

F. No. 29-01/2023-Estt./RTI
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Directorate of Extension

Krishi Vistar Bhavan
IASRI Campus, Pusa
New Delhi -110 012
Dated the 29 February, 2024

To,

Sh. Shamsher Alam
Village-Jarba, Post-Jarba
PS-Charhi, Hazaribagh-825336
(Jharkhand)
Email : alam777hzb@gmail.com

Subject:- Supply of Information under RTI Act, 2005 – Application received from Sh. Shamsher Alam, Jharkhand vide Registration No.DOEXT/R/T/24/00007 dated 01-02-2024– reg.

Sir,

I am to refer to your RTI application dated 01-02-2024 seeking information on the subject cited above under the RTI Act, 2005. So far as the Directorate of Extension is concerned, the requisite information is given as under:

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S.N	Information Sought	Reply																																										
1.	Provide me the details of funds allocated, released and expenditure on schemes being implemented by the department of agriculture farmer welfare from 2018-2023 in respect of Jharkhand.	<p>ATMA Scheme under “Sub-Mission on Agriculture Extension”</p> <p>A Centrally Sponsored Scheme on “Support to State Extension programs for Extension Reforms (ATMA)” popularly known as ATMA Scheme is under implementation since 2005. Presently, the scheme is being implementation in 739 districts of 28 states & 5 UTs of the country (including all the 24 districts of Jharkhand). The scheme promotes decentralized farmer-friendly extension system in the country. Under the scheme, Grants-in-Aid is released to the State Governments with an objective to support State Government's efforts to make available the latest agricultural technologies and good agricultural practices in different thematic areas of agriculture and allied sectors to farmers through different extension activities viz. Farmers Training, Demonstrations, Exposure Visits, Kisan Mela, Mobilization of Farmers Groups and organizing Farm Schools etc.</p> <p>The details of Allocation, Release and Utilization of funds (Central Share) to the State Government of Jharkhand to carry out extension activities under the ATMA Scheme from 2018-19 to 2023-24 (as on 12/02/2024) is as under :</p> <table><tr><th>S. N</th><th>Year</th><th>Allocation of funds</th><th>Release of funds</th><th>Utilization of funds</th></tr><tr><td>1.</td><td>2018-19</td><td>2813.18</td><td>1848.53</td><td>1662.58</td></tr><tr><td>2.</td><td>2019-20</td><td>2466.00</td><td>2142.95</td><td>2167.51</td></tr><tr><td>3.</td><td>2020-21</td><td>2893.88</td><td>2542.54</td><td>2341.77</td></tr><tr><td>4.</td><td>2021-22</td><td>3000.00</td><td>2250.00</td><td>2330.75</td></tr><tr><td>5.</td><td>2022-23</td><td>2800.00</td><td>2100.00</td><td>2580.48</td></tr><tr><td>6.</td><td>2023-24</td><td>2187.00</td><td>1640.25</td><td>1810.49</td></tr><tr><td colspan="2">Total :-</td><td>16160.06</td><td>12524.27</td><td>12893.58</td></tr></table>			S. N	Year	Allocation of funds	Release of funds	Utilization of funds	1.	2018-19	2813.18	1848.53	1662.58	2.	2019-20	2466.00	2142.95	2167.51	3.	2020-21	2893.88	2542.54	2341.77	4.	2021-22	3000.00	2250.00	2330.75	5.	2022-23	2800.00	2100.00	2580.48	6.	2023-24	2187.00	1640.25	1810.49	Total :-		16160.06	12524.27	12893.58
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2.	Provide me the utility certificate submitted by government of Jharkhand from 2018 to 2023 of the following schemes: d. Sub-Mission on Agriculture Extension	The Utilization Certificate submitted by the State Government of Jharkhand from 2018-19 to 2021-22 of ATMA Scheme is enclosed. Utilization Certificate for the year 2022-23 is awaited from the State Government of																																										

