Crop Production and Input Management Scheme: Goa

Details of Crop Production and Input Management Scheme

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Details:

a) **High Yielding certified seeds**: Certified and hybrid seeds are supplied to the farmers through Cooperative Societies and 50% subsidy is provided at source on cost of this seed.

b) **Assistance for fencing**: To ensure crop protection from stray cattle and wild animals assistance of 50% of the cost with maximum Rs. 1.5 lakhs is provided. Different types of fencing such as Barbed/G.I. Wire fencing, Stone Wall Fencing, G.I. or Synthetic chain link or wire mesh fencing, Solar Powered Battery fencing and live fencing are admissible for a subsidy. 70% subsidy is provided to SC/ST farmers.
c) **Distribution of paddy, pulses and groundnut seed mini kits:** To popularize cultivation of new improved varieties / hybrid seed, mini kits are distributed for trial in small quantities free of cost.

d) **100% seed treatment program:** Chemicals/bio-pesticides are supplied free of cost to the farmers to keep control on seed borne pest and diseases.

e) **Development of Sugarcane:**

   i) **New area expansion and replanting in sugarcane:** Assistance of 50% of the cost i.e. to Rs. 40,000/- is provided towards inputs to the farmer in 2 installment of Rs. 20,000/- each and linked to the bank loan.

   ii) **Assistance for Ratoon Sugarcane:** 25% assistance towards manure and fertilizers is provided for ratoon crop limited to Rs.5,000/- per ha.

f) **Plant Protection:**

   i) **Assistance for Bio-pesticides and bio-control agents and sex pheromones:** 50% assistance is provided on the cost of material. Maximum subsidy of Rs. 8,000/- shall be provided for area of 4 ha. 70% to SC/ST farmers.

   ii) **Assistance for Weedicides, pesticides, fungicides in endemic area:** 50% assistance i.e. Rs. 2,000/- per ha. is provided against the cost of chemical. SC/ST farmers shall be provided 70% subsidy.
iii) **Assistance for control of Eupatorium salvinia and other obnoxious weeds:** Financial assistance of Rs. 5000/- per ha. is provided for uprooting and destruction of dense and Rs. 2,500/- per ha. for sparsely infested areas on project basis with prior approval.

**g) Mechanization in Agriculture**

i) **Custom service:** In order to bring more area under paddy, sugarcane, pulses and groundnut and to economize on the cost of cultivation by farmers 50% subsidy on the standard hire charges i.e. Rs. 250/- p/hr. for tractor, Rs. 164 p/hr for power tiller, Rs. 200 p/ha. for mini tractor and Rs. 2,000/- p/hr for paddy combine shall be paid to the farmer for cultivating these crops.

ii) **Assistance for purchase of Tractor (30 HP & above):** Tractors of 30 HP and above with the minimum one ploughing implement is provided 50% assistance of the standard cost or actual cost whichever is less for an individual farmers. In case of SC/ST farmers, Village Agro Service Centre, register NGO, registered Society with agriculture mandate, assistance to the extent of 70% of the standard cost of the tractor or actual cost whichever is less is provided. The maximum subsidy for the tractor with one implement shall be Rs. 2.75 lakhs for general farmer with 50% subsidy and Rs. 3.85 lakhs for Farmers club, registered Societies, Village Agro Service Centres with 70% subsidy.

iii) **Subsidy for purchase of power tiller upto 18 HP:** Under this component, subsidy shall be provided for power tiller upto 18 HP to the extent of 50% of the standard cost or the actual cost, whichever is less, maximum limited to Rs. 63,500/-. In case of SC/ST farmers, Village Agro Service Centre, register NGO, registered Society with agriculture mandate, assistance to the
extent of 70% of the standard cost of the tractor or actual cost whichever is less is provided.

iv) **Subsidy for purchase of power driven implement**: The tractor or power tiller driven equipments, like disc, plough, M.B. plough ridger, disc harrow, cultivator, clod crusher, harvesting, attachment, leveling blade, thresher, tractor or power tiller trailers, etc. shall be provided subsidy to the extent of 50% of the standard cost or the actual cost whichever is less, SC/ST farmers shall be provided with 70% subsidy.

v) **Subsidy for improved manually operated/bullock drawn implements and tools**: The improved implements and tools that are manually operated or bullock drawn such as harvesting pole, telescopic pruner, inter cultivator, ridger, bullock drawn groundnut digger, etc. shall be provided subsidy of 50% of the standard cost or the actual cost whichever is less for general farmer and 70% for SC/ST farmer.

vi) **Subsidy for specialized power drawn equipment**: Subsidy of 50% or 70% as per the category of the standard cost or the actual cost, whichever is less, shall be provided for equipments like groundnut digger, cleaner cum grader, stubble shaver, fruit harvester.

vii) **Subsidy for purchase of plant protection equipments**: 50% or 70% subsidy of standard cost or the actual cost, whichever is less, shall be provided to all types of manually operated Power & Tractor operated Plant Protection Equipments.
viii) **Machinery other than above:** Machinery like fruit pulper, drier, cashew juice extractor and all new attachments to the machinery shall be provided 50% subsidy.

ix) **Modern Agriculture Machinery & Equipment:** The following identified machinery/ implements shall be provided 70% subsidy on the standard cost or the actual cost of machinery whichever is less. Any subsidy received from the Government of India would be adjusted within 70% subsidy.

1. Laser leveler
2. Rotovator for tractor
3. Multi crop seed drill
4. Sugarcane cutter planter
5. Self propelled or power driven paddy reaper
6. Multi crop thresher
7. Small sugarcane harvesters
8. Kokum Shredder
9. Rotary weeder for tractor
10. Post hole digger
11. Paddy seeder
12. Groundnut decorticator
13. Paddy transplanter
14. Mini Tractor
15. Small inter culture machines
16. Combine harvester
17. Coconut / areca nut tree climber
18. Coconut / areca nut de husker/peeker
19. Mechanized Shredder for composting

x) **Assistance for revival of fallow lands:** Assistance of maximum Rs. 25,000/- per ha. for a minimum of one ha. and maximum of 2.0 ha. per owner/cooperative is shall be provided as back ended subsidy to bring long standing fallow land into productive agricultural use.