

ABSTRACT

Forests – Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives – Providing 300 litre Fermentor and mixing blender of 50 kg capacity in modern Nursery Division, Dharmapuri for the three years at a total cost of Rs.12.00 lakhs under State Innovation Fund – Amount of Rs.10.00 lakhs – Sanction – Orders issued.

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.7) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(D) No: 38

Dated : 09.02.2018 ஹேவிளம்பி, தை– 27 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு – 2049.

Read:

1) From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Letter No. J1/24259/2017, dated: 06.09.2017.

2) From the Member Secretary, State Planning Commission Letter No. 1644/SPC(PC)/2017, dated 14.11.2017.

ORDER:

In the letter first read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has stated that fermentation activities, by being one of the first agribusiness activities. have expanded the range of activities that define agriculture to go beyond food production to processing of crops in order to produce new materials; some of them serve for nourishment, while others have different purposes. With fermentation, the agricultural system expanded to include wineries and bakeries in addition to field crops and livestock. Now, fermentation is a key to generating bio-fuels and bio-fuel refineries are becoming a part of agribusiness, linking agriculture to the energy sector. The new bio-economy will drastically expand the range of products that originated with agricultural activities to include food, new medicines and chemicals and thus provide new sources of support to the rural sector to make the rural economy a much bigger part of the major industrial sector. Since the bio-economy is knowledge intensive and requires significant investment in research and development, both to discover new products as well as to protect against disease, the agricultural sector and the rural regions will be involved in modern bio-economy activities to expand their scientific capabilities. It is expected to see an inflow of capital, both physical and human, to the life science disciplines that will support the new bio-economy. This investment in research is likely to forge a link between agricultural research, engineering and scientific research.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has, therefore, requested to sanction a sum of Rs.12.00 lakhs (Rupees Twelve lakhs only) for providing 300 litre fermentor and mixing blender of 50 kg capacity in modern Nursery Division, Dharmapuri for a period of three years from 2017-2018 to 2019-2020 under State Innovation Fund.

- 3. The State Planning Commission has recommended this proposal in the letter second read above.
- 4. The Government, after careful consideration, accept the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and accord administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.12.00 lakhs (Rupees Twelve lakhs only) and financial sanction for a sum of Rs.10.00 lakhs (Rupees Ten lakhs only) towards the scheme of providing 300 litre fermentor and mixing blender of 50 kg capacity in Modern Nursery Division, Dharmapuri under State Innovation Fund during the year 2017-2018 as detailed below:-

(Rupees in lakhs) Recommended outlay Total SI. Name of scheme No. 2nd 1st Year 3rd year year (2017-18)(2019-20)(2018-19)1.00 12.00 300 litre 10.00 1.00 1 providing fermentor and mixing in blender - 50 kg capacity in Modern Nursery Division, Dharmapuri under State Innovation Fund for the year 2017-2018.

5. (i). The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

"2415 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION -06 Forestry – 004 Research – State's Expenditure – JH Providing fermentor and mixing blender in modern nursery division of dharmapuri under State Innovation Fund – 19 Machinery and Equipments – 01 purchase.

(DPC - 2415 06 004 JH 1918)"

(ii) The expenditure shall be met from the State Innovation Fund by deducting under the following head of account:-

"2415 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EDUCATION -06 Forestry — 902 Deduct — Amount met from State Innovation Fund. State's Expenditure. JA Deduct — Amount met from State Innovation Fund. 30 Inter Account Transfers.

(DPC - 2415 06 902 JA 3005)"

And Contra -debiting the following fund account:-

"J- Reserve Fund – (b) Reserve funds not bearing interest – 8229- 00 – Development Welfare Funds – 200. Other Development and Welfare Funds – BE State Innovation Fund.

(DPC - 8229 00 200 BE 0006) (Outgo)

6. Necessary funds have been included in the Supplementary Estimates 2017-2018.

- 7. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 4 above. He is also requested to ensure that the amount sanctioned therein is utilized in full and to send the utilization certificate as soon as the work is completed.
- 8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O. No.64124/AHD&F/2017, dated 05.02.2018.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

Md. NASIMUDDIN PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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