No. 9-1/2018/Oilseeds/CA Govt. of India

Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers' Welfare (Oilseeds Division)

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Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi Dated: 31st January, 2019

To Dr. A Vishnuvardhan Reddy Director, ICAR-Indian Institute of Oilseeds Research Rajendranagar, Hyderabad-500 030, Telangana State, India

Sub: Proposal on utilization of infrastructure fund as per the specific need of the center within the budget sanctioned under the project "Creation of oilseed seed hub for enhancing quality seeds availability of major oilseed crop"-reg.

Sir,

With the approval of the Competent Authority Seed Hub were sanctioned vide this office letter no. 9-1/2018/Oilseed/CA dated 17.5.2018 to complete the actions in accordance to the approval.

In so far as NFSM-OS is concerned it is to mention that as per our guidelines following activities are permitted.

- Each seed hub will be given one time grant up to Rs. 50.00 lakh for creating seed processing and storage facilities.
- One time revolving fund upto Rs. 1.00 crore will be given to each seed hub. The revolving fund will be kept in a separate bank account and this fund will be recouped from sale proceeds of seeds.

It is upto the ICAR to decide the breakup of Rs. 50.00 lakh for creating seed processing and storage facilities as per need.

(Dr. Anupam Barik)

Addl. Commissioner (Oilseed)