

**MINUTES OF THE 1st STATE LEVEL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
OF THE STATE HORTICULTURE MISSION HELD ON 17.06.2014 IN THE
CHAMBERS OF THE APC &PrI. SECRETARY, , HYDERABAD**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

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| 1.Smt. Poonam Malakondaiah, I.A.S.
APC &PrI. Secretary to Govt., Horticulture & Sericulture,
Govt. of Telangana., Secretariat, Hyderabad. | - | Chairman, SLEC |
| 2. Dr.B.Janardhan Reddy, IAS
Mission Director & Commissioner of Horticulture
State Horticulture Mission, Telangana, Hyderabad | - | Member
Secretary |
| 3. Dr. J.Dilip babu,
Director of Research, Dr.Y.S.R. Horticulture University | - | Member |
| 4. Dr.N.N.Reddy, Principal Scientist (Horti)
Central Research Institute for Dryland Agriculture (CRIDA) | - | Member |
| 5. Dr.G.Chandramouli,
Principal Investigator, PFDC | - | Member |
| 6. Miss. D. Vijaya Lakshmi, Asst. Director,
Representative from Rural Development Dept. | - | Member |

At the outset, the APC and Principal Secretary to Govt and Chair Person SLEC, SHM has welcomed the members to the 1st State Level Executive Committee (SLEC) Meeting .

Agenda item No.: 1

Action taken Report on 31st SLEC held on 15.03.2014

SLEC, SHM has noted the action taken on the decisions taken in the previous SLEC meeting held on 15.03.2014.

Agenda item No.: 2

Approval of SHM Telangana Annual Action Plan and Implementation Guidelines for - 2014 - 15.

Approved and instructed SHM to communicate to Districts.

Agenda item No.: 3

Approval for Establishment of Small Private (6nos) Nurseries of previous year 2013-14.

Not approved . To take up development of nurseries in Horticulture farms / Government sector

Agenda item No.: 4

Special Project for establishment of Centre of Excellence at Jeedimetla, Rangareddy District - Project report

Approved and permitted to send to EC, MIDH, GoI for approval.

Agenda item No.: 5

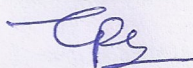
Mission Management Expenditure March'14 to May'14.

Noted.

The following instructions were issued in the SLEC Meeting

1. Supervision mechanism should be strengthened at District and State level for effective implementation and monitoring of the schemes.
2. Strengthen the existing Government nurseries in order to make available good quality planting material to the farmers.
3. The Department of Horticulture should develop Ornamental plant nurseries in Hyderabad so as to produce and supply seasonal flowering plants etc., to cater to the needs of households / Public to avoid dependency on private nurseries.
4. Model nurseries should be developed in the existing Government nurseries in the districts for demonstration and production of good quality plant material, in addition to creating employment opportunities for the rural women and youth.
5. Cultivation of exotic and rare vegetables should also be encouraged to ensure year round supply.
6. Crop specific clusters or hot spots should be identified in and around Hyderabad to develop satellite vegetable production centers which are linked to the vegetable markets and Malls duly coordinating with the Marketing Department .
7. Ensure better linkages for the existing vegetable clusters to the Rythu Bazaars with immediate effect.
8. Identify group expert Scientists (TSG) on Vegetable cultivation to guide the farmers in adoption of best practices and preparation of crop calendars.

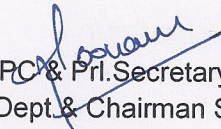
9. In this effect, a Steering Committee meeting is convened on 25.06.2014 with the officials of Horticulture, Marketing Department and Vegetable farmers to evolve the modalities to chalk out a programme for the next three months for effective utilization of incentives/resources available with the Departments to attain self sufficiency in vegetable production.



Executive Director
SHM



Commissioner
& Mission Director



APC & Pri. Secretary A & C
Dept. & Chairman SLEC