



**DIRECTORATE OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND VETERINARY SERVICES, ODISHA,
CUTTACK**

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To

All Chief District Veterinary Officers,

Sub: - Operational Guideline of State Plan Fodder Development Scheme for the year 2021-22.

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited above it is to inform you that for smooth & timely implementation of different Fodder Development Programmes under state plan 2021-22, the operational guidelines of the following programmes is enclosed herewith for ready reference and the funds for the purpose has already been allotted .

1. Utilization of Crop Residues Enrichment Programme.
2. Backyard Azolla cultivation by women farmers for livestock consumption.
3. Seasonal fodder demonstration programme in the selected farmers field during Kharif / Late Kharif.
4. Perennial fodder cultivation in farmers field and pasture land.

Encl :- As above.

Yours Faithfully


Additional Director (LD)



Your Signature will appear here.

**OPERATIONAL GUIDELINE FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF
THE PROGRAMME PERENNIAL FODDER CULTIVATION
IN FARMERS FIELD AND PASTURE LAND DURING THE
YEAR 2021-22**

UNDER STATE SECTOR SCHEME

**“TRAINING & DEMONSTRATION IN FODDER CULTIVATION AND
PASTURE DEVELOPMENT AND STRENGTHENING OF DEPARTMENTAL
FODDER FARMS OF ODISHA”.**

**DIRECTORATE OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND
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Perennial Fodder Cultivation Programme:-

Under this programme individual livestock farmers, beneficiaries under MGNREGS and user groups of pasture land will be provided with Perennial fodder seed to grow perennial fodder crop in their own land and pasture lands. Perennial fodder Sorghum crop seed like COFS-29 & COFS- 31 are to be supplied during Kharif 2021-22 for perennial fodder cultivation over 2500Ac. The seed will be procured from Govt. of India as well as Govt. of Odisha approved seed suppliers. The seed procured will be supplied to the farmers and user group on free of cost through extension chain i.e. CDVOs

Use of Key criteria for the perennial fodder cultivation programme and the justification.

• Towards Sustainable development goal	Small holder farmers and user group of pasture land avail green fodder by cultivating fodder in a patch of irrigated land. Once the experience is gained they extend the area as per their capacity.
• Towards Increasing farmers income and enhancing income activities	Both Kharif and Rabi are two seasons when farmers become bound to stall feed their livestock as the field are occupied with grain crops or cash crops. Farmers have to buy green fodder or dry fodder that is expensive. By cultivating perennial fodder they are able to mitigate the green fodder scarcity to a large extent.
• Towards Empowering women	Perennial fodder are easy to harvest for which women farmers who go to field or CPR to avail green fodder are facilitated with ease of harvest.
• Towards Skill development	Perennial fodder cultivation require a good skill for adopting different agronomic practice.
• Towards Enhancing participation of other vulnerable population	Vulnerable population not having enough land can take up fodder cultivation in a small area measuring 25 cents.

Programme details of perennial fodder cultivation programme during 2021-22

It is proposed to take up the perennial fodder cultivation programme in the entire state covering 30 districts. Accordingly during Kharif 2021-22, 60 Qtl of perennial fodder seed is proposed to be supplied to the farmers and user group to cultivate perennial fodder crop over 2500 acres.

Perennial fodder Seed	Amount (in Rs)
Cost of seeds @Rs.470/-per Kg inclusive of transportation charges	470
Total	470/-

Total Budget proposed for Perennial fodder cultivation programme in the entire state over 2500 Acres perennial fodder crop @2.4Kg per Ac= 60 Qtl of seed@ Rs 470 per Kg Total to Rs.28,20,000 (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Twenty Thousand) only.



Operational Guideline for the Programme

- Fodder seed like COFS-29 & COFS -31 will be supplied to the selected beneficiaries on free of cost for perennial fodder cultivation for at least 0.10Hactere to maximum 1.00 Ha with maximum limit of 6 kg seed as the seed rate for 1 Acre of crop cultivation is 2.40 kg .
- During selection of beneficiary MPCs /Fodder Cooperative group /SHG/NMPS/CAE/DEDS/MKUY members as well as SC/ST and women farmers should be given preference.
- The beneficiary selected should have irrigated land to raise perennial crop for obtaining green fodder round the year.
- The requisite quantity of fodder seed COFS- 29 & COFS- 31 will be supplied to the user community @ 2.40Kg. seed per acre on **free of cost** for perennial fodder cultivation in their own land /Govt waste land(Gochar) etc in different schemes.
- The beneficiary selected and the area under perennial fodder crop raised by user community should be communicated to the Directorate in the prescribed proforma enclosed herewith in ANNEXURE - I.
- The Geo-Tagged photographs along with success stories to be submitted to the Directorate (both soft & hard copy). The achievement of this programme to be incorporated in the Monthly Progress Report (MPR).



District wise Target for Perennial Fodder Cultivation in farmers field & Pasture land over 2500 acre for the year 2021-22 Under the Scheme Training & Demonstration in fodder cultivation & pasture development and strengthening of departmental fodder farms

Sl. No	Name of the District	No. of Blocks	Area to be covered in acre	Quantity of seed to be supplied in KG
1	Angul	8	64	153.6
2	Balasore	12	96	230.4
3	Bargarh	12	96	230.4
4	Bhadrak	7	56	134.4
5	Bolangir	14	112	268.8
6	Boudh	3	24	57.6
7	Cuttack	14	112	268.8
8	Deogarh	3	24	57.6
9	Dhenkanal	8	64	153.6
10	Gajapati	7	56	134.4
11	Ganjam	22	176	422.4
12	Jagatsinghpur	8	64	153.6
13	Jajpur	10	80	192
14	Jharsuguda	5	40	96
15	Kalahandi	13	104	249.6
16	Kandhamal	12	96	230.4
17	Kendrapara	9	72	172.8
18	Keonjhar	13	104	249.6
19	Khordha	10	80	192
20	Koraput	14	100	240
21	Malkangiri	7	56	134.4
22	Mayurbhanj	26	208	499.2
23	Nabarangapur	10	80	192
24	Nayagarh	8	64	153.6
25	Nuapada	5	40	96
26	Puri	11	88	211.2
27	Rayagada	11	88	211.2
28	Sambalpur	9	72	172.8
29	Subarnapur	6	48	115.2
30	Sundargarh	17	136	326.4
	TOTAL:	314	2500	6000


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Beneficiary list selected for Perennial Fodder cultivation in Farmers field /Pasture land during the year 2021-22
 Name of the District:

SL NO	Name of the Beneficiary/ User Community	Address Village GP Block	Contact No	Addhar No/Registration No if any	Bank Account details A/C No IFSC Code	Quantity of seed supplied in KG	Perennial Fodder Crop Cultivation in Acre	Remark

District Fodder Officer

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Chief District Veterinary Officer