

Guidelines to Varahpalan Scheme

Introduction

Among the various livestock species, piggery is most potential source of meat production and pigs are more efficient feed converters after the broiler. Apart from providing meat, it is also a source of bristles and manure. Pig farming will provide employment opportunities to seasonally employed rural farmers and supplementary income to improve their living standards. The advantages of the pig farming are:

1. They are prolific with shorter generation interval.
2. A sow can be bred as early as 8-9 months of age and can farrow twice in a year. They produce 6-12 piglets in each farrowing.
3. Pig farming requires small investment on buildings and equipments.
4. Pigs are known for their meat yield, which in terms of dressing percentage ranges from 65 - 80 in comparison to other livestock species whose dressing yields may not exceed 65%.
5. Pork is most nutritious with high fat and low water content and has got better energy value than that of other meats.
6. It is rich in vitamins like thiamin, Niacin and riboflavin.
7. Pig manure is widely used as fertilizer for agriculture farms and fish ponds.
8. Pigs store fat rapidly for which there is an increasing demand from poultry feed, soap, paints and other chemical industries.
9. Pig farming provides quick returns since the marketable weight of fatteners can be achieved with in a period of 6-8 months.
10. There is good demand from domestic as well as export market for pig products such as pork, bacon, ham, sausages, lard etc.

Objective:

- 1) To provide financial assistance for purchase and rearing of exotic/crossbred Pigs.
- 2) To augment the pork production in the State & to make the state self sufficient in pork production.
- 3) To provide subsidiary occupation to unemployed youth
- 4) To motivate farmers to undertake scientific & intensive pig farming.
- 5) To upgrade local stock to make piggery farming profitable.

Eligibility :

- 1) Any farmer residing for minimum 05 years in the state.
- 2) Should have undergone training in Piggery Management
- 3) The scheme is applicable for any individual in the State however, area of operation shall be only Panchayat.

DOCUMENTS TO BE PRODUCED:-

- a) Residence Certificate (05 years residence) from Mamlatdar/ or his name in election roll for more than five years /driving licence issued in the state of Goa of more than five years /passport more than five years/Scheduled or Nationalised Bank Acct. of more than five years/or any other Government documents indicating his residence in the State for atleast 05 years.
- b) Certified copy of Aadhar Card.
- c) Certificate of training in Piggery Management.
- d) Documents indicating the ownership of land in Form No.I & XIV/ Kisan Card or copy of lease deed for 6 years or NOC from the Land Owner for 6 years or evidence of Tenancy.
- e) Survey site plan/plan of the proposed Unit
- f) N.O.C. from respective Village Panchayat
- g) Caste certificate issued by competent authority if the applicant belongs to SC/ST/OBC community.
- h) Passport size photograph of the applicant

Pattern of Assistance :

An individual farmer can purchase piglets or adult sows/boars as specified below :-

Details	Particulars		Weight
Piglets (Max 20 Nos. + 2) Permissible Male/Female ratio as indicated in particulars Column (2)	Females	Males	Maximum 20 kgs. body weight per piglet
	05-10 11-20	01 02	
Adult sows and boars (Max 20 Nos. + 2) Permissible Male/Female ratio as indicated in Column particulars	03-10	01	Maximum 90 kgs. body weight per adult sow
	11-20	02	Maximum 120 kgs. body weight per adult boar

The cost will be Rs.120/- per kilo live body weight per piglet /adult sow/ adult boar with a subsidy component @ 62.5% for males to a maximum of Rs.9,000/- each and @ 74% for females to a maximum of Rs. 8000/- each. Proportionate subsidy will be released depending on number and weight of the piglets/Sows/boars purchased by the beneficiary. Subsidy will be available to farmers to a maximum of 20 females and 02 males piglets/adult pigs.

For shed construction the subsidy for infrastructure will be maximum Rs.2000/- (Rupees two thousand only) per pig.

For Gobar gas Unit, the maximum permissible unit cost will be Rs. 50,000/- including accessories and installation. The subsidy component will be @ 75 % i.e. Rs.37,500/-. Provided that no such benefit for Gobar Gas Plant is obtained from any other Government Agencies/Department.

For other equipment as per list at Annexure III, the maximum permissible cost will be Rs.32,800/-The subsidy component will be @ 75% i.e. Rs. 26,100/-.

