



State Project Management Unit (SPMU)
Green-Ag Project, Odisha
Directorate of Soil Conservation & Watershed Development
Department of Agriculture & Farmers' Empowerment, Govt. of Odisha

Letter No. DSCWD/GAP-SPMU/Admn.-13/2021/ 335

Dt. 24.01.2023

From

Sri Hemanta Kumar Panda,
Director, Soil Conservation & Watershed Development
-Cum – Nodal Officer, Green-Ag Project,
Odisha, Bhubaneswar

To

Chairman, Odisha Bio-Diversity Board, Bhubaneswar
Field Director, Similipal Tiger Reserve & RCCF, Baripada
Director, IMAGE, Siripur, Bhubaneswar
State Technical Coordinator, SPMU, Green-Ag Project, Odisha

Sub: Minutes of the Fifth State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) meeting of Green-Ag Project – regarding.

Sir,

Enclosed, please find herewith the approved minutes of the fifth State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) meeting of Green-Ag Project held under the Chairmanship of the Vice Chancellor, OUAT in the R.K Hall, OUAT, Bhubaneswar on 18th January 2023 at 4.00 PM for information and necessary action.

Yours Faithfully,

Enclosure: As above

Handwritten Signature
24/01/23
Director,

Soil Conservation & WD-cum-Nodal Officer,
Green-Ag Project, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

Memo No. 336

Date. 24.01.2023

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24/01/23
Director,

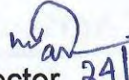
Soil Conservation & WD-cum-Nodal Officer,
Green-Ag Project, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

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Memo No. 337

Date. 24.01.2023

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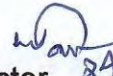

Director, 24/01/23

Soil Conservation & WD-cum-Nodal Officer,
Green-Ag Project, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

Memo No. 338

Date. 24.01.2023

Copy forwarded to PS to Vice Chancellor, OUAT, Bhubaneswar for kind information of the Vice Chancellor.


Director, 24/01/23

Soil Conservation & WD-cum-Nodal Officer,
Green-Ag Project, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

Memo No. 339

Date. 24.01.2023

Copy forwarded to the Collector & District Magistrate, Mayurbhanj for information and necessary action.



Director, 24/01/23

Soil Conservation & WD-cum-Nodal Officer,
Green-Ag Project, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

Memo No. 340

Date. 24.01.2023

Copy forwarded to the Project Director, Watersheds cum District Project Nodal Officer, GAP, Mayurbhanj for information and necessary action.



Director, 24/01/23

Soil Conservation & WD-cum-Nodal Officer,
Green-Ag Project, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

Memo No. 341

Date. 24.01.2023

Copy forwarded to the FAO Representative in India/National Project Director, NPMU, Green-Ag Project, New Delhi for information.


Director, 24/01/23

Soil Conservation & WD-cum-Nodal Officer,
Green-Ag Project, Odisha, Bhubaneswar

**Minutes of the 5th State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) Meeting
Green-Ag Project, Odisha**

The 5th State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) meeting was held under the Chairmanship of Vice Chancellor, OUAT on 18th January 2023 in the R.K Hall, OUAT, Bhubaneswar at 4.00PM. The Committee members and representatives from SPMU, NPMU/FAO participated in the meeting. The list of participants is **at Annexure-I**.

At the outset, Director, Soil Conservation & Watershed Development cum State Nodal Officer welcomed the participants and briefed about the project. Vice Chancellor, OUAT, Chairman of SLTC greeted the members and suggested to initiate discussions as per agenda of the meeting.

Mr. Sukanta Kumar Samal, State Technical Coordinator, SPMU, Green-Ag Project made an agenda wise presentation including actions taken on the minutes of the 4th SLTC meeting.

1. Approval of the minutes of 4th State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) Meeting.

The Minutes of the 4th SLTC meeting were circulated to all members vide letter no.123 dated 17.02.2022 and the suggestions of NPMU relating to Policy Dialogues were incorporated and approved in the 3rd SSC meeting. The minutes of the 4th SLTC meeting were approved.

2. Identification of two State Policy Dialogues.

The committee was apprised that 11 State Policy dialogues have to be undertaken during the project cycle, whereas two policy dialogues have already been approved in 3rd SSC. On the basis of suggestions received from brainstorming session, SPMU proposed two more policy dialogues for approval as follows:

1. State policy dialogue on "Developing Odisha Land Utilization Policy" in line with draft National Land Utilization Policy.



2. Policy Dialogue on “mainstreaming biodiversity in to agriculture sector for increased food and livelihood security”.

After detailed deliberations, the following two topics were recommended to SSC for approval:

1. **State policy dialogue on developing Odisha Holistic Land Utilization Policy” in line with draft National Land Utilization Policy with due consideration to land capability classification and other state specific concerns.**
2. **State Policy Dialogue on “Mainstreaming biodiversity in to agriculture sector for increased food and livelihood security”.**

3. Identification of Two Study topics to be taken up at landscape level.

The committee was apprised that 07 Studies have to be undertaken during the project cycle, whereas two Studies have already been approved in 3rd SSC. Four study topics emerging from the brainstorming session and project document were placed by SPMU as follows:

1. Study on nutritional analysis & microbial diversity associated with local land races of selected crops in Similipal landscape.
2. Study on implication of bullock drawn implements on soil fertility and livestock management.
3. Studies on incentives for environment friendly agriculture.
4. Studies on Sustainable Energy Alternatives.

After detail deliberations, the following studies were recommended to SSC for approval.

