FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF DIRECT BENEFIT TRANSFER (DBT) IN FARM MECHANISATION 2017-18

GOVT OF ANDHRA PRADESH DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE OPERATIONAL MODALITY FOR FARM MECHANIZATION IN DIRECT BENEFIT TRANSFER(DBT) MODE-2017-18

The Government accords highest priority to the primary sector which achieved 14.6% growth rate in 2016-17. Government is focussing on improving the lively hood of small and marginal farmers introduction of Farm Mechanization for transparency implementation

In recent days, the State has done rapid strides in the farm mechanisation sector. To keep up the rising trend and with the objective of increasing the farm power input and to bring at par with the national level, and provisions for substantial incentivein the form of increased pattern of assistance. The subsidy for farm Mechanization is being met from different centrally sponsored schemes i.e. SMAM, RKVY, and the State Development Plan scheme namely. To bring about greater transparency in the scheme implementation, the state Govt has decided to implement the Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) mode of subsidy for farm machineries, implements and equipments as per the following modality.

1: SUBSIDY PATTREN.

- Subsidy Pattern under SMAM Annexure enclosed.
- Subsidy Pattern under RKVY Annexure enclosed.
- Subsidy Pattern under SDP Annexure enclosed.
- SC/ST Category 70% Subsidy under SDP.
- Under SMAM and RKVY also to maintain the same 70% subsidy for SC/ST Farmers. SMAM (50% from SMAM & 20%from SDP). RKVY (50% from RKVY& 20%from SDP).

2:ELIGIBILITY OF FARMERS

Every individual farmer possessing a valid farmers ID and ADHAAR No. eligible for subsidy .Farmer groups also purchase of CHCs, different Agril. Machinery/Equipment/Implements under CHC subsidy. In case of a group, a nominated individual will be the applicant. The nominated individual should have valid farmer ID and ADHAAR card.

3) In the Manufacturers wise ,dealer wise will upload their price for the dealers as well as the specification and Bank dealers in the on-line field .The Registered dealers will upload their sale price for the tender Committee approved machineries/equipments. The dealer billing price quoted by the manufacturer and sale price of different dealers for that particular machine will be visible to the farmers.

Manufacturers will choose their respective dealers through the onlone. After grouping the Manufacturer will distribute the Engine No./Chasis No. of different machinery among the dealers which will be in read-only format. He will upload the scanned copy of the original bills raised in favour of the concerned dealers.

4:UPLOADING OF TARGET

Commissioner &.Director of Agriculture will allot the scheme wise target of farm machineries / equipment to each districts basing on the budgetary provisions. Joint Director of Agriculture of concerned district will distribute the allotted targets to each mandal. The target fixed for the mandal should be split into the target for different categories (General, SCP and TSP categories). The details of District-wise and mandal-wise target will be made available in the CITIZENS VIEW.

If target of any Mandal for a particular machinery/equipment is exhausted, the JDA of the concerned district will re-distribute the target amongst the mandal depending on demand and off take of that particular machinery/equipment. However, while doing so, the district target for that particular machinery/equipment should remain intact.

. In case of higher demand of a particular machinery/equipment in a particular district and if the district target for such machinery/equipment is exhausted, the JDA of the concerned district will request the Commissioner & Director of, Agriculture and, AP for enhancing the target. The Commissioner Director, Agriculture AP may re-distribute the target of that particular machinery/equipment among the districts keeping the State target intact.

. If the demand for farm mechanization cannot be met within the target fixed for the State, the Commissioner & Director Agriculture, AP will move the State Government for enhancing the physical target and also for making additional provision of funds, if required.

. In exigencies, the Commissioner r& Director of. Agriculture can re-appropriate/reallocate the assigned targets amongst the Districts/Mandal as well as the targeted machinery.

5: APPLICATION BY THE BENEFICIARY AND ISSUE OF PERMIT/PURCHASE ORDER

I. Any farmer with a valid farmer ID and ADHAAR No. can apply in the on line system for generation of permits/P.O. He /She will choose the Make and Model of the machinery as per his choice duly observing the prices quoted by the manufactures. He will also choose the dealer of his choice out of the enlisted dealers for that district. The make of the machinery so chosen cannot be changed afterwards (after generation of permits/P.O). The on line application will incorporate an undertaking to the effect that "I /We inclusive of my /our family members have not availed subsidy on the same machinery / equipment under any Govt subsidy scheme before".

The Application of the farmers will be saved in the on line system for a period not exceeding 15 days. Within this period he/she can edit his choice if at all he/she so desires. If target is available, Permits/P.O will be generated online after necessary validation of the ADHAAR number. The concerned District JDAs signature is required. After online generation of permit/P.O the beneficiary will

proceed to the registered dealer and take delivery of the machine paying its full cost.

Payment will be made from the validated A/C of the beneficiary farmer to the dealers

A/C through RTGS/NEFT. In case of Bank finance, the sanctioned amount will be transferred from the loan A/C of the farmer to the registered Dealers account. In all such cases, the dealer has to enter the transaction details.