	Jharkhand.
a. National Bamboo Mission b. Soil health and fertility of RKVY c. Sub-Mission on Agriculture Mechanism e. Pradhan mantra krishi sinchai yojana- per drop more crop. f. Oil seeds and oil palms g. National Food Security Mission h. Paramparagat krishi Viskas Yojana i. Submission on seeds and planting material j. Rashtriya krishi Vikar Yojana k. Rainfed area development l. Mission of integrated development of horticulture	} Does not pertains to Directorate of Extension

2. It is to mention that the First Appeal, if any, against the reply of CPIO may be made to the First Appellate Authority within 30 days of receipt of this reply. The particulars of the First Appellate Authority are as follows:-

Dr. Shailesh Kumar Mishra, Director (Extn),
Directorate of Extension,
Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare,
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare,
Room No. 204, Krishi Vistar Sadan,
Pusa, New Delhi-110 012

Ph-011-25849881 and e-mail Id = shaileshk.mishra29@gov.in

Yours faithfully,

Deepa Pande
29/4/24

(Deepa Pande)

Dy. Director (Admn) & CPIO

Ph.011-25846467

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Copy to:

1. Under Secretary (Extension), Deptt. of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhavan for information pl
2. Section Officer (RTI), Deptt. of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
3. Dr. Jagdish Prasad Yadav, Joint Director/ IT Incharge, Krishi Vistar Bhavan, New Delhi with request to upload RTI reply on DOE website www.krishivistar.gov.in. Soft copy is being sent on e-mail.

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STATE AGRICULTURE MANAGEMENT EXTENSION AND TRAINING INSTITUTE (SAMETI)
RANCHI, JHARKHAND

ANNEXURE-VI (a)

FORM GFR-12C

(See Rule 239)

FORM OF UTILIZATION CERTIFICATE (FOR STATE GOVERNMENTS)

(Where expenditure incurred by Govt. bodies only)

CENTRAL SHARE

F. Y:- 2018-19

Sl. No.	Letter No. & Date	Amount (in lakh)	Certified that out of Rs.1848.53000 lakh of grant-in aid sanctioned during the year 2018-19 in favour of the state Government of Jharkhand under E. R. Scheme under this Ministry/ Department Letter No. & Date (as given in margin) and Rs.16.21251 lakh on account of Bank interest received during the year 2018-19 and a sum of Rs.701.53366 (Rs.208.42706 lakh with agency & Rs.493.10660 lakh with treasury) on account of unspent balance of the previous year, a sum of Rs.1662.58145 lakh has been utilised for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned and that the balance of Rs. 903.68472 lakh (Rs.133.66907 lakh with agency & Rs.770.01565 at treasury) remaining unutilised at the end of the year 2018-19 will be adjusted towards grant in aid payable in next year.
1	FUND SANCTIONED VIDE F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.10.07.2018	1,365.16000	
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.24.01.2019	464.00000	
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.18.02.2019	19.37000	
	TOTAL FUND ALLOTTED	1,848.53000	
2	Interest From Bank	16.21251	
	Total	1,864.74251	

2 Certified that I have satisfied myself that the conditions on which the grant-in-aid was sanctioned have been duly fulfilled/ being fulfilled and i have exercised the following checks to see that the money was actually utilised for the purpose for which it was sanctioned.

3 Kinds of Checks Exercised:-

1. Sanction Order of GOI during the year 2018-19.
2. UC is issued based on audited accounts during the year 2018-19
3. Annual Progress report during the year 2018-19.

Balram Singh
बलराम सिंह / BALRAM SINGH
संयुक्त निदेशक (विस्तार कुशल) / Joint Director (Extn. Refs.)
विस्तार निदेशालय / Directorate of Extension
भारत सरकार, कृषि एवं किसान
संवर्धन विभाग, नई दिल्ली-110002 / Govt. of India, Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, New Delhi-110002



Counter signed
Pooni
20/12/19

Director
Director SAMETI
Jharkhand

Director

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कृषि विस्तार भवन,
पूसा, नई दिल्ली-110012
कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण विभाग
कृषि, शासकरीता एवं किसान कल्याण विभाग

