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Ministry of Agriculture
Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
Dated the 2nd July, 2015

To

The Secretary
In-charge of Fisheries
Government of
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Subject:- Continuation of Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Development of Marine Fisheries, Infrastructure and Post Harvest Operations as Central Sector Scheme during the financial year 2015-16 - Administrative Approval - regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to convey administrative approval of Government of India for continuation of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Development of Marine Fisheries, Infrastructure and Post Harvest Operations as Central Sector Scheme during the financial year 2015-16 at a total Central outlay of ₹7000 lakh (Rupees seventy crore only) with the following components:

1. Development of Marine Fisheries

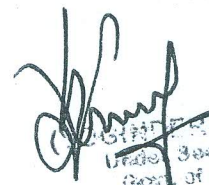
- (a) Motorisation of Traditional Craft
- (b) Safety of Fishermen at Sea
- (c) Fishermen Development Rebate on HSD Oil
- (d) Introduction of Intermediate Craft of Improved Design including proto-type study of new intermediate vessel design.
- (e) Establishment and operation of Vessel Monitoring System
- (f) Promoting fuel efficient and environment friendly fishing practices
- (g) Management of Marine Fisheries

2. Development of Infrastructure and Post Harvest Operations

- (i) Establishment of Fishing Harbours and Fish Landing Centres
- (ii) Strengthening of Post Harvest Infrastructure
- (iii) Assistance for maintenance dredging of fishing harbours and fish landing centres.

3. Taking up innovative activities.

2. Component-wise details of the scheme are appended as Annexure-I and are subject to 40% ceiling on capital cost of infrastructure project in general areas and 55% in north-eastern and hilly areas till further orders.


(Sd/-) **SECRETARY**
In-charge of Fisheries
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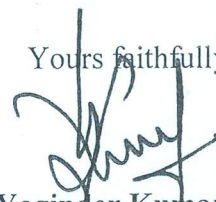
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3. State Governments, Union Territories, Port Trusts and other concerned agencies are requested to send their proposals in respect of various components as outlined in component-wise details of scheme(Annexure-I), duly completed in all respect. The States/UTs are also requested to sensitize all concerned such as Corporations, Federations, Marketing Boards, Fishermen Cooperative Societies/Organizations, PRIs, NGOs, SHGs and Pvt. Entrepreneurs about the provisions of the scheme for availing its benefits. Availability of adequate budgetary provision in State budget, necessary clearances and land wherever necessary should be specifically indicated in the proposals. No request for *ex-post facto* approval of any proposal would be entertained.

4. It is suggested that the State Governments, Union Territories, Port Trusts and other concerned agencies may accord high priorities to the important proposals such as (i) proposals relating to management of marine fisheries to ensure sustainability of marine fisheries, (ii) creation of infrastructure facilities such as fishing harbours and fish landing centres, (iii) creation of post harvest infrastructures to develop cold chain for fisheries sector to reduce the post harvest losses, (iv) supply of safety kits to needy fishermen to ensure their safety at sea and (v) motorization of traditional craft. Preference may be accorded to the proposals to accrue direct benefits to Scheduled Caste (SC) and Scheduled Tribe(ST) categories. It may be ensured that under the scheme, SCSP shall have only direct benefits to the individual SCs and general infrastructure for overall fishery activities shall not be calculated under Major Head 3601(SCSP).

5. This issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy No.300/AS&FA/2015 dated 30th June, 2015 and approval of the competent authority in this Department.

Yours faithfully,



(Yoginder Kumar)

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Encl: As above

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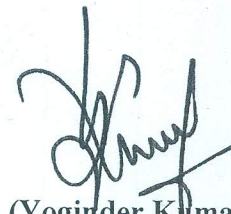
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6. Secretary, Department of Economic Affairs, Ministry of Finance, North Block, New Delhi.
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9. Secretary(Planning) of all States/UTs.
10. Secretary(Finance) of all States/UTs.
11. Director/Commissioner of Fisheries of all States/UTs (as per list enclosed).
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13. Managing Director, National Federation of Fishermen's Cooperatives Ltd., 7, Sarita Vihar Institutional Area, New Delhi – 110 044
14. Managing Directors of Fisheries Federation of all the States and UTs.
15. Director General, Fishery Survey of India, Mumbai
16. Director, CIFNET, Cochin
17. Director, Central Institute of Coastal Engineering for Fisheries (CICEF), Bangalore, HMT Post Office, Opposite ISRO Quarters, Jalahalli, Bangalore.
18. Association of Indian Fishery Industries, Visakhapatnam.
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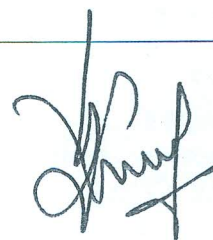
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Annexure-I

