

SPEED POST  
RTI MATTER

F. No. 29-69/2019-Estt./RTI  
Government of India  
Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare  
Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare  
Directorate of Extension

Krishi Vistar Bhavan  
IASRI Campus, Pusa  
New Delhi -110 012

Dated the 04 March, 2020

To,

Shri Barun Kumar,  
Main Road Baheri,  
Baheri – 847105,  
Bihar

Subject:-Supply of information under the Right to Information Act, 2005 - Application from Shri Barun Kumar, Bihar seeking information on "New Scheme in" reg. under RTI Act, 2005. (Reg. No. DOA&C/R/E/20/00257/5).

Sir,

I am to refer to your RTI Request Registration No. DOA&C/R/E/20/00257/5 dated 4<sup>th</sup> February, 2020, seeking information on the subject cited above under the RTI Act, 2005. So far as the Directorate of Extension is concerned, the requisite information is as under :-

S.No.	Information sought under RTI 2005	Reply
1	Kindly provide scheme details which will help to improve farmer condition in Bihar.	A Centrally Sponsored Scheme 'Support to State Extension Programs for Extension Reforms' popularly known as ATMA Scheme is under implementation since 2005. Presently Scheme is being implemented in 69 districts of 28 states & 5 UTs in the country including 38 districts of Bihar. The scheme promotes decentralized farmer-friendly extension system in the country. Under the scheme Grants-in-aid is released to the State Government {In the ratio of 60:40 (Centre:State) to General States, 90:10 for North-Eastern & 3 Himalayan States and 100% for
2	What action have been started at your level to make your scheme successful at ground level in Bihar.	

		<p>UTs} with an objective to support State Government's efforts to revitalize the extension system and making available the latest agricultural technologies and good agricultural practices in different thematic areas of agriculture and allied areas to farmers.</p> <p>Further, details of the schemes being implemented for benefit/ welfare of farmers are also available at official website <a href="http://www.krishvistar.gov.in">www.krishvistar.gov.in</a>.</p>
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2. It is to mention that the First Appeal, if any, against the reply of CPIO may be made to the First Appellate Authority within 30 days of receipt of this reply. The particulars of the First Appellate Authority are as follows:-

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Yours faithfully,



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2. Section Officer (RTI), Deptt. of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.
3. Dr. Jagdish Prasad Yadav, Joint Director/ IT Incharge DAC&FW & Section Officer (IT) Krishi Bhavan, DAC&FW New Delhi with request to upload RTI reply on DAC&FW website [www.agricoop.nic.in](http://www.agricoop.nic.in) & DOE website [www.krishivistar.gov.in](http://www.krishivistar.gov.in). Soft copy is being sent on e-mail.