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Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation and Farmers welfare
(Horticulture Division-HMNEH)

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Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi, Dated 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2016

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer (Sectt. – II), Pay & Accounts Office, Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, 16, Akbar Road Hutments, New Delhi-110011.

**Subject:**- Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH)/HMNEH under Krishonnati Yojna-State Plan - release of 1<sup>st</sup> installment of funds (**General Category**) to **Himachal Pradesh** Government during 2016-17.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Department's letter No. 18-9/2016-MIDH (NHM) dated 18.04.2016 about the administrative approval for implementation of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH)/HMNEH under Krishonnati Yojna-State Plan and to convey the sanction of the President of India to the payment of an amount of ₹ 7,10,00,000/- (Rupees Seven Crore and Ten Lakh only) to Government of Himachal Pradesh during 2016-17, for implementation of the Scheme in Himachal Pradesh.

- 2. This assistance under the scheme is in the ratio of 90:10 by Central Government and State Government respectively.
- 3. In accordance with the revised procedure, the Reserve Bank of India may please be advised for debiting to the Account of the Department of Agriculture & Cooperation and passing on the credit to the Central Account Section, Nagpur, for transfer to the State Government of **Himachal Pradesh**.
- 4. 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 Operational Guidelines, Annual Action Plan (HMNEH)/Administrative Approval for the year 2016-17 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.
- (c) The audited records of all aspects (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 2005 and shall be furnished to the Government of India annually by the end of June, following the financial year to which it relates.

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- (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 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 [GFR 111(1)].
- (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 2005, 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.

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

Demand No. 1 (Plan) (₹ in lakh) Head of Account Funds to be Description released MH - 3601Grants-in-aid to State Government Grants for State Plan Schemes 02 460 Crop Husbandry-Horticulture & Vegetable Crops 04 Krishonnati Yojna-State Plan 02 Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture Grants-in-aid - General 040231 710.00

- 6. This sanction issues with the approval of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy. No. 281-FTS/AS & FA dated 16/08/2016.
- 7. This has been noted at Serial No.59 of the Register of Grants of 2016-17 as per GFR 212 (4)(b).

Yours faithfully,

(M.K. Mishra)

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Under Secretary to the Government of India

Phone No. 011-23074238

## Copy forwarded for information & necessary action to:-

- 1. The Principal Accounts Officer, PAO (Sectt.), Department of Agriculture & Cooperation, 16, Akbar Road Hutments, New Delhi-110011.
- 2. Principal Secretary (Hort.), Government of Himachal Pradesh, Secretariat, Shimla-171002, Himachal Pradesh.
- 3. Principal Secretary (Finance), Government of Himachal Pradesh, Department of Finance, Secretariat, Shimla-171002, Himachal Pradesh.
- 4. Principal Account General, Office of the Accountant General (Audit), AG Chowk, The Mall, Shimla-171002, Himachal Pradesh.
- 5. Director (Hort.), Department of Horticulture, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Nau Bahar, Shimla-171002.
- 6. Director (Budget)/US (Fin.II)/ Budget & Accounts Section/Gourd File.
- 7. AC (K) /SO(SS)/ Chief Consultant (Dr. Upadhaya)/Resource Person (K) Component wise allocation may be done to enable the utilization of the funds including interest by the state SHM/ NIC (NHM–Cell) for web posting.

(M.K. Mishra)

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