Patterns, mode of implementation of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme on Development of marine Fisheries, Infrastructures and Post Harvest Operations as Central Sector Scheme during the financial year 2015-16

Sl No	Component with sub-component	Tentative Central allocation (₹ in Crore)	Unit cost	Pattern of assistance (*)	Implementing Agency
(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)	(vi)
1.	Development of Marine Fisheries				
1.1	Motorization of Traditional Craft	5.00	₹60,000/-	50% of the unit cost with a ceiling limit of ₹30,000 per OBM/IBM, which will be shared equally between Centre and State. For UTs, the entire subsidy element will be borne by the Central Government.	States/ UTs
1.2	Safety of Fishermen at Sea	5.00	₹1.50 lakh	75% of unit cost of kit consisting of GPS, communication equipment, echo-sounder and search & rescue beacon.	State Fisheries Federations/C corporations and Panchayati Raj Institutions

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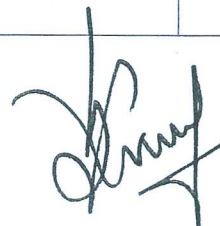
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(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)	(vi)
1.3	Fishermen Development Rebate on HSD oil	0.10		<p>Rebate will be equivalent to 50% of Sales Tax relief granted by States/UTs to HSD oil for fishing purpose with central subsidy limited to Rs.3.00 /litre of HSD oil with ceiling of 500 liters per boat per month during active fishing months.</p> <p>Subsidy will be provided to the vessels of size less than 20m, registered before 10th Plan, which are owned by fishers of BPL category.</p>	States/ UTs
1.4	(a) Introduction of Intermediate Craft of Improved Design	1.00	₹60.00 lakh	10% cost of vessel as subsidy subject to a ceiling limit of Rs.6 lakhs.	States/ UTs
	(b) Proto-type study of new intermediate vessel design.	0.10	One time	100% cost of project.	CIFNET
1.5	Establishment & operation of Vessel Monitoring System(VMS)	0.10	Based on actual	100% cost of project	Departmentally

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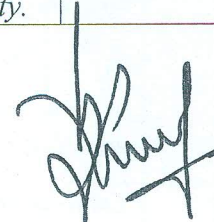
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1.6	Promoting fuel efficient and environment friendly fishing practices	0.10	₹37000/-	30% cost of LPG kit with a ceiling of ₹10,000/-	State Fisheries Federations/Corporations and Panchayati Raj Institutions
1.7	Management of Marine Fisheries	0.25	Based on actual cost	(i) To bear entire expenses for conducting awareness programmes. (ii) 100% cost of consultancy for implementing Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries (CCRF). (iii) 100% cost of consultancy for capacity evaluation. (iv) 100% cost for community out reach programmes on sustainable fisheries. (v) 100% cost for production of Audio visuals on over fishing/over capacity.	States/UTs, PRIs/ Central Fishery Institutes, NGOs and Fishermen Organisations/Societies.

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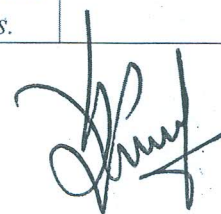
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2.	Development of Infrastructure & Post Harvest Operations				
2.1	Establishment of Fishing Harbours and Fish Landing Centres	50.00	Cost of individual project would be based on actual.	(i) 75% to Coastal States, Port Trusts, Fishermen Cooperative Societies/Organisations/Associations and 100% to UTs for (a) construction of new Minor Fishing Harbours and Fish Landing Centres and (b) Upgradation/expansion/repair/renovation of existing <u>minor</u> fishing harbours and fish landing Centres. (ii) 100% assistance to States, UTs & Port Trusts and Fishermen Cooperative Societies/Associations/Organization for construction of <u>major</u> fishing harbours including expansion/ modernization of existing major fishing harbours. (iii) 50% assistance to Pvt. Entrepreneurs for construction of major/minor fishing harbours and fish landing centres on Build, Operate & Transfer (BOT) basis.	States/ UTs/Port Trusts/Fishermen Cooperative Societies/Organisations/Associations. States/ UTs/Port Trust/Fishermen Cooperative Societies/Organizations/Associations. Pvt. Entrepreneurs

