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Office Memorandum

Subject: Installation of standalone solar pumps under Component-B of PM-KUSUM Scheme against quantities sanctioned for FY 2020-21

Component-B of the PM-KUSUM Scheme provide for installation of standalone solar pumps. As per scheme Guidelines vendors were empaneled through centralized tender for quantities sanctioned during FY 2019-20. On account of challenges faced due to COVID-19, Ministry has granted extension to complete the installation work under this tender till 30.09.2021.

2. Further sanctions were issued by the Ministry under Component-B against the demand received from states and sanction targets available under the scheme for FY 2020-21. The second centralized tender issued for quantities sanctioned in FY 2020-21 is likely to take some time for finalization and empanelment of vendors. In order to continue with the seamless implementation of the Scheme, it has been decided to allow State Implementation Agencies to issue work orders to the vendors selected under first centralized tender conducted in FY 2019-20 for the quantities sanctioned for FY 2020-21 till the finalization of empanelment of vendors under second centralised tender provided these vendors are willing to work at same rates as were discovered in the first tender.

3. As this is a *stop gap arrangement*, the total quantity of standalone solar pumps for which the work orders can be issued to such vendors shall be within the limit of 25% of quantity sanctioned during FY 2020-21 or up to 1000 pumps, whichever is higher.

4. This has approval of the Competent Authority.



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All concerned State Implementation Agencies