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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Agriculture Department - Centrally Sponsored Scheme - Agriculture Extension under Krishonnati Yojana - ATMA 2024-25 - Release of *fourth installment* - Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

AGRICULTURE (PA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.281/2025/AGRI Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 22-03-2025

- Read 1 G.O.(P) No. 24/2017/Fin dated 21/02/2017.
 - 2 Circular No. 44/2021/Fin dated 24/05/2021 of Finance (Planning- A) Department, Government of Kerala.
 - 3 G.O(P) No. 38/2022/Fin dated 26.03.2022.
 - 4 G.O(Rt) No.729/2024/Agri dated 01.08.2024.
 - 5 G.O.(Rt)No.1059/2024/Agri dated 12.11.2024.
 - 6 Letter F.No. 04/02/2024-KY dt 21.11.2024 from the Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare, GoI.
 - 7 Circular No. 02/2025/Fin dated 10.01.2025.
 - 8 G.O(Rt) No. 215/2025/Agri dated 12.03.2025.
 - 9 Letter F.No. 04/02/2024-KY dated 21.03.2025 from the Ministry of Agriculture& Farmers' Welfare, GoI .
 - 10 Letter No. ADFW/4919/2024-TP1 dated 22.03.2025 from the Director of Agriculture, Thiruvananthapuram .

ORDER

As per Government Orders read as 4th, 5th & 8th papers read above, sanction was accorded to the Director of Agriculture to release the first, second and third installments respectively under the scheme *Sub Mission on Agricultural Extension-ATMA* for an amount of ₹458.33334 lakhs each. Director of Agriculture, as per the letter read as 10th paper above has informed that the third installment was completely utilized while other components included in the mother sanction like MIDH required more time for implementation at the field level. Thus Govt of India as per the letter read as 8th paper above have reallocated 275 lakhs allocated under MIDH to SMAE (ATMA) raising

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the total allocation in the mother sanction towards SMAE (ATMA) to **550 lakhs**. The reallocation thus effected the release of the *4th installment* under SMAE (ATMA) for the current year for 275 lakhs - Central share. The category-wise split up of the release is as follows:

(₹ in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Category	Central (60%)	State (40%)	Total
1.	ATMA (General)	245.85	163.9	409.75
2.	ATMA (SCPSC)	25.025	16.68333	41.70833
3.	ATMA (TSP)	4.125	2.75	6.875
	Total	275	183.33333	458.33333

- 2. The Director of Agriculture as per the letter read as 10th paper above has requested to release the 4th installment of funds under SMAE-ATMA for a total amount of ₹ 458.33334 lakhs (Rupees Four crores fifty eight lakhs thirty three thousand three hundred and thirty four only). DA has informed that the fund release is vital in payment of salary to the field level functionaries and for achievements of physical components approved in the AAP.
- 3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord sanction to the Director of Agriculture to release an amount of ₹458.33334 lakh (Rupees Four Crores Fifty Eight Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Three Hundred and Thirty Four only) as the fourth installment of funds under Sub Mission on Agriculture Extension under Krishonnati Yojana ATMA 2024-25 scheme for implementation through SPARSH as detailed in the table below:

Sl No	Component	Head of account	Amount released (₹ in Lakhs)
1	SMAE (General)	2401-00-109-64-02	409.98333
2	SMAE (SCPSC)	2401-00-789-80-02	41.70001
3	SMAE (TSP)	2401-00-796-79-02	6.65
	Total		458.33334

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4. The Director of Agriculture is authorised to draw and disburse the amount for the purpose subject to the condition that the amount earmarked for SCP and TSP components will be spent exclusively for the respective category of beneficiaries. The Director of Agriculture has to take timely steps to regularize the additional expenditure through Reappropriation of the Savings only within the Grant, before the close of the current financial year.

5. The Director of Agriculture after completion of the financial year should prepare a reconciled Statement of Expenditure (SoE) and furnish the same to Accountant General (Audit) as stipulated in Government Order read as 1st to 3rd papers above.

(By Order of the Governor)

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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To

- 1. The Joint Secretary (Extension Division), Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 2. The Director, Agriculture Development & Farmers' Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 3. The Principal Accountant General (A&E/Audit-I/Audit-11), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 4. The District Treasury Officer, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 5. The Finance (Agri-B)Department
- 6. The Finance (Planning Special Cell) Department.
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Forwarded /By order

Section Officer