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File No 2-4/2017- NFSM
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare
Crops Division, NFSM-Cell

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 5th October, 2017

To,
Additional Chief Secretary & APC,
Department of Agriculture,
Government of Assam,
Dispur, Guwahati-06.

Sub: Implementation of National Food Security Mission (NFSM)- **Approval of the programme of Additional Area Coverage for increasing Pulses Production during Rabi /Summer 2017-18 under NFSM-Pulses-reg.**

Sir,

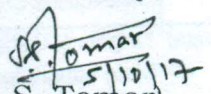
Kindly refer to letter No. Agri/Ext./NFSM/305/2017-18/95 dated 21.09.2017 received from Director Agriculture, Government of Assam sending therewith the action plan for the programme of Additional Area Coverage for Increasing Pulses Production during Rabi /Summer 2017-18 for an amount of Rs.1100.00 lakh.

The proposal of the State Government has been examined and I am directed to convey the approval of competent authority for implementation of the above programme with total outlay of **Rs. 1100.000** lakh for the year 2017-18, shared between Government of India and State Government at in 90:10 sharing basis with **Rs. 990.000** lakh as central share and **Rs. 110.000** lakh as State Share. The intervention-wise physical targets and financial outlays as proposed by state vis-a-vis targets & outlays approved by GOI under the programme is **Annexed.**

The State shall implement the Action Plan as per norms of NFSM guidelines. **The varieties of seeds of pulses used for cluster demonstration and seed distribution should not be more than 15 years old.** State shall follow the cafeteria of demonstrations as approved under normal NFSM-Pulses.

State may submit progress report of Physical and Financial achievements of this programme to this Ministry on Quarterly basis **separately** and not be included under the progress report of NFSM-Pulses.

Yours faithfully,


(Dr. S. S. Tomar)

Additional Commissioner (Crops)

Copy to:-

1. Director (Agriculture), Govt. of Assam, Khanapara, Guwahati-22
2. Director, Directorate of Jute Development, Kolkata.
3. Director, Directorate of Pulses Development, Bhopal.
4. PPS to Joint Secretary (Crops)/Director (Crops)
5. Addl. Commissioner (Crops)/DC (Crops)/ AD (Crops), US, CA-V/Section Officer
6. All National Consultants,), CA-V/Programmer (NFSM All STAs / TAs (NFSM), File No. CPS 2-1/2017-NFSM, Guard file