No zero transaction will be allowed. Farmers without valid farmer ID won't be able to generate permit/P.O.

Tractor drawn implements will be allowed under subsidy only to a beneficiary who owns a tractor. He will be asked by the system to enter the Registration Certificate (R.C) No. of his tractor in the on line application page.

The validity of the permit /P.O is 20 days. There would be no revalidation of any permit/PO.

The registered dealer should make arrangement for pre-positioning of Stocks so that the machinery can be supplied immediately after issue of permits/PO. The dealers should be careful enough to mention the machine and transaction details on-line, as subsidy will go to the farmers validated bank account directly.

6: PROCUREMENT OF THE MACHINERY / IMPLEMENT

After generation of permit/P.O the computer will send SMS to the concerned registered dealer / supplier of that particular machine. The beneficiary would contact the registered dealer and purchase the machine paying the full cost of the machine as stated above. The dealer/vendor will ensure a prominent marking on the machineries /implements as follows

Beneficiary Name
Address
Benefitted under Scheme
Year-2017

Letter size should be 2" x 2" & colour should be in contrast to the colour of the machinery / implements.

- i. The dealer will deliver the equipment and take Biometric (Thumb impression) through POS Machine. After physical supply of the equipments will upload two photographs in the GPS enabled camera., 1) of the machine with beneficiary and dealer 2)Close-up photograph of the Engine No. and Chassis No. through mobile apps(to be downloaded from google play store)/web mode. He may take the photo through mobile in offline mode and sync. it afterwards when net connection is there.
- ii. The vendor, after synchronizing the photo details through apps, will submit the machine and transaction details in his on line field. The dealer will enter the UTR/Txn. No through which he has received the payment.

- The dealer will enter his retail invoice no. in the space provided for the purpose after which an automated bill will be generated by the system. The vendor will hand over the copy of the two bills to the farmer. Retail invoice no. will also be reflected in the system generated bill for future reference.
- iv. In case of tractors and wheel type Combine Harvesters, the registered vendor will upload the scanned copy of the Registration Certificate (R.C).

7: EFFECTIVE OWNERSHIP OF THE MACHINERY /IMPLEMENTS EQUIPMENTS

A beneficiary who avails the subsidy on purchase of a implement/ machinery/ equipment should keep the implement/ machinery/ equipment in his physical possession for a minimum period as stipulated here:

1. Tractor / Combine Harvester etc-

5 years

2.Power Tiller / Reaper / Transplanter / Self-

3 years

.Propelled Post Harvest Machineries etc.

3. Other machineries / Implements / Equipment-

2 years

Any form of disposal within the stipulated period will invite recovery of subsidy from the concerned beneficiary through **RR Act**. The MAO (HQ) of the mandla will initiate case against the person who deviate the above Guidelines.

8:.RELEASE OF SUBSIDY:

Subsidy will be released by the designated bank directly to the validated account of the beneficiary through the bank agreegator system application (common banking platform) within 10 (Ten) working days.

MONITORING BY MAO/ADA/JDA

- Tractor driven implements will be allowed under subsidy only to a beneficiary who owns a tractor. The permit issuing authority shall authenticate (verifying with the original RC Book) and keep the photo copy of the RC book of the tractor owner intending to avail the subsidy, in file.
- 2) In order to ensure timely inspection / verification of implements/machineries by MAO, supply and inspection/verification will be made at least twice in a month in the premises of JDA office on pre-decided dates. The status report may be uploaded in the website within 3 days of supervision/verification/Inspection by the MAO.
- 3) The second and third verification will be conducted within 15 days of completion of stipulated period. The verification report may be uploaded in the website within 3 days of verification/Inspection by the MAO concerned.
- 4) The MA® supervising the implements will send the list of beneficiaries to the ADA/JDA after 1st verification. The MAO will furnish the list to the concerned ADA.

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- 5) The particulars of standard accessories for Power Tiller / Tractor will be mentioned in the permit /PO for better awareness of the farmers.
- 5) Addonalization of the target for each implement will be made considering the local demand for the machineries and in areas of less farm power availability.
- 7) The entire process of procurement, supply and subsidy administration of farm machinery will be strictly made online.
- 8) The officer in charge of selection of beneficiary must ensure that the benefits under various schemes such as RKVY, SMAM and State Devolopment plan schemes etc are not extended repeatedly to the same beneficiary.
- 9) Emphasis will be given on popularization of Farm Mechanization scheme where the farm power availabity is low.
- 10) In case of SC/ST beneficiary, the beneficiary has to produce the original at the time of verification .Caste Certificate with a photocopy attested by the concerned MAO and the photocopy is to be kept in the file along with his/ her application for record.
- 11) The MAO will maintain an Inventory Register of the machineries/ implements/ equipments at mandal level, recording all the details. The supervising officers while visiting the field will physically test check possession of the implement/ machinery/equipments as per the inventory register. The inventory register in case of different implement/ machinery/equipments will be maintained retrospectively.

As already decided, all machineries/ implement will be engraved / embossed with its make, model and SI. No. with manufacturing year.

9:POST FACTO VERIFICATION

- ➤ 100% Post facto verification of supplied machinery will be done by a MAO, 50% Verification will be done by ADA ,25% by JDA. If any discrepancy is noticed, the same will be brought to the notice of the JDA through the on line mode, who in turn will suggest the further course of action to the.
- In case the JDA feels further action is required, he will recommend it to the Commissioner & Director of Agriculture Commissioner & Director of Agriculture
- Commissioner & Director of Agriculture will take appropriate action against the defaulting Manufacturer/dealer.

Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, as the nodal agency for successful implementation of the scheme may revise the format and guide line with inclusion / modification / deletion through executive order looking to the changing circumstances."

Spl. Commissioner of Agriculture

SMAM SUBSIDY PATTREN DURING 2017-18 SC / ST Category 70% Subsidy (50% under SMAM, 20% under SDP)

Rs.in Lakhs

S.No:	Component	Category	Category	Others
Comi	ponent - 3	SC/ST	SF/MF/Women	
1	Mini Tractors up to 15-20HP	1.00 lakh (or) 35% Which ever is less	1.00 lakh (or) 35% Which ever is less	0.75 (or) 25%
2	Tractor Drawn Implem	ents		
	a) 9 Tyne rigid cultivator	70%	50%	40%
	b) 11 Tyne rigid cultivator	70%	50%	40%
	c) 9 Tyne spring loaded cultivator	70%	50%	40%
	d) 2 Furrow M.B plough	70%	50%	40%
	e) Reversible 2 M.B. Plough	70%	50%	40%
	f) 12 offset disc harrow	70%	50%	40%
	g) Guntuka blade	70%	50%	40%
	h) LEVELING BLADE REVERSIBLE	70%	50%	40%
	i) 10 ft. spike tooth harrow	70%	50%	40%
	j) Disc puddler	70%	50%	40%
	k) VISHNU PUDDLER	70%	50%	40%
	l) 5 Bottom plough	70%	50%	40%
	m) Tractor drawn Bund former	70%	50%	40%
3	Power Sprayers (High pressure knapsac Sprayers)	70%	50%	40%
4	Rotovator/Rotopudlers	70%	0.63 lakh (or) 50% Which ever is less	0.50 (or) 40%
	Self Propelled Machinery			
5	a) Reaper cum Binder	70%	1.25 lakh (or) 50% Which ever is less	1.00 (or) 40%
	b) Reaper	70%	0.63 lakh (or) 50% Which ever is less	0.50 (or) 40%

SMAM SUBSIDY PATTREN DURING 2017-18 SC / ST Category 70% Subsidy (50% under SMAM, 20% under SDP)

Rs.in Lakhs

S.No:	Component	Category SC/ST	Category SF/MF/Women	Others
6	Power Tillers 8HP	70%	0.75 lakh (or) 50% Which ever is less	0.60 (or) 40%
7	pulvarisers	70%	50%	40%
8	Component - 4			
	Procurement subsidy for establishment of Custom Hiring Center upto 25lakhs	10.00lakh (or) 40% Which ever is less	10.00lakh (or) 40% Which ever is less	10.00lakh (or) 40% Which ever is less
9	Component - 6			
	Financial assistance for Farm Machinery Banks with Minimum 8 Farmers per Bank	Upto 10.00 lakh (or) 80% Which ever is Less	Upto 10.00 lakh (or) 80% Which ever is Less	Upto 10.00 lakh (or) 80% Which ever is Less

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SDP SUBSIDY PATREN DURING 2017-18

Rs.in Lakhs

S.No:	Component	Category SC/ST which ever is less	Category SF/MF Women Which ever is less	Others Which ever is less
1	Land Preparatory, Sowing & Planting Equipment	70%	50%	40%
2	Laser Guied Land Leveller	70%	50%	40%
3	Transplanters	70%	50%	40%
4	Inter Cultivation Equipmen	70%	50%	40%
5	Post Harvest Equipment	70%	50%	40%
6	Mini Tractors	1.00 lakh (or) 35% Which ever is less	1.00 lakh (or) 35% Which ever is less	0.75 (or) 25%
7	Big Tractors with Impleme	2.00lakh per unit	2.00lakh per unit	2.00lakh per unit

RKVY SUBSIDY PATREN DURING 2017-18 SC / ST Category 70% Subsidy (50% under RKVY, 20% under SDP)

Rs.in Lakhs

S.No:	Component	Category SC/ST	Category SF/MF Women	Others
1	SMSRI	70%	50%	50%
2	Mini SMSRI	70%	50%	50%
3	CHC Maize	70%	50%	50%
4	CHC Ground nut	70%	50%	50%
5	Harvesting Package	70%	50%	50%