Subsidy amount shall be credited to the bank account of the beneficiary through **DBT Platform only.**

Procedure :

1. Beneficiary should submit the application for purchase of pigglings to the Directorate of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services, Panaji in the prescribed form through the respective Veterinary Officer/ Assistant Director of his/her jurisdiction.
2. N.O.C. from the respective Village Panchayat for setting up the Piggery unit should be enclosed along with application form.
3. The Beneficiary can set up the Piggery unit with his own finance or by taking loan from any financing Institutions of his/her choice.
4. The beneficiary shall purchase the pigglings from the Government Piggery Farm, Curti Ponda Goa. In case the pigglings are not available in the Govt. piggery farm, the required number of pigglings can be purchased from any other registered Pig Farm after obtaining NOC from the in charge of Government Piggery Farm, Curti Ponda Goa and with prior permission from the Director, Directorate of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services, under intimation to the area Veterinary Officer/ Assistant Director.
5. The beneficiary should set up the unit within 6 months from the date of sanction of the application
6. Only on receipt of utilization certificate and all other required receipts from the respective Veterinary Officer / Assistant Director the subsidy shall be released to the beneficiary. In case he has availed Bank finance for setting up the unit, the subsidy shall be released to the Bank to be credited to the Beneficiary's loan account.
7. Before release of the subsidy the beneficiary has to execute an Agreement Bond on a prescribed Stamp Paper, stating that the unit shall not be closed for a minimum period of 5 years from the date of release of subsidy in a prescribed format. **Prorata recovery of subsidy in case unit closed before 5years for any reason which will be recovered as arrears under land revenue code.**
8. The beneficiary should get the pigs vaccinated regularly as per recommended vaccination schedule under the guidance of the local Assistant Director/Veterinary Officer.
9. The insurance of the pigs is optional and the beneficiary can insure the pigs, if he/she so desires, at his /her own cost.
10. The subsidy shall be released only on completion of the entire unit

The following Documents are required for release of subsidy.

1. Utilisation Certificate certified by Area Assistant Director/Veterinary Officer.
2. Bills/vouchers pertaining to the construction of Pig Sty, store room, Biogas plant, waste pit etc duly certified by Area Officer. V.O./Assistant Director to certify availability of structure for the purpose.
3. Purchase receipt of sows / boars/ pigglings with health certificate from the area Veterinary Officer / Assistant Director.
4. Cash receipt of equipments purchased (Subsidy will be admissible for new equipments only) duly certified by Area Assistant Director/Veterinary Officer.
5. Undertaking that the unit will run for 5 yrs. Pro-rata recovery of subsidy in case unit closed before 5 years for any reason which will be recovered as arrears under land revenue code.

6. An agreement has to be signed in a prescribed format on stamp paper by the beneficiary with the Department / Government.
7. One time subsidy will be released after the completion of the unit in all respect and only after inspection by the committee constituted by the Department of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, the subsidy amount shall be credited by **DBT mode** to the account of the beneficiary.

ANNEXURE I

Sr. No.	PARTICULARS	MAXIMUM SUBSIDY
1.	For piglets (Maximum 20 Kgs. body weight) @ Rs.120/- per Kg. body wt.	@ 62.5 % of Unit Cost for male piglet & @ 74% of the Unit Cost for female piglet.
2.	For sows (Maximum 90 Kgs. body weight)@ Rs.120/- per Kg. body wt.	Max. Subsidy Rs. 8000/- per sow.
3.	For Boars (Maximum 90 Kgs. body weight)@ Rs.120/- per Kg. body wt.	Max. Subsidy Rs. 9000/- per boar.
4.	For infrastructure a maximum of Rs.2000/- per pig.	Max. Rs.44,000/-.

