No. 14-3/2016-CA-II
Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 02nd January, 2017

To,

The Pay & Accounts Officer (Sectt.),
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare,
Room No. 35, Krishi Bhawan,
New Delhi.

Sub.: Release of funds to International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT), Hyderabad for implementation of the Project titled – "Fast Tracking release of High Oil and High Oleic Groundnut Varieties and Promoting their Adoption by Farmers for Enhanced Production and Quality of Groundnut Oil" under National Mission on Oilseeds and Oil Palm (NMOOP) during 2016-17 - reg.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of payment of **₹ 23,58,347/-** (Rupees Twenty three lakh fifty eight thousand three hundred forty seven only) to International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT), Hyderabad for implementation of the Project titled – "Fast Tracking release of High Oil and High Oleic Groundnut Varieties and Promoting their Adoption by Farmers for Enhanced Production and Quality of Groundnut Oil" under National Mission on Oilseeds and Oil Palm (NMOOP) during 2016-17.

2. The release is subject to terms & conditions laid down in the Administrative Approval issued vide letter No. 14-1/2016-CA-II dated 26.04.2016 and Guidelines issued vide letter No. 1-6/2013-OS dated 26.02.2014.

3. The expenditure is adjustable against the funds available under

Demand No. 1	:	Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare
Major Head 2401	:	Crop Husbandry
114	:	Development of Oilseeds
15	:	Krishionnati Yojana-State Plan
01	:	National Mission on Oilseeds and Oil Palm
150131	:	Grant- in-aid-General for 2016-17

4. The payment sanctioned above is also subject to adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure in terms of Ministry of Finance letter No. 2919/P.11/60 dated the 9th October, 1964.

5. The accounts of **ICRISAT, Hyderabad** shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the Comptroller and Auditor-General of India under the provision of CAG (DPC) Act 1971 and internal audit by the Principal Accounts Office of the Ministry or Department, whenever the Institution or Organization is called upon to do so and they will have the right to demand the production of books of accounts, vouchers and other papers/documents in this regard.

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अवर सचिव/Under Secretary
भारत सरकार/Government of India
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6. The implementing agency is requested to furnish the physical and financial progress report for which the funds have been utilized for implementation of the scheme and is also requested to furnish the Audited Utilization Certification (AUC) in the prescribed proforma GFR – 19 (A) to this Department at the end of financial year.

7. The implementing agency may ensure that no funds have been obtained / received from any other Department / Schemes for the purpose.

8. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Division of the Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare vide their **Diary No. 11109–FTS/AS&FA** dated **16.12.2016**.

9. This has been noted as per GFR Rule 212(4) (b) at serial No. **45/11** in the Register of Grants for 2016-17.

Yours faithfully,

Kailash Choudhary

(Kailash Choudhary)
Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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2. Principal Accounts Officer, 16-A, Akbar Road Hutments, New Delhi.
3. Director of ACW&M, AGCR Building, IP Estate, New Delhi.
4. PPS to JS (Oil Seeds)/ Director (Oil Seeds)/ ADC (Oil Seeds) DAC&FW.
5. DD (Coord.) /AC (Oil Seeds) /Programmer (Oil Seeds).
6. Senior Scientist (Groundnut Breeding), Research Program – Grain Legumes, International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT), Patancheru, Hyderabad – 502324, Telangana.
7. Director, Dte. of Oilseeds Development, Telhan Bhawan, Himayat Nagar, Hyderabad.
8. US(Fin.-VI)/ Budget/B&A
9. Hindi Anuvad Anubhag for fair Hindi translation
10. Guard file.