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Mission for Elimination of Poverty in Municipal Areas (MEPMA)  
Department of Municipal Administration & Urban Development, Govt of Telangana



From  
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MEPMA,  
Hyderabad

To  
All Project Directors,  
MEPMA,  
Telangana.

**Lr.No.MEPMA-TKHH/NSRS/1/2018, Dated: 16- 02-2019**

Sub: MEPMA – Telangana ku Haritha Haram – Raising of Homestead nurseries and Commercial Nurseries – Certain instructions issued – reg.

Ref: 1. Lr.No.47367/2018-H2, Dated: 04 - 02-2019 from the DMA office.  
2. Lr.No.47367/2018-H2, Dated: 12- 02-2019 from the DMA office.

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I invite your attention to the references cited (copy enclosed) and request you to take immediate action for development of Homestead Nurseries and Commercial Nurseries as per the guidelines issued to show best results and strict compliance.

Please acknowledge the receipt of this letter.

Encl: as above

Yours faithfully

  
Addl. Mission Director

Copy to all the Municipal Commissioners for necessary action.

  
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GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA  
MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

From  
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Director of  
Municipal Administration,  
Telangana, Hyderabad.

To  
~~The Mission Director,~~  
M.E.P.M.A.  
Hyderabad

Lr.Roc.No.47367/2018/H2, Dt. 12/02/2019

Sir,

Sub:PS – MA Dept - Telangana Ku Haritha Haram- Development of Homestead Nurseries-  
Certain instructions issued-Reg .

Ref: This office Lr.Roc.No.47367/2018-H2, Dt. 04.02.2019

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*SMC (SBP)*  
*To Coordinate*  
*all the DPMA*  
*for strict compliance*  
*and best results.*

As you are aware that Haritha Haram is one of the flagship programmes of Telangana State and the progress under this scheme is being reviewed by Honble Chief Minister of the State regularly. It may be recalled that Hon'ble Chief Minister has issued instructions that every ULB shall raise their own nurseries for taking up plantations during Haritha Haram program and the species suitable to their climatic conditions may be raised in their own nurseries.

2. In this regard, I am to inform that in this office reference cited certain instructions were issued to all the Municipal Commissioners in the State for raising of Homestead Nurseries and Commercial Nurseries in the ULBs of Telangana State.

*(As per)*  
3. In view of the above, I enclose herewith a copy of reference cited and request you to instruct the MEPMA officials to coordinate with the municipal commissioners and ensure that Homestead Nurseries a) there shall be at least 10 Home stead nurseries in each Urban Local Body and has minimum 1000 plants in each Homestead nurseries, c) After growing the plant in the nursery the healthy plant shall be bought back by the Municipal Commissioners @ of Rs.10.00 per every healthy surviving plant for taking up plantations during Haritha Haram programme. In addition to the above one Commercial Nurseries shall be raised in each ULBs with atleast 1.00 lakh to 5.00 lakh plants. In case of any further queries on raising the nurseries, Sri Prasad Rao, Urban forest Consultant ( 9391032339) shall be contacted and ensure that Telangana Ku Haritha Haram programme shall become a grand success.

(This has the approval of the DMA)

Yours faithfully,

VANISRI N

JOINT DIRECTOR

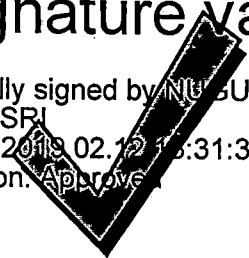
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GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA  
MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

From To  
Dr.T.K.Sreedevi, I.A.S., All the Municipal Commissioners  
Director of, in the State.  
Municipal Administration,  
Telangana State,  
Hyderabad.

Lr.Roc.No.47367/2018-H2, Dt. 04/02/2019

Sir,

Sub: Mpl Admn Dept- Telangana Ku Haritha Haram-Involving of SHG women  
in the process of development of Homestead nurseries-Certain instructions-  
Issued-Reg.

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A review meeting was convened by the Chief Secretary to Government of Telangana on 23.01.2019 on raising of saplings in the nurseries at every ULB and once again issued instructions to develop nurseries in the Municipalities for taking up plantations during Haritha Haram programmes.

2. However in order to involve public particularly the SHG women in the process of development of nurseries it has been decided to develop homestead nurseries by SHG members for distribution during Haritha Haram programme and also Commercial Nurseries in larger Urban Local Bodies. The following are the detailed guidelines for developing homestead and Commercial nurseries.

**HOMESTEAD NURSERY**

1. The Municipal Commissioner / PD, MEPMA in consultation with DMC / TMC shall identify SHG women members who have either experience / interested in developing homestead nurseries
2. There shall be at least 10 Home stead nurseries in each Urban Local Body.
3. Each SHG member shall raise minimum 1000 plants in each Homestead nurseries.
4. There shall be suitable land available in the premises of the member with proper fencing and water supply.

5. The SHG member shall bear the cost of the seedlings and polythene bag and take care of the plant until it grows to minimum 2 feet height. It shall be the responsibility of the SHG member for nurturing the plant.
6. After growing the plant in the nursery the healthy plant shall be bought back by the Municipal Commissioners @ of Rs.10.00 per every healthy surviving plant for taking up plantations during Haritha Haram programme.
7. If the SHG member is unable to put the initial capital cost for raising the plants, a loan may be arranged from SHG / SLF /TLF by co-ordinating with MEPMA staff.
8. The amount payable to the SHG member by the Municipal Commissioner @ of Rs.10.00 for every healthy and surviving plant shall be directly transferred to the bank account of the SHG member and shall not involve any cash transactions and the same shall be met from 14<sup>th</sup> Finance Commission.
9. Funds will be released to ULBs maximum upto 10 homestead nurseries @ of 1000 plants for each nursery.
10. Necessary compost required for the development of nurseries shall be supplied by the Municipal Commissioners to the SHG members.

#### COMMERCIAL NURSERIES

1. 05 Centralized Nurseries shall be developed in each Municipal Corporation
2. One Centralized Nursery shall be developed in every Municipality (other than Special Grade).
3. 03 Centralized Nurseries shall be developed by each Special Grade Municipality
4. One must possess /or lease a land with water facility.
5. The land should be well protected.
6. The raised seedlings will be owned by members. They can sell by themselves or handed over to Municipal Commissioner with the rate communicated at the time of disposal.
7. Initially every member must have 1/2 an Acre to 1 Acre depends upon the size of the nursery they willing to raise. For example: For a bed size like 10 Mtr x 1.2 Mtrs can be accommodated 500 bag plants (grafted). In the open land of 1/2 an acre can be raised 50,000 bag plants and some primary beds.
8. Finances can be met from the 14<sup>th</sup> Finance Commission Grants.

I request you to follow the above guidelines and identify members of SHGs for developing homestead and Commercial nurseries for taking up mass plantations during the month of September-2019 in the ULBs and make the programme more successful with the involvement of public, elected representatives etc.,

SREEDEVI T K

DIRECTOR OF MPL

ADMN

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