

F.No.CPS 5-1/2010-NFSM
GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & CO OPERATION
NFSM-CELL

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 06.06.2011

To,

The Mission Director
National Food Security Mission
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Chhattisgarh
Gujarat, Haryana, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala
Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan
Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal


Sub: Inclusion of Sulphur 80%WDG as alternative source of Sulphur and Micorrhiza as Bio-fertilizer under NFSM programme-reg.

Sir,

On the subject cited above, it is to informed that the competent authority has approved the (1) inclusion of Sulphur 80%WDG as alternative source of Sulphur with subject to condition that (i) application of 80% WDG sulphur fertilizer may not be suitable for acidic soils as on oxidation, it may be converted to sulphuric acid and may be leached out. (ii) Gypsum and Phospho gypsum are used by cement industries; therefore, availability is a constraint in some states. (iii) Keeping in view the limited availability and high transport cost of gypsum and phosphogypsum in states application of 80% WDG sulphur may be a viable option for well drained/non-acidic soils. However, use of gypsum and phosphogypsum should be preferred over element sulphur. An assistance @ Rs. 750/- per ha. or 50% of the cost, whichever is less, could be given to the farmers under NFSM programme.

(2) Inclusion of Micorrhiza as Bio-fertilizer under NFSM-Pulses programme with an assistance @ Rs. 100/- per ha. or 50% of the cost, whichever is less, could be given to the farmers.

Yours faithfully


(A. Neeraja)
Director (Crops)

Copy for information and necessary action to:

1. The Secretary (Agriculture) of all 17 NFSM States.
2. PPS to Agriculture Commissioner
3. P.S. to L.S. (Crops)
4. All National Consultants.
5. A.C/J.D/A.D/STA (NFSM)/ US (CA-V)/S.O. (NFSM).
6. All state's files of NFSM-Rice/Wheat/Pulses.

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Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
Department of Agriculture & Cooperation
(NFSM Cell)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: May, 2011
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To,

The Principal Secretary (Agriculture)/Secretary (Agriculture)
Government of Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Chattisgarh, Haryana,
Karnataka, Kerala, Manipur, Maharashtra, Nagaland, Orissa,
Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamilnadu, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal

Subject: Formulation of "Award Scheme" for recognizing the efforts of the best performing states in foodgrain production during 2010-11 - regarding.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to invite reference to this Ministry letter of even number dated 13th April, 2011 on the subject cited above and to say that the selection of the states would be done through a process of initial screening by the Department followed by presentation by the States before the Committee headed by Secretary (A&C). Accordingly, it has been decided to convene the meeting of the Committee on 9th June, 2011 at 11.00 AM in the Committee Room No. 1, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.

You are, therefore, requested to participate along with one Technical Officer and make a brief presentation of about 10-15 minutes (10 slides) covering the specific issues given as under:-

- Results of crop cutting experiments endorsed by SASA.
- Procurement figures of foodgrains for 2010-11 endorsed by State Food Secretary.
- Expenditure under state as well as central programmes (especially NFSM, RKVY, MMA and ATMA) supporting foodgrains production from 2007-08 to 2010-11. Analysis of increase in allocation and efficiency.
- New innovations/initiatives adopted for enhancing agriculture production; lessons learnt; replication and scaling up of the same.
- Inter-Departmental coordination with power, irrigation, fertilizers, credit, etc.
- Future prospects for foodgrain production.

Yours faithfully



(Mukesh Khullar)

Joint Secretary (Crops)

F.No. 5-19/2011-NFSM
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MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & CO OPERATION
CROPS DIVISION
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KRISHI BHAVAN, NEW DELHI.
DATED: 06.06.2011

सेवा में,
संचालक कृषि
किमान कल्याण एवं कृषि विकास
मध्य प्रदेश सरकार, भोपाल

विषय:- A3P वर्ष 2010-11 की वचत राशि में खरीफ, 2011 में ली जाने वाली यूनिट संबंधी।

Subject:- Approval of Additional A3P units during Kharif, 2011 with the utilization of saving of A3P programme during 2010-11-reg.

संदर्भ:- आपका पत्र क्रमांक/रा.खा.मु.मि./2011/3/443 दिनांक 29.04.2011.

महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषयक संदर्भ में मुझे यह कहने का निदेश हुआ है कि वर्ष 2010-11 में A3P कार्यक्रम के अर्न्तगत आपके राज्य को जारी की धनराशि में से हुई वचत से वर्ष 2010-11 में आयोजित A3P कार्यक्रम के क्षेत्रों में ई-पेस्ट सर्विलेस कार्यक्रम चलाने के लिए आवंटित धनराशि को सुगुणित रखने के वाद वची शेष राशि में से 15 A3P युनिट के आयोजन हेतु रु 728 लाख खर्च करने की अनुमति प्रदान की जाती है।

In the reference cited above, I am directed to convey that the competent authority of this department has allowed to implement the 15 additional units of A3P with an outlay of Rs.728.00 lakh during Kharif 2011 from the savings of A3P units conducted during 2010-11 after deducting the allotted amount for conducting e-pest surveillance work in the areas in which A3P units was conducted during 2010-11.

Yours faithfully,


(A. Neeraja)
Director (crops)

Copy to:

1. The Director of Agriculture, Govt. of A.P., Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Jharkhand, Haryana, Karnataka, Maharashtra, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh & West Bengal. For information and necessary action as stated above.
2. Under Secretary (Finance-I), DAC, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
3. Under Secretary (CA-V), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
4. S.O. (NFSM), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
5. PPS to AC/PS to JS (Crops)/PS to Director (Crops).
6. Director, DMD/AC(NFSM)/AD (Pulses).
7. Director, Crop Development Directorate (CDDs), Rice-Patna, Wheat-Ghaziabad, Pulses-Bhopal, Millets-Jaipur, Cotton-Mumbai, Jute-Kolkata, Oilseeds-Hyderabad, Sugarcane-Lucknow and Tobboco-Chennai.
8. All National Consultant of NFSM, NSC, Pusa, New Delhi.
9. All national STAs of NFSM Programme at Krishi Bhavan & NSC, New Delhi.
10. Guard file.

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F.No. CPS 5-26/2011-NFSM
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
Department of Agriculture & Cooperation
(NFSM Cell)

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 7th June, 2011

To,

The Managing Director
Small Farmer's Agri Business Consortium
Ministry of Agriculture
Govt. of India
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August Cranti Marg, Opposite Asiad Village
Haus Khas, New Delhi-110016


Subject: Setting up Management Support Group (MSG) for programme of Integrated Development of Pulse Village in Rainfed Areas.

Sir,

I am invite reference to your revised proposal on the subject forwarded to us and to convey in principle approval for an allocation of Rs. 94 lakh for setting up MSG under Integrated Development of Pulses Village in Rainfed areas.

It would be appreciated, if a detailed work plan is forwarded to us on the basis of revised proposal within a week day time to facilitate release of first installment.

Yours faithfully


(A. Neeraja)
Director (Crops)