
Ref: 1. G.O. Ms. No. 22, AH, DD & F Dept. dated 14.08.2019

The attention of all Joint Directors (AH), I/c of District Administration in the state is drawn to the subject and reference 1st cited, wherein the Government has approved Comprehensive Livestock Loss Compensation Scheme in the name of “YSR Pasu Nastaparihara Padhakam” and also issued necessary guidelines for implementation of the scheme to pay compensation to the farmers within 2 days after death of animals in case of Cows/she Buffaloes and Sheep/Goat.

As per the spirit of the programme, the Government will hence forth pay compensation to all categories of livestock owners including big farmers, when mortality is reported in case of Cows/she Buffaloes and to all Sheep & Goat rearers/owners irrespective of caste of the farmer in the event of death subject to following conditions.

The guidelines issued by Government to implement the scheme are enclosed along with G.O. 1st cited above as Annexure - I for Cows/she Buffaloes and Annexure - II for Sheep/Goat

**Software App:**

A software app to monitor the scheme has been developed and will be enabled w.e.f. 20.08.2019 which should be made use by the field staff concerned to process the claims within 2 days.

**Tagging:**

- The process starts from “Ear tagging” in case of Cows/she Buffaloes where as with “death intimation” in case of Sheep/Goat
• Ear tagging is mandatory in case of Cows/she Buffaloes where as Ear tagging is not mandatory in case of Sheep/goat

Age :

• The Cows in the age group of 2-10 Yrs. and she Buffaloes in the age group of 3-12 Yrs are eligible for compensation under the scheme
• The Sheep/Goat with 6 months & above age are eligible for compensation under the scheme
• The age shall be decided on the basis of dentition by the area Veterinarian i.e., VAS/AD (AH)

Claims Eligible:-

• Every death up to 5 animals per family per annum in case of Cows/she Buffaloes and up to 20 animals per family per annum in case of Sheep/Goat can be compensated.

• The mortality of 3 and above Sheep/Goat owned by the farmers at a time on each occasion can only be compensated.

Compensation Payable:-

• The compensation payable will be @ Rs.30, 000/- per head in case of improved/indigenous Cows/she Buffaloes and Rs.15, 000/- per head in case of Non-Descript Cows/she Buffaloes.

• The compensation payable in case of Sheep/Goat is Rs. 6,000/- per animal

Eligibility:-

• The claims for compensation in case of mortality shall be processed in case of the below mentioned situations
  ✓ Accident
  ✓ Diseases
  ✓ Circumstances not covered under SDRF/NDRF

• The claims for compensation can not be processed in case of the below mentioned situations
  ✓ Malicious or will full acts of the owner
  ✓ Circumstances covered under SDRF/NDRF
Procedure for payment of compensation:

- The death intimation by the farmer or his representative either to the call centre on 8500001962 or at Village secretariat
- Inspection of carcass by VAS/AD(AH) concerned
- Carcass disposal in the presence of Animal Husbandry Assistant/Department staff with documentation
- Conducting of Post-Mortem is mandatory in case of Cows/she Buffaloes and conducting of Post-Mortem is optional in case of Sheep/Goat
- Panchanama/Committee Report about the confirmation of death and ownership of the animal is mandatory in case when Ear tag is lost/not available at the time of death of animal with the authorization of the following members.
  a. Area Veterinarian / Para Veterinarian in case of RLU
  b. Animal Husbandry Assistant in the Village Secretariat.
  c. One farmer from the village
  d. Any two other employees from the village secretariat.

Documents to be uploaded:

- The following documents shall be obtained and uploaded in the software app with the help of Animal Husbandry Assistant within one day after death intimation for processing of claims
  ✓ Death Intimation letter
  ✓ Post-Mortem report in case of Cows/she Buffaloes
  ✓ Panchanama/ Committee Report in case of Sheep/Goat and when Ear tag is lost in case of Cows/she Buffaloes
  ✓ Xerox copy of the Farmer Aadhaar card
  ✓ Xerox copy of first page of Farmer’s Bank Account Pass book
  ✓ FIR copy in case of accidental death
  ✓ (2) photos with Geo-coordinates along with date and time, one showing the Ear tag intact with animal and the other one with the beneficiary & the carcass
  ✓ Acknowledgement from the person 1/c of institution in token of receipt of the Ear tag received
  ✓ Claim form
  ✓ Advance Stamped Receipt
Payment Process:-
Immediately after receipt of data in the online App, the Joint Directors (AH), I/c of District Administration should process the files to obtain sanction of the District Collector before the claim is preferred to pay compensation to beneficiary concerned through Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT). Hence the Joint Director shall monitor on daily basis.

Other aspects:-
- The VAS/AD(AH) concerned shall maintain Post-Mortem register and issue Post-Mortem certificate in the standard format.
- The farmer should bury the carcass at his own cost in case of Cows, She Buffaloes, whereas Rs.500/- is payable along with compensation towards carcass disposal charges in case of Sheep/Goat.

Establishment of Call Centre:-
- A Call Centre at Directorate is established with phone no. 8500001962, which should be popularized among farmers. All claims regarding death intimation will be monitored through call centre only. The field staff should be sensitized accordingly to respond to the call centre requests promptly failing which action shall be initiated on the defaulters.
- The Deputy Director I/c of Divisions shall verify 100% of the claims received in the Divisions every month to prevent the fraudulent claims.
- The Joint Director should designate one responsible officer in his office to respond to the communications from the call centre and inform their email Ids & Mobile numbers to the Directorate.

The officers designated to monitor the scheme in the Directorate:
1. Dr. K. Bhupal Reddy, Deputy Director (AH), NLM Section: Livestock Loss Compensation scheme for Cows/she Buffaloes
   Mob No: 9989998075
2. Dr. V. Venkateswarlu, Assistant Director (AH), Sheep & Goat Section: Livestock Loss Compensation scheme for Sheep & Goat
   Mob No: 7702775070
3. Dr. V. Gopi Chand, Assistant Director (AH) : Call Centre
   Mob No: 99899932423

The above mentioned officers in the Directorate shall coordinate the activity with the District Nodal officers and Joint Director (AH) I/c of District Administration in the state shall comply the spirit of the scheme for payment of compensation to the farmers within 2 days.
Therefore, the Joint Director (AH) I/c of District Administration in the state are directed to implement the scheme adopting these guidelines prescribed which supersedes the guidelines already issued vide references 2nd cited above. The Joint Directors are also requested to circulate these guidelines to all the Divisional Deputy Directors (AH), Assistant Directors (AH), I/c of Veterinary Hospitals and all the Veterinary Assistant Surgeons, I/c of Veterinary Dispensaries in their districts.

The Joint Directors are also requested to designate one Nodal Officer specifically to monitor this prestigious programme and communicate the details of Nodal Officers to the Directorate immediately.

Encl.: Copy of G.O. Ms. No. 22, AH, DD & F Dept.

Sd/- Dr. G. Somasekharan
DIRECTOR

To,
All Joint Directors (AH), I/c of District Administration in the State.
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Copy to Assistant Directors (AH), I/c of Veterinary Hospitals in the State.
Copy to All the Veterinary Assistant Surgeons, I/c of Veterinary Dispensaries through Assistant Directors (AH), Veterinary Hospitals in the State
Copy to Assistant Directors (AH) Control Room in the Directorate.
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