

**GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL**  
**PANCHAYATS & RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT**  
9<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING  
BLOCK HC, PLOT 7, SECTOR – III,  
SALT LAKE CITY, KOLKATA – 700 106

Memo No. 1305 -RD/O/NREGA/18S-03/09

Dated: 17.03.17

From: Dibyendu Sarkar, IAS  
Commissioner, MGNREGA

To : The Administrative Secretary, CADC

Sub : Disposal of the saplings in CADC nurseries made under MGNREGA

Sir,

After careful consideration Department has decided to allow CADC to sell portion of the saplings raised under CADC-MGNREGA financial convergence in the following manner in case of supply to government schemes.

- 1) Equivalent amount which was invested out of MGNREGA in the scheme converted into cost of saplings to be utilised in MGNREGA scheme free of cost from these nurseries.
- 2) Rest of the saplings after earmarking for MGNREGA as stated in subpara-1 will be sold out for government schemes at the rate
- 3) (a) Rs.0.20 each slip for vetiver  
(b) Rs.2 for saplings of forest species less than 1 year  
(c) Rs.4 for the forest species saplings for more than 1 year  
(d) for the fruit bearing varieties will be as prescribed by Forest/Horticulture Department/CDB.

It is to be noted that when the entire cost of the scheme is borne out of MGNREGA, the product is supposed to be utilised in MGNREGA scheme in totality. Other than MGNREGA and other schematic use as prescribed, CADC may dispose off rest of the saplings as per its norm.

As in the Memo. No.9317(19)-RD/P/NREGA/18S-09/06 dated 28.12.07 the rate for SHGs engaged in NREGA nurseries to sell sapling @Rs.2 per was generalised but it did not specify separate rate for Fruit bearing species and vetiver, the rate as stated above (subpara-3) will be applicable, supplementing rate mentioned in the said GO as well.

This order will take immediate effect.

With regards,  
(Dibyendu Sarkar, IAS)  
Commissioner, MGNREGA  
17/3/17

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Copy forwarded with request to circulate it to all MGNREGA PIAs to

- 1) The Principal Secretary, GTA
- 2) The District Magistrate, All
- 3) The AEO, Siliguri Mahakuma Parishad

  
Sudipta Porel, WBCS(Exe)

Deputy Secretary to Government of West Bengal