1. **Study on nutritional analysis & microbial diversity associated with local land races of selected crops and commodities in Similipal landscape.**
2. **Study on impact of conservation agriculture production systems (CAPS) on soil fertility, productivity and economics in Similipal biosphere.**
3. **Studies on incentives for environment friendly agriculture.**

4. Studies on alternative energy sources for maintaining sustainable forest ecosystem.


4. Approval of revised remuneration of SPMU & GLIU staff of Green-Ag Project, Odisha.

Proposals on revised remuneration i.e 25% revision on base remuneration for State Project Management Unit (SPMU) & Green Landscape Implementation Unit (GLIU) were examined by SLTC and recommended to SSC for approval. However, NPMU proposed that 12.5% revision shall be applicable on the current remuneration of existing employees effective from the date of approval in SSC meeting and the remaining 12.5% shall be applicable after six months considering the half yearly performance appraisal of existing employees from the effective date of 1st revision. In addition to this, the existing annual performance incentive at the rate of 5% shall remain unchanged and will be applicable on the revised monthly based remuneration.

The proposed revised based remuneration and annual performance incentive will also be applicable to new employee.

The proposed remuneration of SPMU and GLIU is enclosed at Annexure - A&B.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair & all participating members.


21/09/2023
Vice Chancellor,
Odisha University of Agriculture &
Technology, Bhubaneswar

List of Participants**5th State Level Technical Committee (SLTC) meeting of Green-Ag Project, Odisha**

Date & Time : 18.01.2023 at 4.00 PM

Venue: R.K. Hall, OUAT, Bhubaneswar

Sl. No.	Name & Designation	Organisation / Department
1.	Prof. Pravat Kumar Roul, Vice-Chancellor	OUAT, Bhubaneswar
2.	Shri Hemanta Kumar Panda Director, Soil Conservation & WD cum State Nodal Officer, Green-Ag Project, Odisha	Directorate of Soil Conservation & WD
3.	Shri Dushasan Praharaj, Director	IMAGE, Bhubaneswar
4.	Shri S.K Dash, Joint Director	Directorate of Agriculture & Food Production
5.	Dr. Samrat Gowda, IFS, Deputy Director	Similipal Tiger Reserve
6.	Shri K.K Agarwall, Deputy Director	Directorate of Horticulture
7.	Shri Bhabani Shankar Kalo PD-Watersheds, Mayurbhanj cum District Nodal Officer, Green-Ag Project	PDWS, Mayurbhanj
8.	Shri Kali Charan Behera, Deputy Director	IMAGE, Bhubaneswar
9.	Dr. Shubhransu Nayak, Coordinator	Odisha Bio Diversity Board
10.	Dr. Divya Shah, NRM & Biodiversity Specialist	FAO/NPMU, New Delhi
11.	Shri Sukanta Kumar Samal, State Technical Coordinator	SPMU, GAP, Bhubaneswar
12.	Ms. Silla Pattanayak, Communication Officer	SPMU, GAP, Bhubaneswar
13.	Shri Sanjay Kumar Satpathy, Admin. & Operations Officer	SPMU, GAP, Bhubaneswar
14.	Ms. Rameswari Bhuyan, Budget & Finance Officer	SPMU, GAP, Bhubaneswar
15.	Ms. Sonalina Jena, Office Assistant	SPMU, GAP, Bhubaneswar

ANNEXURE - A**Statement of Enhancement of Remuneration (12.5%) under Green-Ag Project, Odisha**

Designation	Monthly Remuneration	Revised Monthly based remuneration after 12.5% enhancement on monthly remuneration
STATE PROJECT MANAGEMENT UNIT (SPMU)		
State Technical Coordinator	100,000	112,500
Communication Officer	50,000	56,250
Budget and Finance Officer (Formerly Accountant)	40,000	45,000
Administration & Operations Officer (Formerly Executive Assistant/DTP)	40,000	45,000
Office Assistant	20,000	22,500
Office Attendant	10,000	11,250
GREEN LANDSCAPE IMPLEMENTATION UNIT (GLIU)		
Team Leader & NRM Expert	50,000	56,250
Animal Husbandry Expert	55,000	55,000
Rural Livelihoods & Community Institutions Expert	40,000	45,000
Gender & Social Inclusion Expert	40,000	45,000
FFS Expert	40,000	45,000
MIS Expert	40,000	45,000
Budget and Finance Officer (Formerly Accountant)	30,000	33,750
Administration & Operations Officer (Formerly Executive Assistant/DTP)	30,000	33,750
Office Assistant	20,000	22,500
Office Attendant	10,000	11,250

ANNEXURE - B**Statement of Enhancement of Remuneration (25%) after six months of 1st revision
(12.5%) under Green-Ag Project, Odisha**

Designation	Monthly Remuneration	Revised Monthly based remuneration after 25% enhancement on monthly remuneration
STATE PROJECT MANAGEMENT UNIT (SPMU)		
State Technical Coordinator	100,000	125,000
Communication Officer	50,000	62,500
Budget and Finance Officer (Formerly Accountant)	40,000	50,000
Administration & Operations Officer (Formerly Executive Assistant/DTP)	40,000	50,000
Office Assistant	20,000	25,000
Office Attendant	10,000	12,500
GREEN LANDSCAPE IMPLEMENTATION UNIT (GLIU)		
Team Leader & NRM Expert	50,000	62,500
Animal Husbandry Expert	55,000	55,000
Rural Livelihoods & Community Institutions Expert	40,000	50,000
Gender & Social Inclusion Expert	40,000	50,000
FFS Expert	40,000	50,000
MIS Expert	40,000	50,000
Budget and Finance Officer (Formerly Accountant)	30,000	37,500
Administration & Operations Officer (Formerly Executive Assistant/DTP)	30,000	37,500
Office Assistant	20,000	25,000
Office Attendant	10,000	12,500