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 Government of India
 Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
 Department of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare
 (Mechanization & Technology Division)

Krishi Bhawan New Delhi,
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Subject: Inclusion of Smart Seeder Machine for financial assistance under Crop Residue Management Scheme - Regarding

The undersigned is directed to inform that, the request received from the Directorate of Research, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana to include Smart Seeder for financial assistance under the Crop Residue Management (CRM) Scheme has been examined in this Department in consultation with the State Agriculture Departments. The Smart Seeder machine is already included for financial assistance under Sub-Mission on Agricultural Mechanization (SMAM) as the pattern of assistance as indicated below:

S. No.	Type of Agricultural Machinery	For SC, ST, Small & Marginal farmers, Women and NE States beneficiary		For other beneficiary	
		Maximum permissible subsidy per Machine/ Equipment per beneficiary inclusive of GST @ 12% (Rs.)	Pattern of assistance	Maximum permissible subsidy per Machine/ Equipment per beneficiary inclusive of GST @ 12% (Rs.)	Pattern of assistance
1	Smart Seeder				
	09 tine	0.740 lakh	50%	0.592 lakh	40%
	10 tine	0.765 lakh		0.612 lakh	
	11 tine	0.785 lakh		0.628 lakh	
	12 tine	0.820 lakh		0.656 lakh	

The competent authority of this Department has recommended that the States may extend financial assistance to the farmers and CHCs for purchase of Smart Seeder machines as per their choice and as per the pattern of assistance as already approved under the CRM Scheme. The maximum permissible assistance for individual purchase of Smart Seeder machine as per the pattern of assistance of CRM scheme may be as under:

S.No.	Name of the machine/equipment	Maximum permissible subsidy per Machine/ Equipment per beneficiary inclusive of GST @ 12% (Rs.)	Pattern of Assistance
1.	Smart Seeder		
	a) 09 tine	74,000	50%
	b) 10 tine	76,500	50%
	c) 11 tine	78,500	50%
	d) 12 tine	82,000	50%

This is issued with the approval of competent authority of this Department



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