No. R-11016/2/2020-I&P Government of India Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare Department of Agriculture, Cooperation & Farmers Welfare

Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi Dated 25th September,2020

To,

Chief Secretaries of all States/UTs

Subject:- Convergence of Agriculture Infrastructure Fund with PM KUSUM regarding.

Sir.

I am directed to refer to subject cited above and to say that Central Sector Scheme of Financing Facility under Agriculture Infrastructure Fund Scheme can be converged / dovetailed with PM-KUSUM Scheme for setting-up of standalone solar pumping system under Component-B and solarisation of grid connected agriculture pump under Component-C of the Scheme. The loan component can be converged where such facility is created by group of farmers organized as self help group / joint liability group/water user association (if same is registered as SHG or JLG)/cooperatives and similar other forms being eligible for availing facility of Agriculture Infrastructure community farming Fund as it creates

Yours faithfully,

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