

Minutes of the 13th General Body meeting on Society for Horticulture Nurseries (SHN) held on Dt:19.12.2025, at 05:00 P.M in the Chambers of APC & Secretary to Government, A&C Dept. 3rd Floor, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

Members present:

1	Sri. K. Surendra Mohan, I.A.S APC & Prl. Secy. to Govt. Agri & Coop, Govt. of Telangana, Secretariat, Hyderabad.	Chairman
2	Sri. Dr. B. Gopi I.A.S Director of Agriculture Govt. of Telangana, Hyderabad	Member
3	Smt. S. Yasmeen Basha, I.A.S Director of Horticulture & Sericulture Govt. of Telangana, Hyderabad	Member Secretary
4	Smt. Jyothi Palreddy Representative for Secretary to Finance Department	Member
5	Smt. G. Lakshmi Bai Director of Marketing, Director of Agril. Marketing (FAC)	Member
6	Dr. D. Laxminarayana, Director of Research, SKLTGHU, Mulugu	Member
7	Arlene Christina G.D Representative for Secretary to Industries Department Hyderabad.	Member
8	Sri. Pocham JD, Representative for Tribal Welfare Dept.,	Member
9	Dr. A. Gopala Krishna Reddy, Senior Scientist (Horticulture), CRIDA Representative for Director, CRIDA	Member

- ❖ At the outset, the Director of Horticulture has welcomed all the members of General Body of SHN.
- ❖ The Director of Horticulture has briefed about the Horticulture Farms & Centers of the Excellence existing in Telangana and their main moto and the performance.

Further, explained about each agenda item during the meeting and requested for perusal / approval / ratification / action taken / noting / other items of the General body of SHN. The details are as follows:

A. The General Body of SHN has approved the following action taken report:

- 1) Progress of Annual Action Plan (AAP) 2024-25 - Production of plant material in Horticulture Farms (HFs) and Centers of Excellence (CoEs).
- 2) Fixation / Revision of Unit Cost of Production (UCP) & Sale Price for Fruit, Agro Forestry and Ornamental Planting material during the year 2024-25 for taking up of production in HFs and CoEs.
- 3) Establishment of Centre of Excellence for Mango and Other commercial varieties in land existing in survey no. 158, 159, 160, 161, 162 & 163 to an extent of Ac. 50.04 gts in Thimmareddypalli (V), Kondapaka (M), Siddipet (Dist.), for development of Horticulture plantation.
- 4) Fixation of Unit Cost Production (UCP) & Sale Price for production of vegetable seedlings at CoEs, Jeedimetla and Mulugu for supply to farmers under Area Expansion of Vegetables (Hybrid) component of MIDH 2024-25 on No profit basis.
- 5) Production of Brinjal Vegetable grafts @ **Rs.10/- per** each vegetable graft (UCP) on pilot basis at CoE, Jeedimetla and supplying to farmers under Emerging approach in vegetable production – Vegetable grafts – FLD for Production & supply of Vegetable grafts under Technology Dissemination scheme through Front Line Demonstration (FLD) @ **2,000 Nos** of grafts per acre under MIDH AAP 2024-25.
- 6) Renovation of Centre of Excellence, Jeedimetla for amount of **Rs.1.80 Crores** under MIDH AAP 2025-26.
- 7) Construction of **5 Nos.** of Portable Cabins (10'x30' size (4 Nos.) and 10'X20' size (1 No.) for an amount of **Rs.20.00 Lakhs** by M/s. MR Portable Cabins Industry, Hyderabad at Centre of Excellence, Mulugu, Siddipet (Dist.)

B. General Body of SHN has approved the following Agenda items for the year 2025-26:

- 1) Proposal of Annual Action Plan (AAP) 2025-26 towards Production of plant material in HF's & CoEs, Jeedimetla & Mulugu.
- 2) Proposal for plantation of Oil Palm in 25 acres in Thimmareddypalli (V), Kondapaka (M), Siddipet (District).
- 3) Continuation of the outsourcing services of (1) Account Officer (AO), (1) Computer Operator/ DPO & (1) Senior Assistant / DPO working in Farms & CoEs sections from SHN interest funds and (1) Data Entry Operator (DEO) working in CoE, Jeedimetla and (1) Technical Assistant and (1) Accountant working in CoE, Mulugu from Sale Proceeds of CoE Jeedimetla & Mulugu available in Secretary, SHN Account

C. General Body of SHN has approved the following Noting items proposed under various schemes like NBM, NBHM, MIDH Etc.

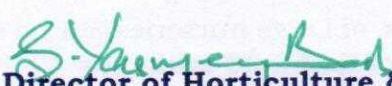
- 1) Establishment of Integrated Beekeeping Development Centre (IBDC) under National Beekeeping and Honey Mission (NBHM) at Coconut Seed Garden (CSG), Aswaraopeta, Bhadradi Kothagudem District for an amount of **Rs.1050.00 Lakhs**
- 2) Establishment of **(5) Nos** of Custom Hiring Centers for Beekeeping under National Beekeeping and Honey Mission (NBHM) (i.e., in 4 Nos. of HF's, CSG, Aswaraopeta, Achyuthapuram, Vikarabad, Kannala and 1 No. of CoE, Mulugu.
- 3) Components proposed under MIDH, AAP 2025-26 with a total financial outlay of **Rs.966.50 lakhs**
 - i) Establishment of (2) Nos. of Large nurseries @ 1 ha each with a total financial outlay of **Rs.60.00 lakhs** (Rs.30.00 lakhs / ha.)
 - ii) Establishment of Hi-tech Plug Type Nursery under Controlled Conditions with automated Tray seeder unit in 2000 Sq. Mtrs at CoE, Jeedimetla for an amount of **Rs.24.00 lakhs**.
 - iii) Import of new machines & tools for Horticulture for demonstration purpose at CoEs for an amount of **Rs.177.50 lakhs**.
 - iv) Establishment of New Center of Excellence for Mango at HF, Garimellapadu in Bhadradi Kothagudem District for an amount of **Rs.498.83 Lakhs**.
 - v) Upgradation / Maintenance of Center of Excellence, Jeedimetla for an amount of **Rs.180.00 Lakhs**.

- 4) Establishment of **(1) Hi-Tech nursery** at CoE, Mulugu in 2 ha, **(1) Big Nursery** at HF, Garimellapadu in 1 ha & **(1) Small Nursery** at CSG, Aswaraopeta in 0.5 ha for production of Bamboo seedlings under Nation Bamboo Mission (NBM) for the year 2025-26
- 5) Establishment of **21 Nos** of Small Nurseries in 13 Nos of Horticulture Farms (HFs) & Centre of Excellence (CoE), Jeedimetla @ 0.50 ha and **1 No.** of Hi-tech nursery in 2 ha at Centre of Excellence, Mulugu for production of Agro Forestry species under Agro Forestry scheme 2025-26

D. General Body of SHN has ratified the following action taken report during the year 2024-25.

- 1) Plantation of Avocado scion block in 1 acre at Centre of Excellence (CoE), Mulugu.
- 2) Revision / Fixation of Unit Cost Production (UCP) & Sale Price for Vegetable and Marigold seedlings during the year 2025-26 for taking up production at CoEs, Jeedimetla and Mulugu.

Further, the General Body of SHN has informed that, the amounts released from SHN funds to meet the expenditure for other works in the Department as advance and on reimbursement excluding for the production activities is to be placed in next General Body meeting of SHN.


**Director of Horticulture &
Member Secretary, General Body,
SHN Telangana.**


**APC & Secretary,
Agri & Coop. Department
Chairman, General Body, SHN
Telangana.**