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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE DEPARTMENT

IMPLEMENTATION OF PRICE SUPPORT SCHEME (PSS) FOR PROCUREMENT OF GREENGRAM IN
THE STATE OF TAMIL NADU.

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<p>Crop calendar and Harvesting period of Greengram in the State of Tamil Nadu</p>	<p>A remunerative and stable price environment for Greengram growers/farmers is very important for increasing agricultural production and productivity. The market price for agricultural produce many times tends to be unstable and volatile which may result in undue losses to the growers and discourage adoption of the modern technology and required inputs.</p> <p>The Government's price policy for agricultural commodities seeks to ensure remunerative prices to the growers for their produce with a view to encourage higher investment and production and to safeguard the interest of consumers by making available supplies at reasonable prices with low cost of intermediation. The price policy also seeks to evolve a balanced and integrated price structure in the perspective of the overall needs of the economy.</p> <p>Towards this end, the Government announce Minimum Support Prices (MSP) for major agricultural commodities each year in both the Crop seasons after taking into account the recommendations of the Commission for Agricultural Costs and Prices (CACP).</p>
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	<p>In the scheme for the procurement of Green gram in the year of 2021-2022 Rabi season as per the guidelines for Price Support Scheme (PSS) (Oil Seeds, Pulses and Cotton) May 2014 issued by the Government of India, (Department of Agriculture and Co-operation), the notification regarding Crop calendar and harvesting period of Greengram in the State of Tamil Nadu is to be required as part of proposal.</p> <p>Therefore, the Government of Tamil Nadu is willing to implement the Price Support Scheme (PSS) and its operation in Tamil Nadu and accordingly declare the following details:-</p>
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**NOTIFICATION FOR GREENGRAM IN
TAMIL NADU-RABI 2021-2022**

1.	Crop	:	Greengram
2.	Commodity to be notified	:	Greengram
3.	Crop calendar year	:	Throughout the year
4.	Sowing Period	:	October-February
5.	Harvesting period for Rabi	:	January –May
6.	Commencement of arrival for Rabi	:	January
7.	Peak arrival period for Rabi	:	February to May
8.	Expected Quantity of Procurement	:	9,000 MT
9.	Proposed duration of the scheme	:	<p>15.02.2022 to 15.05.2022– Thiruvallur, Salem, Namakkal, Villupuram, Tiruppur, Ranipettai, Virudhunagar, Thoothukudi, Tenkasi and Dindigul districts.</p> <p>01.04.2022 to 29.06.2022 – Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai and Cuddalore districts (Delta districts).</p>
10.	Details of Greengram Production for Rabi season in Tamil Nadu		
	(a) Area	:	1.374 LHa (as per 2020-2021 Final Estimate)
	(b) Expected production	:	0.387 LMT
	(c) Average yield	:	281 Kg / ha
	(d) Ruling market price	:	Rs.68 to Rs.72 per Kg of Greengram
	(e) Major Rabi Greengram growing districts	:	Thiruvallur, Salem, Namakkal, Villupuram, Tiruppur, Ranipettai, Virudhunagar, Thoothukudi, Tenkasi, Dindigul, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai and Cuddalore districts.

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