ANNEXURE II

Sr. No.	PARTICULARS	DETAILS	MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE COST Rs.	Subsidy @ 75% Rs.
1.	Gobar Gas Unit	Maximum unit cost being Rs.50,000/- including accessories and installation.	50,000/-	37,500/-
2.	Other Equipments	List of equipments as per annexure III	34,800/-	26,100/-

ANNEXURE-III

(Other items under Varah Palan Scheme)

SR No	PARTICULARS	DESCRIPTION	Permissible UNIT Cost in Rs.	Permissible Nos.	Eligibility	Subsidy @75% in Rs.
1.	SLED WASHER	1.5 H.P Motor Power Operated	20,000	1	Unit of minimum 20 pigs	15,000/-

2.	SPRAY PUMP	15 Ltrs Capacity	2000	1	Unit of minimum 10 pigs	1500/-
3.	FANS	Ceiling fans/Wall fans	2400	2	Unit of minimum 20 pigs	1800/-
4.	WHEEL BARROW WITH ZINC METAL BUCKET	Two Wheels 25" x 22" of 16 C	5500	1	Unit of minimum 10 pigs	4125/-
5.	WATER STORAGE TANK	500 Ltrs capacity	3500	1	Unit of minimum 20 pigs	2625/-
6.	SPADES	Medium Size	200	1	Unit of minimum 10 pigs	150/-
7.	GHAMELAS	Ghamelas Medium Size	500	2	Unit of minimum 10 pigs	375/-
8.	Steel Buckets	10 Ltrs capacity	700	2	Unit of minimum 10 pigs	525/-

GOVERNMENT OF GOA

**DIRECTORATE OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND VETERINARY SERVICES,
PASHU SAMVARDHAN BHAVAN, PATTO PANAJI – GOA.**

VARAH PALAN SCHEME

APPLICATION FOR SETTING UP PIGGERY UNIT

1. Name of the applicant in :-
Block Letters
2. Father's/Husband's Name:.....
3. Permanent Address :-.....
 - a) House No :-.....
 - b) Ward / Locality :-
 - c) Village / Town :-.....
 - d) Taluka :-
 - e) District:-.....
 - f) Telephone No.:-.....
4. Address of the proposed Piggery Unit
 - a) Survey No :-.....
 - b) Ward / Locality :-
 - c) Village / Town :-.....
 - d) Taluka :-
 - e) District:-.....
5. Size of the proposed Unit:
6. Whether Employed / Unemployed:-.....
Profession and Occupation if any
7. Age :-.....
8. Educational Qualification :-.....
9. Whether the unit shall be set up
with own finance or with assistance from Bank
10. Name of the Bank / Financing Institutions
11. Whether the applicant or any :-.....
Member of his / her family have
availed subsidy from this Department for

setting up of Piggery Unit or any other Animal Husbandry Schemes earlier if so, details may be indicated

12. Whether having any Piggery unit at present:if so, type and number to be indicated: -

13. Whether the applicant has own land :-..... for construction of the unit if yes, Form I & XIV may be produced. In case of Lease such a deed copy may be enclosed

14. Whether willing to execute a bond : - as per terms and conditions of this Department for payment of subsidy

15. Annexure to be attached

a) Residence Certificate (05 years residence) from Mamlatdar

b) Certified copy of Aadhar Card.

c) Certificate of training in Piggery Management.

d) Documents indicating the ownership of land in Form No.I & XIV or copy of lease deed for 6 years or NOC from the Land owner for 6 years in case of Tenants for the purpose of Piggery farming.

e) Survey site plan/plan of the proposed Unit

f) Project report in details

g) N.O.C. from respective Village Panchayat/ Municipal Council

h) Caste certificate issued by competent authority if the applicant belongs to SC/ST community.

i) Passport size photograph of the applicant

DECLARATION

1. I hereby certify that I am aware of the entire scheme containing its rules, regulations and guidelines and have enclosed all the required documents. I also hereby agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the scheme and to any changes, which the Government may effect from time to time.
2. I, hereby declare that the above information given by me is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and in case it is found false, I shall be liable for any action as the Government may deem fit and appropriate to impose upon me.

Signature of the applicant

(NAME IN FULL)

Place: -

Date: -

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Form to be verified and recommended within 15 days of receipt of application by the area Veterinary Officer/ Assistant Director:

Certified that I have personally visited the site of proposed Piggery Unit under the VARAH Scheme by _____ (name of the applicant) and found that the information given above is correct. The applicant is having/not having the required land for the proposed unit. The project submitted is verified and countersigned by me. In my opinion the project submitted is viable/not viable and the application is recommended/ not recommended for further consideration and necessary sanction.

Any other information and comments:

AFFIDAVIT

(On stamp paper and notarized)

I, the undersigned Shri/Smt.

major of age, son /daughter/ wife/ widow of..... Indian national,
resident of (full address)..... in the State of Goa do hereby
solemnly affirm on oath and submit as under:-

1. I say that, I am residing at the above said address.
2. I say that, I am the legal owner of the piggery shed existing in the plot bearing Survey No.
of Village..... Property known as
3. I say that, I will be fully responsible if there is any claim/complaint/objection from any person and I am responsible and shall face any litigation or any legal consequences.
4. I say that, I am executing this Affidavit in order to produce the same in the Office of Directorate of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services, Panaji – Goa to avail the financial benefits under the Varah Palan Scheme.
5. I say that, I will attach notarized copies of land documents (where the pigs will be housed) and also attach copies of shed construction licence from local authorities and copy of NOC from Health to the application.
6. I say that, if the ownership of land is not in my name, then NOC from the rightful owner and possessor on stamp paper duly notarized will be forwarded to Animal Husbandry Office for obtaining necessary approval.
7. I say that, a clause on such NOC will also be incorporated stating that the owner and possessor of land has no objection if the applicant carries on his pig rearing on that land for a period of at least 05 years and also that he is aware and accepts that in of case of default (by the applicant) to any of the clauses or conditions as mentioned in the agreement or as envisaged in the scheme, the applicant/beneficiary will have to return the entire subsidy availed by him/her together with any damages that may have been caused to the Government. **In case of default in payment, the government shall recover all dues from the Beneficiary as arrears of Land Revenue.**

8. I also hereby say and agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the schemes and to specific modifications done to my case and also to any changes, which the Government may effect from time to time.

9. I say that, I have read the entire Varah Palan containing its rules, regulations and guidelines and enclosed all the required documents.

10. I say that, I am executing this affidavit in order to produce the same in the office of Directorate of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services, Panaji-Goa, to avail the financial benefits of Varah Palan Scheme.

11. I say that, the content of para 1 to 11 above of the affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and also agree that in case it is found false I shall be liable for any action as Government may deem fit and appropriate to impose upon me.

Solemnly affirmed on this..... day of.....20 at.....

Identified by

Name:

DEPONENT

Name:

Full Address:

AGREEMENT BOND

**BOND TO BE EXECUTED BY THE PIGGERY UNIT BENEFICIARY WITH THE
DIRECTOR OF THE ANIMAL HUSBANDRY & VETERINARY SERVICES, PANAJI FOR
THE RELEASE OF SUBSIDY.**

An Agreement made this ----- day of ----- of the year two thousand Eighteen between Shri/Smt. ----- of village ----- taluka ----- herein after called the Bounder and the owner which terms shall include his/her heirs, assigns and Legal representative and Shri/Smt ----- resident of ----- herein after called the surety on the second part and the Directorate of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services, Panaji herein after called the Government of the third part with witnesses.

That in consideration of the Government granting under Order No. ----- dated ---- ----- to the above mentioned Shri./ Smt. ----- an amount of Rs. ----- -- (Rupees -----) as subsidy towards the setting up of Piggery unit under the Animal Husbandry Department Scheme, the above named Bounder has to agree with the Government as follows:-

- 1) The Bounder agrees that the Piggery unit is set up as per the existing rules of the scheme and all formalities have been carried out before setting up the unit.
- 2) The Piggery produce will be marketed by the Bounder.
- 3) The Piggery unit will be maintained properly with adequate health care with proper arrangement of shelter, feeding and management.
- 4) The Piggery unit will not be closed down for the period of five years from the date of release of subsidy as per the terms and conditions of the scheme.
In case of default before the scheduled period than the Bounder will be responsible for payment of subsidy to Government.
- 5) It shall be lawful for Government to recover all the subsidy of the Piggery unit along with other damages that might have been caused to the Government as arrears under Land Revenue .
- 6) The Bounder hereby certifies that he/she has carefully read the rules and regulations appended to the Scheme for obtaining Government Subsidy towards the same and do hereby agree to unconditionally abide by the same and accept to be subjected to any Legal action which the Government may so take, incase of breach of the conditions.
- 7) An Affidavit will be sworn affirming the above.

1. Signed by: Bounder

2. Surety

Signature

Signature

Name

Name

Address

Address

Witnesses:

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2)