

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Agriculture Department – Hosting of Progressive Farmer, Smart Farming Summit from 15th November, 2017 to 17th November, 2017 at Visakhapatnam – Constitution of Steering Committee, Working Committee & Other Committees for the successful conduct of the event and sanction of an amount of Rs. 17.60 Crores as Host State to the Confederation of Indian Industry(CII) and to the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur – Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (AGRI.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 81

Dated: 08-11-2017

ORDER:

Andhra Pradesh is at the forefront of technology-driven transformation in agriculture, and has set ambitious agricultural goals in the Sunrise Andhra Pradesh Vision 2029. To build on this momentum, the Summit will bring together global leaders including business heads, start-up founders, leading policymakers, and technology experts to discuss innovative ideas for agricultural transformation in the state.

2. The Summit will be a global event that will be held in the FinTech Capital and Smart City- Visakhapatnam on November 15-17, 2017 and will be led by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh, Shri N. Chandrababu Naidu, and the Co-Chair and Trustee of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, Mr. Bill Gates.

3. For the successful conduct of the summit, the Government in consultation with Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) and Dalberg Advisors have decided to constitute the following Committees:-

1. STEERING COMMITTEE:

The Steering Committee with the following members shall provide guidance for the overall organization of the Summit and shall meet at least twice for successful conduct of the summit.

1. Hon'ble Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh **... Chairman**
2. Minister for Finance & Planning, Commercial Taxes,
Legislative Affairs
3. Minister for Agriculture.
4. Minister for Information & Public Relations,
5. Minister of Labour & Employment, Factories,
6. Chief Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh
7. Director General of Police
8. Special Chief Secretary to Chief Minister
9. Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Fin Department

10. Principal Secretary to Govt., Energy, Infrastructure & Investment, CRDA
11. Principal Secretary to Govt., Tourism Department
12. Special Chief Secretary to Govt, Agri & Coop Dept. ... **Convenor**
13. CEO, AP Economic Development Board
14. Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur
15. D.G, CII, New Delhi ... **Co-Chairman**
16. Four representatives of CII (including one Nodal Officer)
17. Advisors, Dalberg.

2. WORKING COMMITTEE:

This Committee with the following members shall provide necessary support to organizers and carry out the directions of the Steering Committee.

1. Minister for Agriculture ... **Chairman**
2. Chief Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh
3. Special Chief Secretary to Govt., Finance Department
4. Principal Secretary, MA & UD Department
5. Additional Secretary to C.M (AV.Rajamouli)
6. CMD, APTRANSCO
7. Principal Secretary, Tourism Department
8. Secretary to Government (Poll), GAD
9. Spl. Chief Secretary to Govt, Agriculture & Cooperation Dept.
10. VC & MD, APSSDC Limited
11. Secretary, I T E & C Department
12. Collector, Visakhapatnam
13. VC & MD, VUDA
14. CEO, AP Economic Development Board
15. Spl. Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur ... **Convenor**
16. Commissioner, GVMC
17. Director General, Fire Services
18. Commissioner of Police, Visakhapatnam
19. Chief Commissioner of Customs Hyderabad & Visakhapatnam
20. Director, Vizag Airport
21. Deputy Chairman, CII Southern Region ... **Co -Chairman**
22. Four Representative from CII (including one Nodal Officer)
23. Commissioner of Horticulture, A.P., Guntur.
24. VC, ANGRAU, Guntur
25. VC, Horticulture University, Venkataramannagudem, W.G.District.
26. Advisors, Dalberg.

3. PROTOCOL, RECEPTION, ACCOMODATION, TRANSPORT AND LOGISTIC COMMITTEE:

1. Secretary to Govt., (Poll), GAD **... Chairman**
2. Joint Secretary, Ministry of External Affairs, GOI
3. Commissioner, Transport Department
4. Collector, Visakhapatnam **... Convenor**
5. Commissioner, GVMC
6. MD, Andhra Pradesh Tourism Development Corporation
7. VC & MD, VUDA
8. A.Suresh Babu, Deputy Director of Agriculture
9. Chief Commissioner, Customs
10. Two representatives from CII.
11. Advisors, Dalberg.

4. Pitch Competition/Content Committee

1. VC, ANGRAU.
2. Director of Research, ANGRAU.
3. Additional Director of Agriculture (Smt V.V.Vijayalakshmi)
4. Director of Research, Horticulture University
5. Ramesh Babu, Dean of Agriculture.
6. Raja Reddy, Dean of Extension.
7. Sri Balu Naik, Deputy Director of Agriculture

5. SECURITY COMMITTEE:

1. Addl. Director General, Law & Order **... Chairman**
2. Collector, Visakhapatnam
3. Commissioner of Police, Visakhapatnam **... Convenor**
4. Joint Director of Agriculture (KV.Rama Raju)
5. Two representatives from CII

6. CULTURAL COMMITTEE:

1. Special Chief Secretary to Government,
Y AT&C Department **... Chairman**
2. Commissioner, Tourism
3. MD, Andhra Pradesh Tourism Development Corporation
4. Director of Culture
5. Sri K.Ravi Kumar, Additional Director of Agriculture
6. Sri Jay Kumar, Consultant(RKVY)
7. Lakshman Rao, K. Joint Director of Agriculture.
8. Two representatives from CII

7. MEDIA COMMITTEE:

1. Commissioner, I & P R **...Chairman**
2. Joint Director, Commissionerate of Agriculture (HRD)
3. General Manager, Telephones,
4. Bhagawath Swaroop, Deputy Director of Agriculture
5. Ravindra Babu, Deputy Director of Agriculture
6. Two representatives from CII

8. EXHIBITION COMMITTEE:

1. Special Commissioner of Agriculture. **...Chairman**
2. Y.Madhusudhan Reddy, IFS, MD, MARKFED
3. VC & MD, APOILFED
4. Spl. Commissioner of Agrl. Marketing, A.P., Guntur
5. MD, AP Tourism Development Corporation
6. Registrar, ANGRAU, Guntur
7. Narayana Choudhary, Consultant
8. Dr NDRK Sarma, Consultant
9. V.D.V. Krupadas, Joint Director of Agriculture
10. Dr D.Praveen, Assistant Director of Agriculture
11. Two representatives from CII

4. The 1st meeting of the Steering Committee will be held very shortly at Vijayawada.

5. The Government also hereby sanction an amount of Rs. 17.60 Crores (Rupees Seventeen Crores and Sixty Lakhs only) to the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) towards Andhra Pradesh's share as the Host State for the organization of the event and to the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur. The expenditure for this purpose shall be met from the Central Market Funds.

6. The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur/ the Special Commissioner of Agricultural Marketing, A.P., Guntur shall take necessary action accordingly.

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

DINESH KUMAR
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.

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The Members of the Committees, through the Special Commissioner of
Agriculture, A.P., Guntur.
The Special Commissioner of Agrl. Marketing, A.P., Guntur.

Copy to:

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The Finance Department.

The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Chief Minister.

The OSD to Minister for Agriculture.

The OSD to Minister for Finance.

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