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Subject: Constitution of Joint Field Assessment Committees of Agriculture, Horticulture and Command Area Development Departments for utilization of Him Sarovars in UT of Ladakh.

Reference:- Communication No. Secy. PHE,I&FC,/UTL/2026-27/95-99 dated 21.08.2026 from PHE/I&FC Department, UT of Ladakh.

Order No. 57-LA-Agri/Horti(UTL) of 2026

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The PHE/I&FC Department, UT of Ladakh, vide above -referenced communication, has intimated that 28 Him Sarovar (Water Reservoir Ponds) are being constructed across UT of Ladakh and the projects are at near completion stage. Further, ten (10) more Him Sarovars are being constructed by the Rural Development Department, UT of Ladakh. These reservoirs will provide an important opportunity to Agriculture, Horticulture and Command Area Development Departments to utilise the available water resources for development and expansion of agriculture and horticulture activities, particularly in the water scarce areas of Ladakh.

Accordingly, to ensure productive and planned utilization of these water resources for agriculture and horticulture purposes to increase the farm income and food security, sanction is hereby accorded to the constitution of Joint Field Assessment Committees of Agriculture, Horticulture and Command Area Development Departments, in each district, with the composition along with the list of Him Sarovar Projects as under:-

1. District LEH

Composition of the Committee:

S. No.	Designation
1.	Chief Horticulture Officer, Leh
2.	Deputy Director, Command Area Development, Leh
3.	District Agriculture Officer (Input), Leh

List of the projects in District Leh:

S. No.	Name of the Him Sarovar Project
1.	Construction of Reservoir Tank under Solarized water lifting at Spituk Farka (1 Tank)
2.	Construction of Reservoir Tank under Solarized water lifting at Spituk Farka (2 Tank)
3.	Construction of Reservoir Tank under Solarized water lifting at Spituk Farka (3 Tank)
4.	Construction of Reservoir Tank under Solarized water lifting at Spituk Farka (4 Tank)
5.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at Chuchot Tuchik Leh
6.	Construction of storage/percolation tank at Fharka Phey, Leh
7.	Construction of storage/ percolation tank at Ney, Nimoo
8.	Construction of storage/ percolation tank at Tsalay Kotsa, Anlay Nyoma.
9.	Construction of storage/ percolation tank at Lukung Mann Pangong-B.
10.	Construction of storage/ percolation tank at Shayok Durbuk.
11.	Construction of storage/ percolation tank at Shang Martselang Kharu.

2. District SHAM

Composition of the Committee:

S. No.	Designation
1.	Sub-Divisional Agriculture Officer, Leh
2.	Assistant Soil Conservation Officer, CAD, Leh
3.	Horticulture Development Officer, Khaltsi

List of the projects in District Sham:

S. No.	Name of the Him Sarovar Project
1.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at Kimbilayok Thang Alchi
2.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at Skurbuchan Gonpathang
3.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at Yulchung Singee Lalok

3. District NUBRA

Composition of the Committee:

S. No.	Designation
1.	District Horticulture Officer, Leh
2.	Sub-Divisional Agriculture Officer, Nubra
3.	Soil Conservation Assistant, Nubra

List of the projects in District Nubra:

S. No.	Name of the Him Sarovar Project
1.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at Tangyar Nubra
2.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at opposite Gunes thang Bogdang
3.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at Sumoor Nubra
4.	Construction of new pond (Storage / Recharge) at Ayee Nubra

4. District KARGIL

Composition of the Committee:

S. No.	Designation
1.	Deputy Director, Command Area Development, Kargil
2.	Sub-Divisional Agriculture Officer, Kargil
3.	Horticulture Development Officer, Kargil

List of the projects in District Kargil:

S. No.	Name of the Him Sarovar Project
1.	Construction of protection Tank at Barchey Baroo
2.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Village Yhorker Yourba Thangdumbur Sankoo Kargil
3.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Village Damboo Nagma Kouser Sankoo Kargil
4.	Construction of new earthen ponds near Chumfair Faroona Kargil.
5.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Mayata Broq
6.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Bajan Bartoo
7.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Kochik
8.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Shoray Garkone
9.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Barchey
10.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Khitak
11.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Malikbar Umba
12.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Hagnis.



5. District DRASS

Composition of the Committee:

S. No.	Designation
1.	Assistant Agrostologist, Kargil
2.	Assistant Soil Conservation Officer, CAD, Kargil
3.	Horticulture Tech. – III, Kargil

List of the projects in District Drass:

S. No.	Name of the Him Sarovar Project
1.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Village Taiser Jal Gindiyal
2.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Village Goshan (Tololing)
3.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Village Youlboo (Manmaan)

6. District ZANSKAR

Composition of Committee:

S. No.	Designation
1.	Sub-Divisional Agriculture Officer, Zanskar
2.	Soil Conservation Assistant, CAD, Kargil
3.	Marketing Inspector Horticulture, Kargil

List of the projects in District Zanskar:

S. No.	Name of the Him Sarovar Project
1.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Akshow Zanskar
2.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Abran Zanskar
3.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Kumic Zanskar
4.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Raru
5.	Construction of new earthen ponds at Himiling.

The Committees shall conduct field visits and undertake a detailed assessment of the area, including the cultivable potential of the land, soil and agro-climatic conditions and suitability of different crops.

The Committees shall submit a detailed ground report indicating the total area that can be brought under cultivation and the recommended crops/cropping pattern suitable for the command area.

The Committees shall submit their report to this Department through Joint Director Agriculture, UT of Ladakh within *fifteen (15) days*, positively.

By order of the Administration of UT of Ladakh.

Sd/-

(Shurbir Singh) IAS,
Commissioner/Secretary,
Agriculture/Horticulture Department.

Copy to the:-

1. Commissioner/Secretary, PHE/I&FC Department, UT of Ladakh.
2. Secretary to the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, UT of Ladakh.
3. All Deputy Commissioners, UT of Ladakh.
4. Chief Engineer, PHE/I&FC Department, UT of Ladakh.
5. Director, Horticulture Department, UT of Ladakh.
6. Joint Director, Agriculture Department, UT of Ladakh.



7. All Members of the above Committees for information and compliance.
8. OSD to the Chief Secretary, UT of Ladakh for information of the Chief Secretary.
9. I/c NIC, Ladakh for uploading on official website.
10. PA to the Commissioner/Secretary, Agriculture/Horticulture Department, UT of Ladakh for information of the Commissioner/Secretary.
11. Office record/e-file (Comp No. 16506).


(Dr. Mohammad Usman Khan) JKAS,
Additional Secretary,
Agriculture/Horticulture Department.
Dated: 28.08.2026