कृषि विस्तार भवन,
पूसा, नई दिल्ली-110012
दिनांक: 31 दिसम्बर, 2020

विषय:- विस्तार सुधार योजना के अंतर्गत निदेशक, समिति, झारखण्ड, द्वारा प्रस्तुत किये गये वर्ष 2019-20 के लिए आवंटित अनुदान के उपयोगिता प्रमाण पत्र की प्रति के अद्योषण के संबंध में।

विस्तार डेस्क के दिनांक 8 दिसम्बर, 2008 के पत्र संख्या 1(1)/2007- विस्तार डेस्क (प्रति संलग्न) के अनुसरण में केन्द्रीय प्रायोजित योजना "विस्तार सुधारों के लिए राज्य विस्तार कार्यक्रमों को सहायता" के अंतर्गत आवंटित सहायता अनुदान का निदेशक, समिति, झारखण्ड, से प्राप्त वर्ष 2019-20 के उपयोगिता प्रमाण-पत्र की जांच की गई व स्वीकार किया जाता है और इसकी एक प्रति आवश्यक कार्रवाई के लिए भेजी जाती है।

संलग्नक: यथोक्त

प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित: -

1. प्रधान वेतन एवं लेखा कार्यालय, (ऋण एवं अनुदान अनुभाग), कृषि एवं किसान कल्याण मंत्रालय, कक्ष सं. 320, जीवन तारा बिल्डिंग, संसद मार्ग, नई दिल्ली-01.
2. वेतन एवं लेखा कार्यालय, विस्तार/अर्थ एवं सांख्यिकी निदेशालय, शास्त्री भवन, नई दिल्ली।
3. निदेशक (प्रशासन), विस्तार निदेशालय, कृषि विस्तार भवन, पूसा, नई दिल्ली।
4. बजट एवं लेखा अनुभाग, विस्तार निदेशालय, कृषि विस्तार भवन, पूसा, नई दिल्ली।
5. गार्ड फाइल।

जाती के लिए
नीचे
01/01/2021

संयुक्त निदेशक(सुधार विस्तार)
टेली फैक्स सं01123381764

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Krishna Bhawan, New Delhi
Date: 2 December, 2018

Subject: Instructions of Integrated Finance Division regarding Issue of Utilization Certificate to Grantee Institutions/Organization.

While concurring to release of funds to Extension Education Institutes under Plan Scheme "Extension Support to Central Institutions" on F.No.2-2/2008-ET, AS & FA, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation has observed as follows:-

"The practice of issuing UCs by an officer of DAC, even for grant-in-aid, is not regular, since DAC is sanctioning and releasing funds and it is for beneficiary body utilizing the funds to issue UCs. It is requested that present practice is discontinued and beneficiary body requested to submit UCs, in future."

In compliance of above observation, it has been decided that the present practice followed by Extension Division for issuance of final Utilization Certificate against grants-in-aid released to various implementing agencies/States under Schemes to PAO concerned is discontinued henceforth and beneficiary body requested to submit Utilization Certificates, in future.

This may be brought to the notice of all concerned in Directorate of Extension.

Director (Admin.)
Directorate of Extension,
New Delhi.

Copy for information to:

1. PAO (L&G), Ministry of Agriculture, Akbar Road Hutments, New Delhi.
2. PAO, Directorate of Extension & ES, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
3. US(Fin.III), DAC, New Delhi

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CENTRAL SHARE


F. Y.:- 2019-20

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1	FUND SANCTIONED VIDE		
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.28.08.2019	1,233.00000	
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.26.12.2019	909.95000	
	TOTAL FUND ALLOTTED	2,142.95000	
2	Interest From Bank	28.32179	
	Total	2,171.27179	

2 Certified that I have satisfied myself that the conditions on which the grant-in-aid was sanctioned have been duly fulfilled/ being fulfilled and i have exercised the following checks to see that the money was actually utilised for the purpose for which it was sanctioned.

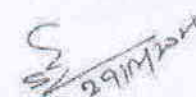
3 Kinds of Checks Exercised:-

1. Sanction Order of GOI during the year 2019-20.
2. UC is issued based on audited accounts during the year 2019-20.
3. Annual Progress report during the year 2019-20.


