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Ministry of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. Of India
Plot No. 85, Sector-18, Institutional Area, Gurugram-122015

NHB/CC/6th PAC/2025-26

January 22, 2026

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Proceedings of the Meeting of the Project Approval Committee (PAC) held on 15.01.2026 at Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi – Reg.

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Proceedings of the Meeting of the Project Approval Committee (PAC) of NHB held on 15.01.2026 at Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi under the Chairmanship of Managing Director, NHB.

This issues with approval of the Competent Authority.

(C.P. Gandhi)

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Subject	Minutes of the Project Approval Committee (PAC) meeting to consider and decide the project proposals under NHB Schemes.
Date & Time	15.01.2026 at 12:00 Noon
Venue	Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi

The Meeting was chaired by Shri Priya Ranjan, MD, NHB and following members attended the meeting:-

S. No	Composition	Name of Officer/ Representative with Designation attended the meeting
1.	Managing Director, NHB-Chairman	Shri Priya Ranjan, JS(MIDH)/MD (NHB)
2.	Dy. Managing Director	Dr. Vijay Kumar Doharey, DMD, NHB
3.	Managing Director, NCDC or Representative-Member	Sh. Deepak Sharma, Dy. Director, NCDC- Through VC
4.	Chief Operating Officer (COO, NCCD) or Representative- Member	Shri Ashish Fotedar Chief Operating Officer (COO), NCCD
5.	External experts from relevant field	1. Mrs. Srishti Chitranshi, BDM, APEDA –Through VC 2. Ms. Seema Kanwar, Senior Marketing Officer, DMI – Through VC
6.	Subject Matter Specialist/expert from SAU/NRC/ICAR institutions (as per requirement) and other invitees	Dr. Nripendra Vikram Singh, Principal Scientist Division of Fruits & Horticulture Technology, ICAR-IARI, Pusa, New Delhi

IN ATTENDANCE

1. Shri S.K. Sharma, Joint Director (East & NE Zone)
2. Shri C.P. Gandhi, Joint Director (IS/Coord.), NHB
3. Shri H.C. Rohilla, Joint Director (F&A), NHB
4. Dr. Alok Kumar, Dy. Director, NHB
5. Shri Pawan Kumar, Dy. Director, NHB
6. Shri Manmohan, Dy. Director, NHB
7. Shri Ratan Lal Fulwariya, Dy. Director, NHB
8. Shri Vedpal, Sr. Horticulture Officer, NHB
9. Shri Shiva Kumar N, Sr. Horticulture Officer, NHB
10. Shri Manu A.N, Sr. Horticulture Officer, NHB

At the outset, Managing Director welcomed the members of the IC. The summary of projects discussed in the meeting is as under:-

S. No	Particulars	No. of project
1	No. of cases considered	35
2	Approved	26
3	Clarification sought (Deferred)	08
4	Rejected/Closed	01

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I. The case-wise decision of the Committee is as under:-

(A) Approved cases:

The Committee discussed the following project proposals in detail in the light of agenda notes and scheme guidelines of NHB and approved for disbursement of subsidy as per norms subject to standard terms and conditions. The amount of subsidy approved in each case along with project activity/crop and conditions, if any, is indicated against each project in the following table:

Sl. No	Name of the Project and Project Code with Project Location	Volume and Sr. No. of Agenda Notes	Project Activity/ Crop with Area and Capacity	Eligible Project Cost (Rs. in Lakh)	% age of Subsidy	Amount of Subsidy approved (Rs. In Lakh)	Category	Conditions, if any.
1.	M/s Aditya Organic Foods (Prop. Mr. Atul Bansal), Khasra No. 31 Min., Khata No. 00115, Alakhdeva Road, Village - Ratanpura, Tehsil - Gadarpur, District - U.S. Nagar (UK). (05AUA0002234)	North Zone (Vol-I) Sr. No. 1	Production of Mushroom with capacity 266.04 MT/annum	75.00	50%	37.50	Gen Hilly Area)	
2.	Mr. Darshan Singh S/o Mr. Ishwar Singh, Khewat No. 429, Khatoni No. 552, Khasara Nos. 114//12, 13, 14/2, 17, 18, 19/2, 22/2/2, 23/2/2, 122//7/2/2, 14/2, 17/2, 137//4/2, 5, 6/2, 7/2, Village - Sarsa, Thesil - Pehowa, District - Kurukshetra (Haryana) (06AHR0001848)	North Zone (Vol-I) Sr. No. 2	Cultivation of Cucumber in 11,264 sq. mtr. under Shade Net House	92.27	50%	46.135	Gen	
3.	Mr. Gurpreet Singh & Other 01, Khewat No. 7/7, Khatoni No. 7, Khasara No. 7//4, 5, 7, 10//9, 10//6, 7, 8, 9, 10 & 11/1, Village -Goripur, Tehsil -Shahabad, Distt - Kurukshetra (Haryana) (06AHR0001785)	North Zone (Vol-I) Sr. No. 5	Cultivation of Cucumber in 12,000 sq. mtr. under Shade Net House	99.48	50%	49.74	Gen	

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4.	Sandeep Nain, Khasra/Khatoni/Gat /Survey No. 122, 123 Gram Shastrinagar, Patwari Halka, Jheegar Choti, Sambhalpura, Teh Sikar Gramin, Sikar Rajasthan 08ARJ0006712	North Zone (Vol-II) Sl.no.01	Cultivation of Capsicum in 8000 Sqm under Green/Poly house	80.12	50%	40.06	Gen	Deduction of cost of Re-JIT
5.	Manju Kumari, Khasra/Khatoni/Gat /Survey No. 122, 123 Gram Shastrinagar, Patwari Halka, Jheegar Choti, Sambhalpura, Teh Sikar Gramin, Sikar Rajasthan 08ARJ0006710	North Zone (Vol-II) Sl.no.02	Cultivation of Capsicum in 8000 Sqm under Green/Poly house	81.22	50%	40.61	Gen	Deduction of cost of Re-JIT
6.	Mr Ramesh Narayan Maule, Gat No : 71, 79, At post- Mohadi Tal Dindori, Dist Nashik (MH) (27DMHD047915)	West Zone Vol - I Sr.No -01	Cultivation of Rose under polyhouse in 7520 SqM.	104.52	50%	52.26	Gen	
7.	M/s Basant Agro Tech (India) Limited, Gut No. 55, Mauje Kumbhari, Near Pragati Dal Mill, Tal. & Dist. Akola (MH) (27CMHCCS000056)	West Zone Vol - I Sr.No -02	Alternate Technology (Solar) 300 KW	35.00	35%	12.25	Gen	
8.	M/s Kirti Oil Industries Pvt Ltd, Plot No.E-21/1, Addl MIDC, Latur (MH) (27DMHD047776)	West Zone Vol - I Sr.No -03	Cold storage type-1 with capacity 5838 MT (No. of chambers -02)	443.688	35%	155.29	Gen	
9.	Mr Sudam Dada Walke And Others, Gat No - 2425 At - Vadner Bhairav, Taluka - Chandwad, Dist - Nashik (MH) (27DMHD047776)	West Zone Vol - I Sr.No -04	Open field cultivation of grapes in 12.00 acre	41.26	40%	16.50	Gen	

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10.	Sh. Somashekar Reddy , Survey No. 30(old) 30/p(new), Village- Saddenahalli, Taluka-Bangalore North, Dist- Bangalore Urban, Karnataka 29AKA0027389	South Zone Vol-I (Sl. No-1)	Cultivation of Capsicum in an area 6504 SqM under poly house	69.64	50%	34.82	Gen	
11.	Sh. Bhaskar P. & Sh. Keshavamurthy P. , Survey No - 146, Village - Chikkahosahalli, Taluka - Anekal, Dist. - Bangalore Urban, Karnataka 29AKA0027447	South Zone Vol-I (Sl. No-2)	Cultivation Gerbera in an area 6000 Sqmt. under poly house	102.60	50%	51.30	Gen	
12.	Sh. R. Srirama , Survey No. 81/1, Village - Sidihosakote, Taluka - Anekal, Dist. - Bangalore Urban, Karnataka 29AKA0027452	South Zone Vol-I (Sl. No-3)	Cultivation of Gerbera in an area 7408 Sqmt. under poly house	126.48	50%	63.24	General	
13.	M/s Protech Farms (Prop. Koneru Sridhar Babu) , Survey No.- 18, Khata No - 73, Village - Ayodhya, Taluka- Mopidevi, Dist. - Krishna, Andhra Pradesh 28AAP0023416	South Zone Vol-I (Sl. No-4)	Cultivation of Capsicum in 3840 Sqmt. & Cucumber in 6128 Sqmt. under poly house	101.28	50%	50.64	Gen	The Committee has considered the crop of Capsicum in 3840 Sqmt. and Cucumber in 6128 Sqmt. under poly house.
14.	Sh. Venkatachalapathy M. , Survey No - 26/1A1B & 102/7, Village - Sapparapalli & Seluvandoddi, Taluka - Shoolagiri, Dist. - Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu 33ATN0006843	South Zone Vol-I (Sl. No-5)	Cultivation of Capsicum in 8550 Sqmt. under poly house	89.31	50%	44.65 (Eligibility only Rs. 39.12 lakh)	Gen	Maximum ceiling of subsidy of Rs. 56.00 lakh, applicant has already availed subsidy of Rs. 16.88 lakh from NHM (i.e. Rs. 56.00 lakh -Rs. 16.88 lakh = 39.12 lakh).

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15.	Sh. Hariesh Babu , survey no. 185/6A, 185/6B & 186/7B, Vill-Pannapalli, Taluka-Shoolagiri, Dist-Krishnagiri, Tamil Nadu (33ATN0006958)	South Zone Vol-I (Sl. No-6)	Cultivation of Rose in an area 10000 Sqmt. under poly house	151.00	50%	75.50	Gen
16.	Mr. Gajanan Patidar , Survey no.-91/2, Village-Mogawan, Tehsil-Kasrawad, Distt.-Khargone (MP) 23AMP0007487	East Zone Sr. No. 01 Vol. V	Cultivation of Tomato under shade net house in 10545 SQM	85.64	50%	42.82	Gen
17.	M/s Hariom Cold Storage (Prop:- Ganesh Choudhary) at S.no. 240/1, Gram-Naibaroda, Mandloi, Ph no. 69/132, Tehsil-Pithampur, Distt.-Dhar(Chamber-08) 23AMP0CS000140	East Zone Sr. No. 3 Vol. VII	Construction of new cold storage, type-01 with capacity 7260 MT	522.72	35%	182.95	Gen
18.	M/s Prabhat Cold Storage , Sruvey no-70/3(s), Vill-Awlay, Taluka- Dr. Ambedkar nagar Indor (MP) 23AMP0CS000117	East Zone Sr. No. 03 Vol. V	Construction of new cold storage (type-01) with capapcity 5485 MT (Chamber-05)	416.86	35%	145.90	Gen
19.	M/s Kay Dee Cold Stoage Pvt. Ltd. at Patta no. 10, 33, 69, 85, 86 & Dag no. 185, 186, 188, 189, 213, 214, 217 Village- Tarapur Pt-III Ramnagar., Taluka-Silchar, Distt.- Cachar (Assam) 18AAS0CS000025	East Zone Sr. No. 01 Vol. VI	Installation of Solar Panel for exiting cold storage with capacity 210 KW (Chamber-04)	35.00	50%	17.50	Gen

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20.	Mrs. Puspa Medatwal, Sruvey no.- 1893/1, at-Gram- Sarangi, Tehsil- Petlawad, Distt.- Jhabua (MP) 23AMP0007293	East Zone Sr. No. 02 Vol. VI	Cultivation of cucumber under shade net house in an area of 10000 SQM	81.85	50%	40.92	Gen	
21.	M/s Seth Sanwariya Cold Storage Pvt. Ltd. At- Survey/Khasra no.-188/5/2, 189, 191/1/2, Village-Nanded, Tehsil-Mhow (MP) 23AMP0CS000137	East Zone Sr. No. 03 Vol. VI	Construction of new cold storage, type-1 with capacity 6309.00 MT (Chamber-5)	479.48	35%	167.81	Gen	Subject to installation of signboard as per NHB prescribed standard format.
22.	M/s Bilawliya Cold Storage Pvt. Ltd. at Patwari Halka no. 77, Khasra no. 1699/2, village- Piwday, Tehsil- Khudel & distt.- Indore (MP) 23AMP0CS000139	East Zone Sr. No. 01 Vol. VII	Construction of new cold storage type-01 with capacity 6134 MT (Chamber-04)	466.18	35%	163.16	Gen	
23.	Smt. Riya Parashar, Survey No. 362/2/2, 363/2, 367/1, Gram – Daulatpur Thikariya, fanda, Tehsil – Huzur Distt- Bhopal (MP) 23AMP0007344	East Zone Sr. No. 01 Vol. IX	Cultivation of Dutch Rose under Poly house in 6512 SQM	86.21	50%	43.10	Gen	
24.	Smt. Maitri Parashar, Survey No. 361/2/1, 362/2/1 & 363/1, Gram – Daulatpur Thikariya, fanda, Tehsil – Huzur Distt- Bhopal (MP) 23AMP0007345	East Zone Sr. No. 02 Vol. IX	Cultivation of Dutch Rose under Poly house in 4728 SQM	63.13	50%	31.56	Gen	
25.	Mr. Ramvilas Patidar, Survey/Khasra no.- 743/1/1/1 & 1298/1/1, At village-Simlawada, Tehsil- & Distt.- Ratlam (MP) 23AMP0007537	East Zone Sr. No. 03 Vol. IX	Cultivation of Cucumber under Shade net house in 8000 SQM & Cucumber under Poly house in 2000 SQM	93.32	50%	46.66	Gen	

26.	M/s Shivgori Cold Storage Private Limited, Survey/Khasra no. - 28/1/1, Village- Amba Chandan, Tehsil- Mhow, Distt.- Indore (MP) 23AMP0CS000097	East Zone Sr. No. 05 Vol. IX	Construction of Cold Storage type-01 with capacity 5107.00 (Chamber-10)	388.13	35%	135.84	Gen	
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B. Deferred cases:

The Committee discussed the following project proposals in detail in the light of agenda notes and the scheme guidelines of NHB and deferred for seeking lacking/additional documents as indicated against each project in the following table:-

Sr no	Name of the project and project code with project location.	Volume and Sr. No. of Agenda Notes	Project activity/crop with area and capacity	Lacking/additional documents required
1.	M/s Raghav Agro Farm (Prop : Mr. Raghav Tanwar), Khewat No. 84, Khatoni No. 104, Khasara No. 25, 3 TBADI, 35/101, Village – Bagwali, PO – Kakar Majra, Taluka – Raipur Rani, District – Panchkulla (Haryana) (06AHR0001663)	North Zone (Volume-I) Sr. No. 3	Production of Mushroom with capacity of 171 MT/Annum	Committee discussed the proposal in the light of scheme guidelines of the board and during online verification of the land coordinates / project sites it observed that the common infrastructures i.e. Tunnel, Bunkers and compost mixing platform are available on the project site for both projects (06AHR0001663 & 06AHR0001656). Hence, physical inspection of project site shall be conduct by the senior officials of NHB immediately.
2.	M/s Golden Star Agro (Prop : Mrs. Kavita Rana), Khewat No. 84, Khatoni No. 104, Khasara No. 18//21/1 & 19//24/2, Village – Bagwali, PO – Kakar Majra, Taluka – Raipur Rani, District – Panchkulla (Haryana). (06AHR0001656)	North Zone (Volume-I) Sr. No. 4	Production of Mushroom with capacity of 120 MT/Annum	
3.	M/s Mohini Agro Pvt. Ltd. (Prop; Mr. Tushar Chaudhary & Ors.) Khasra No./ Plot No 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437,438,439,440,441,442,443,448,450,451,452, 453, Village Shyamgram, P.S. Arambagh, Harinkhola (WB), 19AWB0CS000018	East Zone Sr. No. 4 Vol. V	Modernization of the existing cold storage for refrigeration, Machineries and thermal insulation etc. with capacity 10000 MT (Chamber-13)	Agenda withdrawn for re-examination
4.	M/s Jay Kailash Cold Storage, Survey no. 33/2/2, Village- Badakuwa, Rajpura Kuri, Mhow, Teshil & Distt.- Indore (MP) 23AMP0CS000082	East Zone Sr. No. 6 Vol. IX	Construction of Cold Storage type-I with capacity- 6194.00 MT (Chamber-11)	Agenda withdrawn for re-examination

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5.	M/s Shree Harsiddhi Cold Storage at survey/Khasra no.- 191/1 & 191/2, Village- Naibaroda Kanungo, Tehsil- Pithampur, Distt.- Dhar, Tehsil- Hatod, Distt.- Indore (MP), 23AMP0CS000113	East Zone Sr. No. 2 Vol. VII	Construction of new cold storage type-01 with capacity- 5076 MT (Chamber-08)	After details discussion by the committee, committee decided that a sub-committee may be constituted under the chairmanship of DMD alongwith JD (East), JD (Coord) & JD (F&A) for re-examination the case regarding percentage of shares of all directors/member s in different project.
6.	M/s Borail Cold Storage. Dag no. 265,201, 202, 257, 258, 260, 261, 262, 239, 91, 92, 254, 255 and 253 of Patta no.39, 33 and 29, Village Rampur, Borkhola, Dist. Cachar, Assam, (18AAS0CS000023)	East Zone Sr. No. 1 Vol. VIII	Construction of New Cold Storage Type - 1 with other add on component with total capacity of 5937.00 MT (Chamber-04)	After details discussion by the committee, committee decided that JD/Area Officer may visit project site alongwith officer of NCCD and DD, NHB, Guwahati for verification of the facts and figures of the proposal.
7.	M/s Abhinav Green Power India Pvt. Ltd. Survy No. 1306, Village- Dargaon, Tehsil- Dhamdha, Distt.- Durg (CG) 22ACG0001177	East Zone Sr. No. 02 Vol. V	Cultivation of Dutch Rose Under Poly House in an area of 8000 SQM	Plants condition was very bad and an opportunity may be given to conduct Re-JIT after fresh plantation
8.	M/s Shreenath Cold Storage (Partner- Ravi Maheshwari, Seema Nagar, Asha Nagar, Nanuram Shaligram & Jitendra Mathur), Survey/Khasra no.- 597/3/1/2, 597/3/2 & 597/3/3, Village- Murkheda, Tehsil- Hatod & Distt.- Indore (MP) 23AMP0CS000095	East Zone Sr. No. 04 Vol. IX	Expansion of Cold Storage type-01 capacity 5000 MT (Chamber-12)	The applicant has already availed subsidy from the board and applicant also has directorship in other similar cold storages. Hence, committee decided to re-examine

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C. Reject case:

Sr. No.	Name of the project and project code with project location	Volume and Sr. No. of Agenda Notes	Project /activity crop with area and capacity	Reason of deferred
1.	M/s Raj Cold Storage (Prop: Mr. Subhas Kumar Saha), Plot No. 18, 21 & 31, Khasra-3/Khatoni—1/Thana no.-23, Village- Jamuna, Tehsil- Gola, Distt.- Ramgarh (JH), 20AJH0CS000004	East Zone Sr. No.-7 Vol-II	Construction of new cold storage type-01, with capacity- 10000 MT (Chambers- 3)	After details discussion by the committee, committee rejected the project due to Bunker Coil system is not allowed as per NHB Scheme guideline. Hence, Committee Reject the case.

Meeting ended with a Vote of Thanks to the chair

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