

**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA****Abstract**

Industries Department- Amendment of Clauses of Entrepreneur Support Scheme in accordance with Covid-19 Samashwasa Padhati-Orders issued.

INDUSTRIES(B)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.118/2021/ID Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 20/12/2021

Read 1 GO(Ms)No.156/20212/ID dated 28.12.2021

2 GO(Rt)No. 666/2021/ID dated 30.06.2021

3 Letter No. DIC/12565/2018-FC2 dated 08.07.2021 from the Director of Industries and Commerce

ORDER

As per the Government order read above, the guidelines of the Entrepreneur Support Scheme was approved to provide extensive support to Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises(MSMEs). Vide the order read as second paper above, a special relief package to assist industrial units in the wake of second wave of Covid pandemic ,namely Covid-19 Samashawasa Padhati was sanctioned.

The Director of Industries and Commerce , as per letter read above, submitted a proposal to amend relevant clauses of Part 3 of the Entrepreneur Support Scheme in tune with the Covid -19 Samashwasa Padhati.

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to amend the relevant clauses of Part 3 of the Government order read first above as detailed in the Annexure to this order.

The amendments shall be effected for units whose date of commencement of production is on or after 01.04.2021 or date of re-

starting production after completing expansion
/diversification/modernization is on or after 01.04.2021.

The Director of Industries and Commerce will ensure that in due course as and when the sector come out of the Covid impact the pattern of assistance is reviewed considering the viability of business models of projects in various sub sectors and deciding on the viability gap funding as grant from government apart from equity and loan in the project finance

The GO read as first paper above stands modified to this extent.

(By order of the Governor)
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Additional Secretary

To:

The Director of Industries and Commerce, Thiruvananthapuram
The Principal Accountant General (Audit/ A&E), Thiruvananthapuram
All General Managers, District Industries Centres (through DIC)
Finance Department(Vide No.1857753/I&PW A3/2021-Fin)
Planning & Economic Affairs Department(Vide File No.
PLGEA- A2/169/2021)
Information & Public Relations (Web & New Media) Department
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Section Officer

ANNEXURE

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	Existing	Amendment
	<p>3. Entitlement in the scheme shall be limited to an amount of Rs.30.00 (Thirty) lakhs per applicant unit to be availed only once. The upper limit of Rs.30.00 (Thirty) lakhs shall be enhanced by 5% per annum during the period of operation of the scheme to address the escalation of costs. Subject to this maximum limit the assistance shall be limited to the fixed percentage of the composite investment upon</p> <p>a) land,</p> <p>b) land development costs.</p> <p>c) building and improvement charges on existing building.</p> <p>d) essential office infrastructure,</p> <p>e) fixed cost of plant and machinery,</p> <p>e) electrification,</p>	<p>3. Entitlement in the scheme shall be limited to an amount of Rs.40.00 (Forty) lakhs per applicant unit to be availed only once. The upper limit of Rs.40.00 (Forty) lakhs shall be enhanced by 5% per annum during the period of operation of the scheme to address the escalation of costs. Subject to this maximum limit the assistance shall be limited to the fixed percentage of the composite investment upon</p> <p>a) land,</p> <p>b) land development costs.</p> <p>c) building and improvement charges on existing building.</p> <p>d) essential office infrastructure,</p> <p>e) fixed cost of plant and machinery,</p> <p>e) electrification,</p>
Part 3	<p>f) generators and associated equipment. Eg: Invertors.</p>	<p>f) generators and associated equipment. Eg: Invertors.</p>
Entitlement of successful applicant	<p>All testing and pollution control equipments shall also be eligible for computing the composite investment cost. Working capital and recurring costs shall not be eligible.</p>	<p>All testing and pollution control equipments shall also be eligible for computing the composite investment cost. Working capital and recurring costs shall not be eligible</p>

<p>4. Out of all eligible applicants, 30% of the earmarked assistance shall be reserved for micro enterprises. Only in case of insufficiency of qualified applicants in the micro category, small and medium enterprises shall be considered. The following categories of applicants shall be reserved for micro enterprises. Only in case of insufficiency of qualified applicants in the micro category, small and medium enterprises shall be considered. The following categories of applicants shall be preferred in the manner mentioned in the following paragraphs.</p>	<p>4. Out of all eligible applicants, 30% of the earmarked assistance shall be reserved for micro enterprises. Only in case of insufficiency of qualified applicants in the micro category, small and medium enterprises shall be considered. The following categories of applicants shall be reserved for micro enterprises. Only in case of insufficiency of qualified applicants in the micro category, small and medium enterprises shall be considered. The following categories of applicants shall be preferred in the manner mentioned in the following paragraphs.</p>
<p>5. An assistance of 15% limited to Rs.20.00 (Twenty) lakhs will be payable on the fixed capital investment of all micro, small and medium enterprises set up in the State except those mentioned in paras 10 and 11.</p>	<p>5. An assistance of 15% limited to Rs. 3 0.00 (T hirt y) lakhs will be payable on the fixed capital investment of all micro, small and medium enterprises set up in the State except those mentioned in paras 10 and 11.</p>
<p>6. All micro, small and medium enterprises established by entrepreneurs belonging to Women, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, Young entrepreneurs and Non-Resident Keralites (NRKs) shall be eligible for an assistance of 25% of the fixed capital investment limited to Rs. 30 (Thirty) lakhs.</p>	<p>6. All micro, small and medium enterprises established by entrepreneurs belonging to Women, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, Young entrepreneurs and Non-Resident Keralites (NRKs) shall be eligible for an assistance of 25% of the fixed capital investment limited to Rs. 40 (Forty) lakhs.</p>

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