01-01-2021

BALRAM SINGH
Joint Director (Extn. Ref.)
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Deptt. of Agri., Coopn. & Farmers Welfare
R. No. 546, Kirti Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

Co signed
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01/01/2021


Director SAMETI
Jharkhand
Director, Sameti
Jharkhand

डी. पोन्नी / D. PONNI
आवर सचिव / Joint Secretary
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(Where expenditure incurred by Govt. bodies only)**CENTRAL SHARE****F. Y.: 2020-21**

SL. No.	Letter No. & Date	Amount (in lakh)	Certified that out of Rs.2542.54000 lakh of grant-in-aid sanctioned during the year 2020-21 in favour of the state Government of Jharkhand under E. R. Scheme under this Ministry/ Department Letter No. & Date (as given in margin) and Rs.9.95887 lakh on account of Bank interest received during the year 2020-21 and a sum of Rs.907.45060 (Rs.99.55501 lakh with agency & Rs.807.89559 lakh with treasury) on account of unspent balance of the previous year, a sum of Rs.2341.77439 lakh has been utilised for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned and that the balance of Rs. 1118.17508 lakh (Rs.180.76641 lakh with agency & Rs.937.40867 at treasury) remaining unutilised at the end of the year 2020-21 will be adjusted towards grant in aid payable in next year.
I	FUND SANCTIONED VIDE		
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.28.05.2020	1,446.94000	
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.04.02.2021	1,095.60000	
	TOTAL FUND ALLOTTED	2,542.54000	
2	Interest From Bank	9.95887	
	Total	2,552.49887	

2. Certified that I have satisfied myself that the conditions on which the grant-in-aid was sanctioned have been duly fulfilled/ being fulfilled and i have exercised the following checks to see that the money was actually utilised for the purpose for which it was sanctioned.

3. **Kinds of Checks Exercised:-**

1. Sanction Order of GOI during the year 2020-21.
2. UC is issued based on audited accounts during the year 2020-21.
3. Annual Progress report during the year 2020-21.

21.02.2022
BALRAM SINGH
Joint Director (Farm. Affs.)
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Deptt. of Agn., Coopn. Farmers Welfare
R. No. 546, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

Countersigned
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21/02/2022
श्री. पोन्नी / D. PONNI
अवर सचिव / Under Secretary
कृषि विभाग / Govt. of India
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प्रति व्यवस्थापन एवं निगरान विभाग / R. No. 546, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

16/11/21
Director SAMETI
Jharkhand
Director, Sameti
Jharkhand

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CENTRAL SHARE
F. Y.: 2021-22


Sl. No.	Letter No. & Date	Amount (in lakh)	Certified that out of Rs.2250.00000 lakh of grant-in-aid sanctioned during the year 2021-22 in favour of the state Government of Jharkhand under E. R. Scheme under this Ministry/ Department Letter No. & Date (as given in margin) and Rs.9.87021 lakh on account of Bank interest received during the year 2021-22 and a sum of Rs.1118.17508 (Rs.180.76641 lakh with agency & Rs.937.40867 lakh with treasury) on account of unspent balance of the previous year, a sum of Rs.2330.74877 lakh has been utilised for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned and that the balance of Rs. 1047.29652 lakh (Rs.144.83640 lakh with agency & Rs.902.46012 at treasury) remaining unutilised at the end of the year 2021-22 will be adjusted towards grant in aid payable in next year.
1	FUND SANCTIONED VIDE F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.15.07.2021	750.00000	
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.30.12.2021	750.00000	
	F No. 36-7/2017-AE/Extn. Desk, dt.28.02.2022	750.00000	
	TOTAL FUND ALLOTTED	2,250.00000	
2	Interest From Bank	9.87021	
	Total	2,259.87021	

2 Certified that I have satisfied myself that the conditions on which the grant-in-aid was sanctioned have been duly fulfilled/ being fulfilled and i have exercised the following checks to see that the money was actually utilised for the purpose for which it was sanctioned.

3 Kinds of Checks Exercised:-

1. Sanction Order of GOI during the year 2021-22.
2. UC is issued based on audited accounts during the year 2021-22.
3. Annual Progress report during the year 2021-22.


21-02-2023
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दुर्गा भवन, नई दिल्ली / Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi