

F. No. M-15011/10/2023-MIDH
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Horticulture Division – MIDH
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Room No. 457, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi

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Dated the 25th September, 2023

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (Sectt. – II),
Pay & Accounts Office,
Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare,
1st Floor, Jeevan Tara Building, Sansad Marg,
New Delhi - 110001.

Subject: - Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH/NHM) under Krishonnati Yojna –release of 1st installment funds (**General Category**) to UT of Andaman and Nicobar Administration (**High Value Agriculture Development Agency, Port Blair**) during 2023-24.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Department's letter No. 15012/1/2023-MIDH dated 04.05.2023 about the administrative approval for implementation of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) under Krishonnati Yojna and to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of an amount of **Rs.69,25,000/- (Rupees Sixty-nine lakh and Twenty-five thousand only)** during 2023-24, for implementation of the Scheme, as per details given below: -

S. No	Name of State	Name of the Implementing Agency to whom the funds are to be released	Funds to be released
1.	Andaman and Nicobar Islands (100%)	UT of Andaman and Nicobar Administration, High Value Agriculture Development Agency, Port Blair.	Rs.69,25,000
	Total		Rs.69,25,000


2. This assistance under the scheme is in the form of 100% grants-in-aid by Central Government.

3. The funds to the UT of Andaman and Nicobar Administration may be released as per extant procedure.

4. The said Grants-in-aid will be subject to the following conditions: -

(a) The grants shall be utilized and disbursed by the concerned implementing agency in accordance with the MIDH/NHM Operational Guidelines, Annual Action Plan/Administrative Approval for the year 2023-24 and in accordance with the conditions stipulated in this letter.

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- (b) The implementing agency shall maintain proper accounts of the expenditure incurred and submit the statement of audited accounts and Utilization Certificates to this Department as soon as possible after the close of the financial year.
- (c) The audited records of all assets (permanent or semi-permanent) acquired wholly or substantially out of the grant to the implementing agency should be maintained as prescribed in General Financial Rule 2017 and shall be furnished to the Government of India annually by the end of June, following the financial year to which it relates.
- (d) Assets permanent or semi-permanent acquired wholly or substantially out of the grant by the Government of India shall not, without prior approval of the Government of India, be disposed of, encumbered or utilized for the purpose other than those for which the grant is being sanctioned.
- (e) The accounts of the implementing agency shall be open to Internal Audit of the Principal Accounts Officer, Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare as well as the Statutory Audit by the Comptroller & Auditor General of India at his discretion and he shall have the right to demand the production of books, accounts, connected vouchers and other documents and papers in this regard.
- (f) The concerned implementing agency shall furnish the physical and financial progress report to this Department on monthly basis in the prescribed format.
- (g) The Implementing Agencies will follow other terms and conditions contained in the General Financial Rules 2017, as amended from time to time.
- (h) All grantee institutions shall submit Utilization Certificates in prescribed proforma (GFR-12C) on PFMS [Rule 86(6)].
- (i) The Further use of Grants in Aid being released by this sanction Order, is to be done through EAT module of PFMS. The Utilization Certificate not supported by the EAT module data is likely to be rejected and expenditure is not to be treated as regular. The agency would be forced to refund the amount received as the expenditure not appearing in EAT module data is not to be taken as expenditure incurred in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Sanction Order.

5. The expenditure shall be debited to the following Head of Account: -


Demand No. 1 (Plan)		(Rs. in lakh)
Head of Account	Description	Funds to be released
MH - 2401	Crop Husbandry	
00.119	Horticulture & Vegetable Crops	
59	Krihonnati Yojna	
01	Integrated Development of Horticulture	
590131	Grants-in-aid - General	69.25

6. The Grants-in-aid is sanctioned for recurring expenditure.

7. This sanction issues with the approval of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy. No. 129358-FTS/AS & FA dated 19/09/2023.

8. This has been noted at Serial No.31 of the Register of Grants of 2023-24 as per GFR 235 (A).

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9. No UC is pending against High Value Agriculture Development Agency, Port Blair.
10. This CSS has no state share and requirement of SNAs has been waived by the Secretary in consultation with Financial Adviser.

Yours faithfully,
AK Shakya
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