponsored Scheme on National Horticulture Mission – Grants – in-aid – Release of Rs.4287.00 Lakh (85%) by Government of India as First Installment - Sanction of Rs.756.529 Lakh (15%) by State Government as matching grant – Orders – Issued.

Agriculture (H1) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.23

Dated 31.01.2014
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2045,
Thai-18

Read:-

1. G.O. Ms. No.318, Agriculture (H1) Department, dated 2.1.2005
2. From the Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation (Horti. Division) letter F.No.33-126/2006-Horti., dated 30.12.2006.
3. From the Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation (Horti. Division) letter F.No.33-11/2013 Horti., dated 14.05.2013.
4. From the Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation (Horti. Division) Lr. F. No. 18-33/2012 NHM, dated 26.06.2013.
5. From the Commissioner of Horticulture & Plantation Crops / Managing Director, TANHODA/ Letter. No.TAN/NHM/4084/2013, dated 17.7.2013 and 03.12.2013.

ORDER:-

In the Government Order first read above, orders were issued among others, for the constitution of District Mission Committee for implementation of National Horticulture Mission Scheme during 2005-06 with 100% grant from Government of India as laid down under the National Horticulture Mission guidelines. The same pattern of assistance continued during the year 2006-07 also. In the letter second read above, the Government of India informed that the scheme shall be implemented in the ratio of 85:15 basis between Centre and State respectively from 2007-08 onwards. Accordingly, the scheme is being implemented in this State till date.

2. In their letter third read above, the Government of India have approved the Annual Action Plan for implementation of National Horticulture Mission (NHM) programme in Tamil Nadu at an outlay of Rs.11500.00 Lakh. Out of this, the Government of India share (85%) is Rs.9775.00 lakh and Government of Tamil Nadu share (15%) is Rs.1725.00 lakh.

3. In its letter fourth read above, the Government of India have released Rs.4287.00 lakh as First instalment. In the letter dated 17.07.2013 fifth read above, the Commissioner of Horticulture & Plantation Crops/ Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Horticulture Development Agency has requested the Government to release the matching share of State Government to the tune of Rs.756.529 Lakh for 2013-14 under National Horticulture Mission.

4. Further, in his letter dated 03.12.2013 the Commissioner of Horticulture and Plantation Crops has stated that an amount of Rs.2,03,09,094/- has accrued as interest earned towards the State share by the State Government under National Horticulture Mission (NHM) Scheme i.e., from 2008-09 to 2011-2012.

5. The Government, after careful examination, accept the proposal of the Commissioner of Horticulture & Plantation Crops/Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Horticulture Development Agency, Chennai and accordingly sanction a sum of Rs.7,56,52,900/- (Rupees Seven Crore fifty six lakhs fifty two thousand and nine hundred only) as State Government's Matching Share to the Government of India's share of Rs.4287.00 Lakh during 2013-14 for implementation of National Horticulture Mission (NHM) Scheme and released a sum of Rs.5,53,43,806/- (Rupees five crore fifty three lakh forty three thousand eight hundred and six only) after adjusting the accrued interest of Rs.2,03,09,094/- (Rupees Two Crore Three Lakhs Nine thousand and Ninety four only) earned towards the State share under National Horticulture Mission (NHM).

6. The Government also permit the Commissioner of Horticulture and Plantation Crops to utilize the interest amount of Rs.2,03,09,094/- (Rupees two crore three lakh nine thousand and ninety four only) earned from the State share released by State Government under National Horticulture Mission (NHM) Scheme from the year 2008-2009 to 2011-2012 towards the State share for 2013-14 to match the State Government's share of Rs.7,56,52,900/- for implementation of National Horticulture Mission Scheme.

7. The expenditure sanctioned in para-5 above, shall be debited to the following Head of Account:-

"2401-00- Crop Husbandry 119- Horticulture and Vegetable Crops- Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan - II State Plan - LC - Assistance to TANHODA under National Horticulture Mission - 11 Subsidies - 01 Individual based subsidy".
(DPC 2401-00-119 LC-1111)

and Contra credit to –

“K. Deposits and Advances (b) Deposits not bearing interest – 8443-00-
Civil deposits 800-other deposits – CW – Deposits of –Tamil Nadu
Horticulture Development Agency (DPC 8443-00-800 (CW 000D)
(Receipts)”

8. The Commissioner of Horticulture and Plantation Crops is authorized to draw the amount and deposit the same in the Personal Deposit account of Tamil Nadu Horticulture Development Agency by Contra Credit by following the procedures suggested in G.O.(Rt) No.1251, Finance (Ways and Means II) Department dated 30.12.2005 and G.O.(Rt) No.1253, Finance (Ways and Means II) Department, dated 30.12.2005.

9. The Commissioner of Horticulture and Plantation Crops is directed to send the progress report on the achievement made, utilizing the Centre / State share released for the above said scheme and also to send the utilization certificate in respect of funds sanctioned in this order.

10. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O.No.1684/Agri/2014, dated: 20.01.2014.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

SANDEEP SAXENA,
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION COMMISSIONER
AND PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Commissioner of Horticulture and Plantation Crops,
Chennai – 600 005.

The Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Horticulture Development Agency,
Chennai – 600 005.

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Agriculture,
Department of Agriculture and Co-operation (Horticulture
Division), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.

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

The Accountant General, Chennai – 18/(By Name)

The Accountant General (Audit), Chennai – 18/(By Name)

The Residential Officer, Office of the Principal Accountant
General,(G&SSA), Chennai.9

The Pay and Accounts Officer (East),Chennai-8.

✓ The Chief Accounts Officer, Office of the Commissioner of
Horticulture and Plantation Crops, Chennai – 5.

Copy to:

The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture,
Chennai – 600 009.

The Planning, Development and Special Initiatives Department.
Chennai-9.

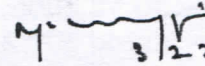
The Finance (Agri / BGII) Department, Chennai – 600 009.

The Private Secretary to Agricultural Production Commissioner
and Principal Secretary to Government, Agriculture
Department, Chennai – 600 009.


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