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Agriculture (PPM Cell) Department - Implementation of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana - Strengthening of State Level Sanctioning Committee constituted for Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana -Nomination of additional members-Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (PPM CELL) DEPARTMENT

G.O (MS) No.259/2015/AD

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 30.12.2015

- Read:-1. G.O. (MS) No.200/07/AD dated 16/11/2007.
2. 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.
3. G.O (MS) No.260/2015/AD dated 30/12/2015

ORDER

As per the letter read as 2nd paper 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 the Government Order read as 3rd paper above, an Inter Departmental Working Group (IDWG) has been constituted for coordinating the Departments/ Agencies involved in the implementation of Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchayee Yojana.

3. As per PMKSY guidelines, the State Level Sanctioning Committee (SLSC) already constituted under RKVY and chaired by the Chief Secretary of the State, will be vested with the authority to sanction specific projects recommended by the Inter Departmental Working Group (IDWG) in a meeting attended by representatives of Government of India.

4. The State Level Sanctioning Committee (SLSC) constituted under Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojana (RKVY) as per the Government Order read as 1st paper above has the following members:-

1. The Chief Secretary - Chairman
2. The Agricultural Production Commissioner - Vice Chairman
3. The Member in charge of Agriculture, State Planning Board
4. The Secretary, Finance Department

5. The Secretary, Planning Department
6. The Secretary, Fisheries Department
7. The Secretary, Animal Husbandry Department
8. The Secretary, Local Self Government Department
9. The Secretary, Water Resources Department
10. The Vice Chancellor, Kerala Agricultural University
11. The Director of Agriculture
12. The Chief (Agri), State Planning Board
13. The Mission Director, State Horticulture Mission
14. The Director, Animal Husbandry Department
15. The Director, Fisheries Department
16. The Director, Dairy Development Department
17. The Representative of Planning Commission, Government of India
18. The Representative of Department of Agriculture & Cooperation,
Government of India
19. The Representative of Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying &
Fisheries, Government of India
20. The Representatives from CPCRI and CTCRI
21. The Secretary, Agriculture Department - Member Secretary

5. In the above circumstances, Government are pleased to strengthen the State Level Sanctioning Committee by including the following members:-

1. The Representative of Ministry of Water Resources, Government of India
2. The Representative of Department of Land Resources, Ministry of Rural
Development, Government of India
3. The Chief Conservator of Forest
4. The Chief Engineer (Irrigation & Administration)
5. The Director Soil Survey & Soil Conservation
6. The Commissioner of Rural Development
7. The State Level Nodal Agency (SLNA) under IWMP

6. The SLSC shall co-opt members from experts in water sector, public/private agencies working in irrigation sector, reputed NGOs working in the field of irrigation, research institutions, leading farmers etc.

7. The State Level Sanctioning Committee will, inter alia, also be responsible for:

- a) Approving the State Irrigation Plan (SIP) and District Irrigation Plan (DIP);
- b) Sanctioning and prioritizing funding of projects under PMKSY;
- c) Monitoring and reviewing implementation of PMKSY;
- d) Ensuring convergence with other schemes and that no duplication of efforts or resources takes place;
- e) Ensuring that there are no inter-district disparities with respect to the financial patterns/subsidy assistance in the projects;
- f) To decide the implementing agency/department in the State for particular project depending on the nature of the project and expertise available with the agency/ department;
- g) Ensuring that the programme implementation in accordance with guidelines laid down by the concerned programme component Ministry/Department
- h) Initiating evaluation studies from time to time, as may be required;
- i) Ensuring that all extant procedures and instructions of Govt. of India are followed so that the expenditure incurred on implementation of the projects is barest minimum with due concern for economy in expenditure and also in conformity with the canons of financial propriety, transparency and probity
- j) To ensure that Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRI) are actively involved in implementation of PMKSY, especially in selection of beneficiaries, conducting social audit etc.

7. The SLSC shall approve PMKSY projects up to twice the amount of State's annual allocation under PMKSY to cater to multi-year duration projects and prioritizing funding based on physical progress.

(By Order of the Governor)

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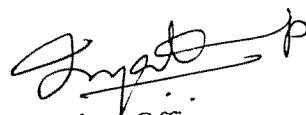
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