



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA



Abstract

Agriculture Department - Annual Plan 2024-25 - Scheme - Soil and Root Health Management and Productivity Improvement - Continuous Administrative Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (NCA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.476/2024/AGRI Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 30-05-2024

Read: 1. G.O(Rt)No.766/2023/AGRI dated 03.08.2023.

2. Letter No.ADFW/5323/2024-TP2 dated 28.04.2024 of the Director of Agriculture.

ORDER

In the Annual Plan 2024-25, an amount of Rs.550.00 lakh is earmarked for the scheme "Soil and Root Health Management and Productivity Improvement" under the head of account 2401-00-800-28 Plan. As per the Government Order read 1st paper above, Administrative Sanction was accorded for an amount of Rs.218.53780 lakh for the scheme during the last financial year 2023-24.

2. The Director of Agriculture as per the letter read 2nd paper above has requested continuous Administrative Sanction for an amount of Rs.550 lakh for the scheme "Soil and Root Health Management and Productivity Improvement" , since there is no change in the components included in the last financial year or the rate of assistance for the components.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord continuous Administrative Sanction for implementing the following components of the Scheme "Soil and root health management and productivity improvement" by meeting the expenditure of Rs.550 lakhs from the head of account 2401-00-800-28 Plan during the current financial year.

Sl.No.	Component	Rate of assistance	Amount (Rs.in lakhs)

1	Support for integrated nutrient management in non-paddy crops included soil ameliorants, secondary and micro nutrients	Rs.500/- per Ha	412.00
2	Root health management		
	a. Promotion of on-farm production technology for mass production of Trichoderma spp. and Pseudomonas	Rs.750/- per Ha	80.00
	b. Establishment of on-farm VAM production units	Rs.20,000/- per unit	20.00
3	Conduct of Soil Testing Campaigns	Rs.3500/- per Krishi Bhavan	38.00
	TOTAL		550.00

(By order of the Governor)
MOHAMAD HANEEFA M M
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

The Director of Agriculture, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Chief (Agriculture), State Planning Board, Pattom, Tvpm.

The Secretary, State Agriculture Prices Board, Thiruvananthapuram.

The District Treasury Officer, Thiruvananthapuram.

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

Finance Department

Planning and Economic Affairs Department.

I & PR (Web & New Media) Department.

Agriculture (PB) Department

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