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Agriculture (PPM Cell) Department – Implementation of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana – Constitution of District Level Implementation Committee (DLIC)-Sanctioned-Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (PPM CELL) DEPARTMENT

G.O (MS) No. 261/2015/AD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30/12/2015

Read: - Letter No.19-4/2015 RFS-III dated 13.07.2015 of the Additional Commissioner (NRM), Department of Agriculture & Cooperation (Rainfed Farming System Division), Ministry of Agriculture, Government of India.

ORDER

As per the letter read above Government of India has conveyed the approval of the scheme Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana (PMKSY) by the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affair. The major objective of the scheme is to achieve convergence of investments in irrigation at the field level, expand cultivable area under assured irrigation, improve on-farm water use efficiency to reduce wastage of water, enhance the adoption of precision-irrigation and other water saving technology, enhance recharge of aquifers and introduce sustainable water conservation practices and to attract greater private investment in precision irrigation system.

- 2. As per PMKSY guidelines, the District Level Implementation Committee (DLIC) will form the third tier of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana.
- 3. In the above circumstances, Government are pleased to constitute a District Level Implementation Committee (DLIC) with the District Collector/District Magistrate as Chairman. The Committee will comprise of Project Director-DRDA, Joint Director/Deputy Director of Departments of Horticulture, Agriculture, Rural Development, Surface and Ground Water Resources, Irrigation, soil conservation and any other line Departments in the district, District Forest Officers, Lead Bank Officers of the District.
- 4. The Project Director, Agricultural Technology Management Agency (ATMA) will be the member Secretary of District Level Implementation Committee. In addition, the District Level Implementation Committee shall have two progressive farmers and a leading NGO working in the District, if any. The farmers will be nominated for one year from the District Farmers Advisory Committee under ATMA. The NGO representative will be nominated by the District Collector/District Magistrate.

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- 5. The District Level Implementation Committee shall oversee the implementation and inter-departmental coordination at district level and will have following role:
 - a. To act as the field level coordinator between the various implementation agencies/line departments in the District and to ensure that the agreed District Irrigation Plan/Annual Irrigation Plan is successfully implemented.
 - b. To prepare the District Irrigation Plan (DIP), showing the contribution of various funding streams and programmes towards specific outputs and outcomes and seek approval of the SLSC for the same
 - c. To prepare Annual Irrigation Plans (AIPs) arising out of the DIPs and to forward them to the SLSC for approval.
 - d. To monitor the progress of various components of the AIPs, to remove implementation hurdles and make periodic reports to SLSC.
 - e. To undertake public awareness and publicity efforts for engaging farmers, PRIs, media and other local stakeholders to build support for the implementation of DIPS.
- 6. The project Director, Agricultural Technology Management Agency (ATMA) will make use of the existing infrastructure and staff under ATMA in districts and blocks for discharging duties under PMKSY.

(By Order of the Governor)

JIJI THOMSON Chief Secretary.

To

All District Collectors.

The Director of Agriculture, Vikas Bhavan, Thiruvananthapuram.

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

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