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Government of India
Ministry of Agriculture
Department of Agriculture & Cooperation


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Sub: Enhancement of upper ceiling of Distribution Subsidy on certified Seed under Government of India programs viz. ISOPOM, NFSM and MMA due to drought.

The undersigned is directed to inform that for effective management of Drought and related issues the enhancement of upper ceiling of distribution subsidy on certified seed (for Rabi 2009-10 and summer 2010) under the Government of India programs has been approved by Government as under:

	Crops	Programme	Subsidy admissible
1.	Oilseeds, Pulses, Maize	ISOPOM/ NFSM/ MMA	50% of the cost or Rs. 2000 per quintal whichever is less
2.	Wheat, Paddy	NFSM/ MMA	50% of the cost or Rs. 700 per quintal whichever is less
3.	Coarse cereals (excluding maize)	MMA	50% of the cost or Rs. 1000 per quintal whichever is less

The expenditure will be met from within the budget of the Department of Agriculture & Cooperation.


(S. Selva Raj)
Dy. Commissioner (Seeds)

Distribution:

1. Agriculture Production Commissioner/Secretary (Agriculture) of all States.
2. Commissioner/Director of Agriculture of all States.
3. AS&FA, DAC, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. JS (Crops)/JS (RKVY)/JS (MMA)/JS (TMOP), DAC, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. CMD, NSC/SC/NAFED/ New Delhi.