



Training cum demonstration proposal under TSP -2025-26

Sub.: Request for approval and sanction of **Rs 2,38,400/-** (Two lakh thirty-eight thousand four hundred only) to conduct a training cum demonstration programme on "Modern methods of freshwater aquaculture" for the rural farmers of **Purulia, West Bengal** during August, 2025 under TSP - Reg.

Background information:

Farmers of Purulia are practicing aquaculture activities through the conventional way. Being a tribal belt, resources are scanty available and often beyond the reach of the tribal farmers. But the areas got great potential for the development of fishery and aquaculture activities if critical inputs and scientific methods are provided to the farmers.

Therefore, it is proposed to conduct a three days training cum demonstration and input distribution programme on "Modern methods of freshwater aquaculture" for 20 tribal farmers of Purulia, West Bengal during August, 2025.

Objectives of the proposed activities:

- Capacity building of fish farmers on scientific fish farming and culture techniques in integration with other enterprises and to facilitate the farmers for undertaking fish culture by distributing critical inputs.

Output/outcome of proposed activities:

- Empowerment of rural folk to undertake scientific fish culture in integration with other enterprise
- Improvement of income as well as livelihood

Details of expenditure for 20 farmers

Sl. No.	Head of Expenditure	Rate	Remarks
1.	Training kit (folder) @ Rs 100/farmer x 20 farmer	2000.00	GeM items
2.	Training kit (pen) @ Rs 20/farmer x 20 farmer	400.00	
3.	Writing pad @ Rs. 60 x 20 farmers	1200.00	
4.	TA charges Rs. 750/- x 20 farmers	15000.00	No items/quantity available on GeM portal with the required specifications
5.	Food and Refreshments Rs. 225/- x 20 nos. x 3 day	13500.00	
6.	Training manual Rs. 365/- x 20 farmers	7300.00	
7.	Miscellaneous expenses (Hall arrangement/rent, banner, field visit, inaugural & valedictory programme, training certificates etc.)	15000.00	
8.	Transportation charges for sending training kit, training manual etc.	4000.00	Item not available on GeM portal
9.	Fish seed @ Rs. 6/- (carps, size 10-25 g, 1500 pcs. per farmer)	180000.00	
Total		2,38,400.00	

It is requested to approve & sanction of **Rs 2,38,400/-** (Two lakh thirty-eight thousand four hundred only) for successful organization of the farmers participatory research programme.

The advance amount of **Rs. 54,800/-** (Fifty-four thousand eight hundred only) (non-GeM items) may be given to Dr. Suman Manna, Scientist to conduct the programme.

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