Government of Jammu and Kashmir **Directorate of Agriculture** Lalmandi, Srinagar

Subject:-Release of funds out of unspent balance 2014-15 under Centrally Sponsored Scheme National Mission on Saffron-Economic Revival of J&K Saffron Sector "Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojna (RKVY)" for utilization during 2015-16.

Ref :- Govt. Order No. 264-Agri. of 2015 dated 08.09.2015.

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Sanction is hereby accorded to the release of an amount of Rs.1.00 Lac (Rupees One Lac Only) under Centrally Sponsored Scheme "National Mission on Saffron-Economic Revival of J&K Saffron Sector-Rashtriya Krishi Vikas Yojna (RKVY)" out of unspent balance 2014-15 for utilization during 2015-16 and placement of the same at the disposal of Executive Engineer, Horticulture (P&M) Construction Division Srinagar under 1% Administrative Cost for monitoring of irrigation works under National Mission on Saffron through Engineering Wing of this Directorate.

The revalidation/release of funds is subject to the following conditions:-

- The funds shall be utilized strictly on the approved components as per the approved action plan 2014-15.
- The Implementing Officer shall ensure that accounts are maintained and are subject to normal process of statutory Audit, an inventory of the assets created under the projects be preserved and assets that are no longer required shall be transferred to the Nodal Deptt for its use and re-deployment, wherever possible.
- Recurring kind of expenditure like manpower on contractual basis, hiring of vehicles, POL,TA/DA and other consumable items shall not be incurred out of RKVY funds.
- The implementing officer shall implement the programme/activity/components on the cost norms/ guidelines/subsidy component at par, which are admissible/permissible in the normal Centrally Sponsored Scheme implemented by the Department for RKVY Saffron Mission Plan during 2014-15.
- The DDO shall ensure that the funds released are utilized prudently and judiciously as per the guidelines of the scheme and in no case he should book the expenditure just for the sake of expenditure.
- The expenditure shall be incurred only after observing all codal formalities required under rules.
- The implementing officer shall ensure that there is no overlapping/duplication in adoption of Schemes/incurring of expenditure from any other scheme of the State or Central Government.
- The implementing officer shall furnish progress both in physical and financial on monthly basis for its onward submission to Administrative Department.
- The release of funds should not be taken as final authority for utilization and the implementing officer should satisfy himself/herself about the techno-economic viability of the scheme/components to ensure optimum utilization of funds
- 10. The implementing agency shall send utilization certificate of funds by or before 31.03.2016 alongwith Physical and Financial Progress Reports against Approved Action Plan 2014-15 separately.
- 11. The implementing agencies shall obtain necessary sanctions from the competent authorities in advance before incurring the expenditure where-ever required.

The charge is debitable to the:-

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HOD 2. 01-Director Agriculture, Kashmir

3. 4401-Capital Outlay on Crop Husbandry Major Head

4. Sub Major Head

5. Minor Head 800-Other Expenditure Group Head 0011-State Plan 6. 7. Sub Head 2297-RKVY

8. Detailed Head 07-Administrative Cost

All other codal formalities as required under rules shall be adhered to strictly while booking the expenditure and making the payment.

> (Altaf Aijaz Andrabi) I/C Director of Agriculture

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Dated:- 15-10-2015 Copy to the:-

- Commissioner/Secretary to Government, Agriculture Production Department, Civil Secretariat Srinagar for favour of information.
- 2. Executive Engineer, Horticulture (P&M) Construction Division Srinagar for information and n/action.
- 3. Treasury Officer, Additional Treasury, Lalmandi Srinagar for information n/action.
- Assistant Executive Engineer, Directorate of Agriculture, Lalmandi Srinagar for information. He is advised not to engage private vehicle now onwards and put up requisition for allotment of vehicle to Estates Officer/Assistant Estates Officer as and when needed for monitoring of field irrigation works in the field.
- 5. Incharge Website for uploading on the Departmental website.