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Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying & Fisheries

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi
Dated the 20th May, 2016

To,
The Secretaries in charge
Department of Fisheries of all the State Governments/UTs and others
(as per list attached)

Subject: Implementation of the Central Sector Scheme on Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries - Administrative Approval

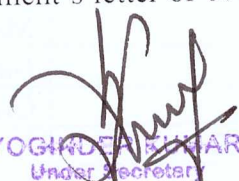
Sir/Madam.

The undersigned is directed to convey the administrative approval of Government of India for implementation of the Central Sector Scheme – “ **Blue Revolution: Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries**” at a total cost of Rs.3000 crore for implementation in all the States and UTs during a period of five years (2015-16 to 2019-20) with the following components:

- (i) National Fisheries Development Board and its activities (NFDB),
- (ii) Strengthening of Database & Geographical Information System of the Fisheries Sector (SoDGIS),
- (iii) Monitoring, Control and Surveillance and other need-based Interventions (MCS),
- (iv) Institutional Arrangement for Fisheries Sector,
- (v) Development of Inland Fisheries and Aquaculture,
- (vi) Development of Marine Fisheries, Infrastructure and Post-Harvest Operations,
- (vii) National Scheme on Welfare of Fishermen

2. The scheme provides focussed development and management of fisheries, covering inland fisheries, aquaculture, marine fisheries, mariculture and all activities undertaken by the NFDB. The Blue Revolution scheme, with its multi-dimensional activities, focuses mainly on increasing fisheries production and productivity from both aquaculture and fisheries resources.

3. The detailed implementation guidelines, cost norms, unit costs and associated terms and conditions etc. in respect of all the components and sub-components of the scheme are being issued separately. These shall also be uploaded in the Department's website (<http://www.dahd.nic.in>) in due course. The details of the scheme along with funding patterns have earlier been sent to the State/UTs vide this Department's letter of even number dated 29th January, 2016.


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4. Since the scheme is to be driven in association with the States/UTs and other concerned agencies, the State Governments/UT Administrations are requested to formulate specific action plan, strategy and roadmap for development and management of fishers in their respective States/UTs. The State Governments/UTs are also requested to sensitize all the concerned fisheries stakeholders such as State Agencies/Organisations, Corporations, Federations, Fishers Cooperatives, Private entrepreneurs, individual beneficiaries etc. about the provisions of the scheme.

5. It is requested to submit self contained project proposals in respect of the desired component in accordance with the provisions and guidelines etc. for availing central financial assistance under the scheme. Availability of adequate matching budgetary provision in State budget, necessary clearances and land wherever necessary, need to be specifically indicated in the proposals.

2016-17

6. Approval is also hereby conveyed for implementation of the Scheme during the financial year 2016-17 with the central budgetary allocation of Rs. 450 crore (Rupees Four Hundred Fifty crore only).

7. In the budget outlays of the scheme for 2016-17, all central sector components have been rationalised under “**National Fisheries Development Board**” and all state components under “**Inland Fisheries**”. That is, ‘NFDB’ component shall include central sector part of Development of Marine Fisheries, Infrastructure & Post Harvest Operations, Monitoring Control & Surveillance (MCS) and other need-based Interventions, Development of Inland Fisheries & Aquaculture, National Scheme of Welfare of Fishermen, Strengthening of Database & GIS for Fisheries Sector. Similarly, “Inland Fisheries” component shall include state components of Development of Marine Fisheries, Infrastructure & Post Harvest Operations, Monitoring Control & Surveillance (MCS) and other need-based Interventions, Development of Inland Fisheries & Aquaculture, National Scheme of Welfare of Fishermen, Strengthening of Database & GIS for Fisheries Sector.

8. Accordingly, and till further orders, the expenditure under respective components as mentioned in Para (7) above shall be debited in 2016-17 to the following Heads of Accounts:

(Rupees in lakhs)

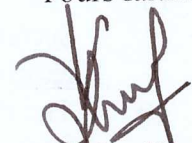
Head of Account	Description	BE:2016-17
NATIONAL FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT BOARD (Central Component)		
MH-2405	Fisheries	
00.103	Marine Fisheries	
14	Blue Revolution – Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries	
01	National Fisheries Development Board	
140120	Other Administrative Expenses	47.94
140131	Grant-in-aid-General	10092.49
140136	Grants-in-aid-Salary	350.00
00.789	Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes	
04	Blue Revolution – Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries	
01	National Fisheries Development Board	
040131	Grant-in-aid-General	4235.57
MH-2552	North Eastern Area	
00.268	Marine Fisheries	

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04	Blue Revolution – Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries	
01	National Fisheries Development Board	
040131	Grant-in-aid-General	4486.00
INLAND FISHERIES (State component)		
MH-3601	Grants-in-aid to State Governments	
03	Grants for Central Plan Scheme	
632	Marine Fisheries	
05	Blue Revolution – Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries	
01	Inland Fisheries	
050131	Grant-in-aid-General	20036.18
789	Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes (Minor Head)	
25	Blue Revolution – Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries	
01	Inland Fisheries	
250131	Grant-in-aid-General	2899.82
MH-3602	Grants-in-aid to Union Territory Governments	
03	Grants for Central Plan Scheme	
632	Marine Fisheries	
06	Blue Revolution – Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries	
01	Inland Fisheries	
050131	Grant-in-aid-General	1352.00
Assistance to Fisheries Institute		
MH-4405	Capital Outlay on Fisheries (Major Head)	
103	Marine Fisheries (Minor Head)	
09	Blue Revolution – Integrated Development and Management of Fisheries	
01	Assistance to Fisheries Institutes	
090152	Machinery and Equipment	1400.00
090153	Major Works	100.00
	Total	45000.00

9. No request for *ex-post facto* approval of any proposal would be entertained.
10. The committed liabilities/ pending releases of projects sanctioned earlier by the Department would be met from the Head of Accounts as detailed at para 8 above.
10. This issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide their Dy.No.125/AS&FA/2016 dated 17th May, 2016 and approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,



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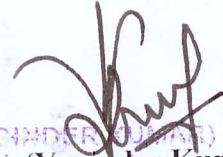
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