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ICDP Custom Hiring Centre and Farm Mechanisation Support for Coffee Growers

The Coffee Board gives subsidy on new farm machinery to coffee growers and to FPOs that set up custom hiring centres, so that coffee work gets done faster and with less labour.

What you may get

Subsidy on new farm machinery from the Board's approved list: weed or brush cutters, telescopic pruners, pit diggers, hand-held battery coffee harvesters, sprayers, green cherry separators, mini tractors, mini transporters and coffee hullers. Rates differ by holding size, SC and ST growers get a higher rate, and FPOs and grower groups can get support to run a custom hiring centre that lends machines on rent. The subsidy is paid to the bank account through PFMS after inspection.

Who it is for

Coffee growers with a coffee holding, whether individuals, joint owners, family members or FPOs and FPCs, including growers in non-traditional and north-eastern areas.

Main conditions

- The machine and model must be on the Coffee Board's approved list, and purchases made before the Technical Feasibility Report is issued get no subsidy.
- Only new machinery qualifies. Repaired or second-hand machines are not supported, and the machine must be used on the grower's own farm and not sold or leased out.
- The number of machines supported depends on the area of the holding, and growers who took subsidy for small machines in the past five years can claim only the balance.
- The Board's circular of 4 February 2025 lifted the earlier one grower one activity limit. Applications go first come first served, and if demand exceeds funds in a region the officer limits support to one incentive per eligible applicant.
- The invoice must show the date, the buyer's name, the model, the serial number and the price with tax shown separately.

Documents

- Aadhaar copy as photo identity
- For FPOs, registration or incorporation certificate, memorandum and list of members
- Caste certificate for SC and ST growers
- Land ownership documents such as patta or khata with RTC, chitta and adangal, or possession certificate
- Original proforma invoice or bill with GST and full machine details
- RC book copy for mini tractors
- Copy of bank pass book with account number and IFSC code

How to apply

1. Register online on the Coffee Board website and wait for the officer to approve your registration.
2. Apply online with your identity, land and bank documents. After the field office checks the records, buy the machine from an approved supplier or dealer, only after the feasibility report is issued.
3. The field office inspects the machine, prepares a verification report with its make, model and serial number, and sends your claim to the Deputy Director (Extension).
4. After the claim is cleared, the subsidy is paid to your bank account through PFMS.

Status

Active

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