F.No.29-37/2021-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 24 November, 2022

Τo,

Sh. Sudipta Dey Flat No. B2, Abhisek Apartment Palashtala PO Junbedia PS-Bankura, Sadar District-Bankura-722155 (West Bengal).

Subject:- Supply of information under the RTI Act, 2005 - Application from Sh. Sudipta Dey, West Bengal, seeking information on "ATMA Scheme"under RTI Act, 2005. (Reg. No. DOEXT/R/T/22/00078 dated 26.10.2022 & Reg. No. DOEXT/R/T/22/00090 dated 01.11.2022).

Sir,

I am to refer to your RTI applications dated 26.10.2022 and 01.11.2022 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:

Reg No. DOEXT/R/T/22/00078 dated 26.10.2022 Α.

Information sought	Reply
Kindly provide information about signatory/signatories for opening bank account for Block Farmers Advisory Committee *BFAC) in Support to State Extension Programme for Extension reforms Scheme, popularly known as Agricultural Technology Management Agency i.e. ATMA Scheme under Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare, GOI. Kindly provide information regarding signatory/signatories for Print Payment Advise (PPA) for the payment of vendors in the project ATMA in PFMS.	In so far as ATMA Scheme of Directorate of Extension is concerned, child agencies are mapped on PFMS with SNA account by State Governments. Details of the Child agencies mapped in PFMS by the States may be sought from the State Government only. For further information on the subject, the applicant is advised to go through Annexure-I(f) of ATMA Guidelines, 2018.

Reg No. DOEXT/R/T/22/00090 dated 01.11.2022 в.

	Information sought	Reply
	The signatory/signatories of PFMS account at Bank of Farm Information & Advisory Centre i.e., FIAC established at block level (called child agency too).	In so far as ATMA Scheme of Directorate of Extension is concerned, child agencies are mapped on PFMS with SNA account by State Governments. Details of
	The approver and operator of PFMS account at Bank of Farm Information & Advisory Centre i.e. FIAC established at block level.	the Child agencies mapped in PFMS by the States may be sought from the State Government only.
3.	The criteria of selection Block Farmers Advisory Committee i.e. BFAC Chairman and Convener under Support to State Extension Programme for Extension Reforms Scheme (popularly known as Agricultural Technology Management Agency)i.e. ATMA Scheme.	For further information on the subject, the applicant is advised to go through Annexure-I(f) of ATMA Guidelines, 2018.

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**30**4 Krishi Vistar Sadan, Pusa, New Delhi-110 012 Ph-011-25849881 and e-mail Id = <u>shaileshk.mishra29@gov.in</u>

Yours faithfully,

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Copy to:

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

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