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Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare

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Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare

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Horticulture Division – MIDH

बागवानी प्रभाग – एम. आई. डी. एच.

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi

कृषि भवन, नई दिल्ली

Dated the 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,  
Pay & Accounts Office (Sectt. I),  
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare,  
Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.

**Subject:-** Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH)/NHM under Green Revolution-Krishonnati Yojna-release of 1<sup>st</sup> installment of funds to **Small Farmers' Agri-Business Consortium (SFAC), New Delhi** during 2020-21.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Department's letter No. 18-3/2020-MIDH dated 29.04.2020 about the administrative approval for implementation of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) under Green Revolution-Krishonnati Yojna and to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of an amount of ₹ 1,00,00,000/- (**Rupees One Crore only**) during 2020-21, for implementation of the Scheme, as per details given below:-

(₹ in lakh)

S. No.	Name of State	Name of the Implementing Agency to whom the funds are to be released	Funds to be released
1.	National level Agency (100%)	Small Farmers' Agri-Business Consortium (SFAC), New Delhi	100.00
	<b>Total</b>		<b>100.00</b>

2. 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 (2020-21)/Administrative Approval for the year 2020-21 and in accordance with the conditions stipulated in this letter.

(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.

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(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, Cooperation and 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) Any unspent balance of grant, which is not spent for the purpose for which it is sanctioned during the financial year shall be refunded to the Government of India or adjusted for further utilization at the end of the financial year. The funds shall be transferred electronically through RTGS System/Demand Draft to the Implementing Agencies.

(i) All grantee institutions shall submit Utilization Certificates in prescribed proforma (GFR-12A) on PFMS [Rule 86(6)].

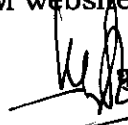
(j) The Further use of Grants in Aid being released by this sanction Order, is to be done through EAT module of PFMS. The Utilization Certificate not supported by the EAT module data is likely to be rejected and expenditure is not to be treated as regular. The agency would be forced to refund the amount 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.

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

Demand No. 1 (Plan)		(₹ in lakh)
Head of Account	Description	Funds to be released
MH - 2401	Crop Husbandry	
00.119	Horticulture & Vegetable Crops	
55	Green-Revolution-Krishonnati Yojna	
04	Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture	
550431	Grants-in-aid - General	100.00


Responsibility for ensuring/benefits as mentioned above solely lies with the State Horticulture Mission/Implementing Agency and it should be reflected in the progress report and post the data accordingly in NHM website also.

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4. This sanction issues with the approval of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy. No. 94543-FTS/AS&FA dated 10/03/2021.
5. The Grants-in-aid is sanctioned for recurring expenditure.
6. This has been noted at Serial No. 24 of the Register of Grants of 2020-21 as per GFR 235 (A).
7. UC for the F.Y. 2017-18 has been uploaded in the PFMS portal vide UC ID No.18225944 respectively.

Yours faithfully,


  
14/03/2021  
(Dhrub Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
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**Copy forwarded for information & necessary action to:-**

1. The Principal Accounts Officer, PAO (Sectt.), Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Jeevan Tara Building, Sansad Marg, New Delhi-110001.
2. Managing Director, Small Farmers' Agri-Business Consortium (SFAC), NCUI Auditorium Building, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, 3, Siri Institutional Area, August Kranti Marg, Hauz Khas, New Delhi - 110016. SFAC will submit physical and financial progress report by 5<sup>th</sup> of every month for the previous month to JS and Mission Director (MIDH)/US (Hort.).
3. DC (M)/Monitoring Unit - Component wise allocation may be done to enable the utilization of the funds including interest by the Implementing Agency/ NIC (NHM-Cell) - for web posting.
4. US (Fin.-II)/SO (B&A)/Guard File.

  
14/03/2021  
(Dhrub Kumar)

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**Note:** Heads of Implementing Agency is requested to confirm the receipt of funds to the undersigned by e-mail immediately after the funds are credited to their respective accounts.

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