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Secretary  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change

D.O. No. 15011/12/2015-IFS.II

July 24, 2015

Dear

I am enclosing a copy of D.O. letter No. 14-5/2014- RFS-III dated 13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015 from the Additional Secretary, Department of Agriculture & Co-operation, Ministry of Agriculture regarding training of All India officers (IAS and Forest Service) in preparation of District Irrigation Plans under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojana (PMKSY).

2. As detailed in the enclosed letter, Indian Forest Service officers of the three junior most batches are to be assigned a District each for preparation of District irrigation plan. State Forest Service officers may also be associated with the above task. For this, one week training programme will be conducted in five institutes as per schedule detailed in the enclosed letter.

3. I request you to nominate three IFS officers from your State for attending the training on preparation of District Irrigation Plans under intimation to this Ministry.

With regards,

Yours sincerely

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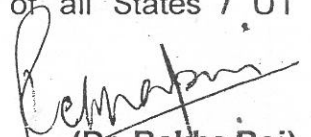
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The Chief Secretaries of all States / UT Administration

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(Dr. Rekha Pai)  
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13<sup>th</sup> July, 2015

Sub: Training of All India officers (IAS and Forest service) in preparation of District Irrigation Plans under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Sinchai Yojana (PMKSY).

Dear Sir,

You are aware that in a meeting chaired by the PM on 8/6/15, the following decision was taken:

"IAS and IFS (Forest) service officers of the three junior most batches may be assigned a district each for preparation of the District Irrigation plan. They should spend at least one month in the district, interact with all stakeholders and prepare a document which could be used as the primary source. Likewise State civil and forest officer trainees may also be associated with the above task in consultation with State Governments. All the information so collected should be integrated on a digital platform using the available resources with Department of Science and Technology (DST) and Department of Agriculture & Cooperation (DAC)."

Meanwhile the Cabinet approval for PMKSY was received on 06.07.2015 and DAC has started taking necessary action to expedite the work on the above. In this context, JS Mission for Integrated Development of Horticulture (MIDH) and On Farm Water Management (OFWM) along with JS in Department of Land Resources (DoLR) held a meeting with the heads of all training intuitions of Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), Ministry of Rural Development and Ministry of Water Resources at National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD&PR) Hyderabad on Monday, the 6<sup>th</sup> July to prepare a training module, and the basic contours of the DIP.

The following five institutes have been identified to conduct the one week training programme for the states covered in their region as per schedule given below.

1.	National Water Academy (NWA), Central Water Commission, Pune- Sinhagad Road, Khadakwasla, Pune- 411024, Maharashtra. Tel.No.020-24380678 Fax.No.020-24380110	Western Region States (Rajasthan, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Goa)	24-28 August, 2015
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2.	Indian Institute of Water Management, Opp. Rail Vihar, Chandrasekharapur, Bhubaneswar-751023, Odisha. Tel.No.0674-2300060 Fax No.0674-2301651	Eastern Region States (Odisha, Bihar, WB, Jharkhand)	7-11 September, 2015
3.	National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj (NIRD&PR), Rajendranagar, Hyderabad-500030. Tel.No.040-24008526 Fax No.040-24016500	Southern Region States (Karnataka, AP, TN, Telengana, Kerala, A&N Islands, Puducherry)	14-18 September, 2015
4.	Indian Institute of Soil & Water Conservation (IISWC), 218, Kaulagarh Road, Dehradun (UK)-248195 Tel.No.0135-2758564 Fax No.0135-2754213	Northern & Central Region States (MP, UP, J&K, Chhattisgarh, HP, Uttarakhand, Punjab, Haryana)	21-25 September, 2015
5.	ICAR Research Complex for NEH Region, Umroi Road, Umiam, Meghalaya-793103. Tel.No.0364-2570257 Fax No.0364-2570355	NEH Region States (Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Meghalaya, Manipur, Mizoram, Nagaland, Tripura, Sikkim)	05-09 October, 2015

May I request you to please write to all cadre controlling authorities of Indian Forest Service Officers in the states to nominate three to four officers from the IAS and two to three officers from the Indian Forest Service for 5 day training on preparation of District Irrigation Plans.

With warm regards

Yours sincerely

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14 July '15

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