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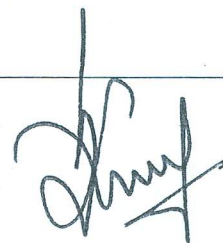


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2.2	Strengthening of Post Harvest Infrastructure	5.15		(i) 100% grant to Govt. Undertaking/Corporation s/Federations/Marketing Boards of State Govts	Govt. undertakings/ Corporations/ Federations/ Marketing
2.2.1	Development of fish processing, preservation, storage infrastructure		₹1.00 crore	(ii) 75% grant-in aid to; (a) NGOs/Cooperatives/SHGs in NE Region/ Hilly/ Tribal area	Boards/ Coop. Societies/ SHGs/NGOs//S HGs of women/ SHGs of
2.2.2	Development of retail fish marketing infrastructure (kiosk along with one fish storage/display cabin, one visi cooler, weighing machine, facilities for fish cutting, cleaning facilities)		₹ 3.00 lakhs	(b) NGOs (working for fishers) in all areas (c) Fishers SHGs in all areas (d) Fishers cooperatives in all areas. (e) SHGs of women in all areas (f) SHGs of SC/STs in all areas	SC/STs/Pvt. Companies owned by Fishermen, SCs/STs.
2.2.3	Assistance for fish transport infrastructure (a) Refrigerated truck of 6 tonne capacity (b) Insulated truck of 6 tonne capacity (c) Refrigerated Mini-truck of 3 tonne capacity (d) Insulated mini-truck of 3 tonne Capacity.		(a) ₹15.0 lakh (b) ₹12.0 lakh (c) ₹10.0 lakh (d) ₹8.0 lakh	(iii) 50% grant-in-aid to; (a) NGOs, Cooperatives/SGHs other than (ii) above. (b) Pvt. Companies/ organisations owned by SCs/STs and fishermen in all areas.	

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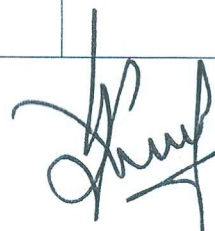
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	Assistance for fish transport infrastructure (contd...) (e) Autorickshaw with ice box (f) Motorcycle with ice box (g) Bicycle with ice box		(e) ₹2.0 lakh (f) ₹0.60 lakh (g) ₹3000/-	(Contd...) (iv) 25% grant-in-aid to Pvt. Companies/ organisations owned by other categories in all areas.	Govt. undertakings/ Corporations/ Federations/ Marketing Boards/ Coop. Societies/ SHGs/NGOs/NGOs/ SHGs of women/ SHGs of SC/STs/Pvt. Companies.
2.2.4	Development of Central fish markets in Metros & big cities	0.10	₹2.00 crore	50% grant in aid to Municipal Corporations / State Marketing Board/ local bodies	Municipal Corporations/ State Marketing Boards/local bodies/State

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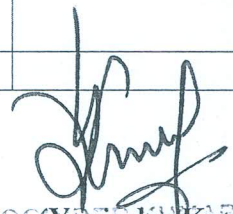
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2.3	Assistance for dredging of fishing harbours/fish landing centres.	3.00	1\	(i) To bear entire expenses on insurance, dry-docking, repair & upgradation of the dredger TSD Sindhuraj (owned by DAHD&F). (ii) 50% assistance to Coastal States & Major Port Trusts and 100% to UTs for maintenance dredging of Fishing Harbours and Fish Landing Centres.	Manning agency States/UTs & Port Trusts.
3.0	Provisions for taking up of innovative activities, human resource development, strengthening of fisheries management, monitoring, evaluation, R&D studies in fisheries.	0.10	Based on actual	To bear entire expenses	Departmentally
	Total	70.00			

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