

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

SEEDS – Supply of seeds on subsidy during Kharif 2014 – Supply various crop seed varieties released more than 10 years back on subsidy through Normal State Plan during 2014-15 – Permission – Accorded.

G.O.Rt.No. 390

Dated:25-05-2014.
Read:-

From the C&DA, Hyderabad . Lr.No.SC (5)462/2014,
Dated: 2-5-2014, 7.5.2014 and 9.5.2014.

ORDER:-

In the reference read above, while explaining the distribution seeds under various schemes on subsidy, the Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad has stated that in his letter dated:19.12.2013 indent was placed with the various seed supplying nodal agencies for supply of 12.50 lakh quintals of various crop seeds for distribution to the farmers on subsidy during Kharif, 2014 under various Central and State Schemes. In the Lr.No.CPS2-1/2014-NFSM, dated: 28.3.2014, Govt of India, Ministry of Agriculture (A&C), Dept. of Director, Crops, New Delhi have given guidelines for 2014-15 under NFSM allowing subsidy only to varieties released under less than 10 years period i.e. the varieties released after 2004.

2. The Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad has requested to extend subsidy to the old and popular varieties of seeds i.e. more than 10 years old of Paddy, Groundnut, Soya bean, Red gram, Green gram and for Maize non notified Hybrids of Private Sector until sufficient quantities of Certified Seed of recently evolved crop varieties substitutes are made available for the farming community for distribution under subsidy.

3. Government have examined the circumstances explained by the Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad in the reference read above, taking into consideration of the Justification reports submitted by the ANGRAU, Hyderabad and APSSCA, Hyderabad thereon hereby permit the Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, Hyderabad to distribute the old and popular varieties of seeds i.e. more than 10 years old of Paddy, Groundnut, Soya bean, Red gram, Green gram and for Maize non notified Hybrids of Private Sector until sufficient quantities of Certified Seed of recently evolved crop varieties substitutes are made available for the farming community for distribution of seeds under subsidy scheme during the period of Kharif, 2014 season as proposed. The expenditure will be met within the budget provision under NSP, 2014-15.

4. This orders issues with the concurrence of Finance (EAC) Dept. vide their U.O.No.4072/183/A2/EAC/2014, Dt.24-5-2014.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ANIL CHANDRA PUNETHA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner and Director of Agriculture,Hyderabad.
SF/SCs.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER