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Read:- Para 3.2.1 and Para 3.3.1 of the Operational Guidelines 2025 of the "Mission for Aatmanirbharta in Pulses" for constitution of Committee.

ORDER

The Advisor to Administrator, Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu is pleased to constitute a UT level Steering Committee on Pulses (UT/SSCP) and District Steering Committees on Pulses (DSCP) under the "Mission for Aatmanirbharta in Pulses" in the UT of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu for smooth implementation of the scheme comprising of the following members:

A. UT level STEERING COMMITTEE ON PULSES (UT/SSCP)

Sl. No.	Member	Designation
1.	Advisor to Hon'ble Administrator, UT of DNH & DD	Chairperson
2.	Secretary (Agriculture), DNH & DD	Member
3.	Secretary (Rural Development/PRI), DNH & DD	Member
4.	Vice Chancellor, Navsari Agricultural University or Representative	Member
5.	UT In-charge, NABARD	Member
6.	Lead Bank Manager, Dadra Nagar Haveli/Daman/Diu	Member
7.	Representative(s) from DA&FW, Government of India	Member
8.	Representative of Pulses FPOs/Cooperatives	Member
9.	2 Industry representatives dealing with pulses, seed production etc., as nominated by Chairman	Member
10.	Director of Agriculture / State Mission Director (Pulses Mission), DNH & DD	Member Secretary

Terms of Reference (Duties of UT/SSCP):

- Overall monitoring of the mission implementation in the UT within the overall policy guidelines prescribed for the Mission to achieve the mission objectives.
- Reviewing the status of districts/clusters identified for the Mission and considering any necessary changes/modifications for submission to the NSCP for review and approval.
- Finalizing the UT Pulses Action Plan for pulses cultivation and production based on APY (Area, Production, Yield) targets assigned to the UT, and its monitoring.
- Finalizing prospective and Annual UT Action Plan in consonance with the Mission's goals and objectives before submission to the DA&FW.
- Monitoring the Mission's progress at the UT level by tracking key performance indicators, with regular reports submitted to the DA&FW.
- Overseeing UT-level financial resource allocation to develop essential infrastructure and post-harvest processing facilities, etc.
- Monitoring the functioning and progress of District Missions and issuing instructions/prescribing SOPs for increasing their efficiency.
- Ensuring convergence with other Central and State/UT schemes by coordinating with relevant departments (Agriculture, Irrigation, Finance, Rural Development, etc.) to streamline mission implementation.
- Any other matter relevant for efficient implementation of the Mission in the UT.

The SSCP shall meet at least twice a year. The Chairman, SSCP may nominate additional officials/persons of importance as felt necessary.

B. DISTRICT STEERING COMMITTEES ON PULSES (DSCP)

Three District Steering Committees on Pulses are hereby constituted, one each for the districts of Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman and Diu, under the chairmanship of the respective District Collector, with the following composition in each district:

District Steering Committee on Pulses (DSCP) – for each of the three districts, namely Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman and Diu

Sl. No.	Member	Designation
1.	District Collector (of the respective district)	Chairperson
2.	Chief Executive Officer (DP), Dadra Nagar Haveli/Daman/Diu	Member
3.	Representatives from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), Farmers Producer Organizations (FPOs), Primary Agricultural Credit Societies (PACS), as nominated by Chairman.	Member
4.	Representative from Lead Bank, Dadra Nagar Haveli/Daman/Diu	Member
5.	Representative from NABARD, Valsad	Member
6.	DPO/BDO of the respective district	Member
7.	EO/AAO/AS, Dadra Nagar Haveli/Daman/Diu	Member
8.	DDA/SDSCO/ZAO/HO (of the respective district)	Member Secretary

Terms of Reference (Duties of DSCP):

- Preparing district plan of pulses cultivation based on APY targets assigned to the district by the UT.
- Preparing Annual Plan of Pulses Mission for the district, following the physical and financial targets assigned to the district.
- Preparing 3-year rolling plan for submission to the State Mission Director.
- Ensuring distribution of seeds to eligible and identified farmers, including lifting of samples for testing.
- Ensuring training of farmers and organising farmer field schools.
- Coordinating and monitoring CFLDs being conducted in the district by KVKs.
- Ensuring convergence of relevant schemes with Pulses Mission activities to maximise support to pulses farmers in clusters.
- Monitoring and evaluating the Mission's progress, tracking key performance indicators such as pulses yield improvement, seed distribution and farmer participation, etc., with regular reports submitted to the SSCP.
- Coordinating training programmes to build farmer capacity in improved cultivation techniques, modern pulses varieties, and post-harvest management.
- Any other responsibility as assigned by the GoI/SSCP from time to time.

Each DSCP shall meet once in every two months. The Chairman, DSCP may nominate additional officials/persons of importance as felt necessary.

C. GENERAL

- The Member Secretary of the respective Committee shall be responsible for convening meetings, circulating agenda, maintaining minutes/records and following up on implementation of decisions taken.
- The Committees shall function in accordance with the duties, responsibilities and procedures prescribed under the Operational Guidelines 2025 of the Mission for Aatmanirbharta in Pulses, as amended from time to time.
- This Order issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

This is issued with the approval of the Advisor to Administrator, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu vide dairy No. 157205 dated 13/08/2026.


Director-cum-Joint Secretary (Agri)
Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu

Copy for information and necessary action to:

1. Advisor to Hon'ble Administrator, UT of DNH & DD
2. Secretary (Agriculture) / Secretary (Rural Development), UT of DNH & DD
3. District Collector, Dadra & Nagar Haveli/District Collector, Daman/District Collector, Diu
4. All Members of UT/SSCP and DSCPs, as above
5. Department of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare (DA&FW), Government of India
6. NIC, for uploading on the official website
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