

**Minutes of the Joint Review Meeting on Progress of FPOs formed in Uttar Pradesh held at Kisan Mandi Bhawan, Gomati Nagar Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh on 22nd June 2018.**

A meeting was convened on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018 to jointly review, the progress of FPOs formed in Uttar Pradesh, with the State Government and concerned Resource Institution (RIs). The meeting was Chaired by Shri Sumanta Chaudhuri, IAS, MD SFAC.

List of participants enclosed at Annexure-I.

The points which were discussed as per agenda of the review meeting:

- MD, SFAC explained the importance of FPOs and Government's (PMO) increasing emphasis on strengthening FPOs. He expressed his unhappiness on the mobilisation & collection of equity of the FPOs & directed all the Resource Institution to expedite the mobilisation & collection of farmer share and enhance the share capital to Rs. 10.00 lakh for equity Grant.
- MD also emphasized the need to strengthen the FPOs by availing the benefits of SFAC's schemes such as Equity Grant, Credit Guarantee and VCA schemes.
- MD instructed all the RIs to work for sustainability of FPOs by dovetailing Central/ State Government Schemes and by establishing necessary market linkages.
- MD drew the plight of FPOs in getting requisite licences for trading, insecticide, fertilizer and seed. MD requested the State Government to expedite the process for issuing the requisite licenses to FPOs.
- Additional Director informed the RIs that necessary instruction will be issued to all the Mandi's for expediting the Mandi licenses. Besides, he asked the RIs to contact the Division level officers for the same.

As instructed by MD, the RIs have given following timeline for accomplishing the following activities:

<b>Particulars</b>	<b>Name of RIs</b>	<b>Timeline- Instruction</b>
<b><u>Mobilization of Farmer</u></b>	M-CRIL/ EDA Rural System Ltd.	M-CRIL will mobilize targeted 4,000 farmers under NDP-NFSM Project (2017-18) within Eight month according to allocated work date.
	Actech Information System Ltd	ACTECH will mobilize targeted 10,000 farmers under NDP-NFSM Project (2017-18) within Eight month according to allocated work date.

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	Indradhansuh Agro Producer Company Ltd. (IAPCL)	IAPCL will register one FPO by September 2018 and also increase the share mobilisation.
<b><u>Mobilization of Share money and Availing Equity Grant</u></b>	Actech Information System Ltd.	Actech was asked to submit Equity Grant application for the first trench, for both the FPOs registered under MIDH programme, by July 2018.  Actech will mobilize share money of Rs. 10.00 lakh by December 2018 under MIDH scheme (2015-16).
	Basix Krishi Samrudhi Ltd.	BKSL to apply for first trench of five FPOs registered under NDP-NFSM programme (2014-17) by July, 2018.  BKSL will mobilize share money of Rs. 10.00 lakh by September 2018 under NDP-NFSM scheme (2014-17).
<b><u>Aggregation &amp; Market linkage</u></b>	M-Cril/ EDA Rural System Ltd.	EDA will immediately tie up for the market linkage with buyer such as Bigbazar, Spencer and etc. by September 2018.
	Actech Information System Ltd.	ACTECH has created Marketing linkage with Reliance Fresh of Muzffarnagar Kisan Farmer Producer Company Ltd (FPC). FPC is buying raw mango from farmers and ripening it without using Calcium Carbide. Company is doing sorting and grading of mangoes wherein large sizes are sold to reliance and small sizes are processed to produce Amchoor which is also a profitable business.  Establishing the market linkage by September 2018 for the other FPOs.
	Basix Krishi Samrudhi Ltd.	Establishing the market linkage by September 2018.

## **REVIEW MEETING ON FPO PROMOTION IN THE STATE OF UTTAR PRADESH**

Date & Time of Review Meeting: - 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2018 at 10:00 Hours

Venue: Kisan Bhawan, Gomati Nagar, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

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