

# **Plant Protection including Integrated Pest Management Scheme**

## **Details (Plant Protection including Integrated Pest Management Scheme)**

The “Plant Protection including Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Scheme” is a State Plan Scheme, which is implemented by the Department of Agriculture & Farmers’ Welfare, Government of Meghalaya. The objective of the scheme is to mobilize and support farmers to use bio-pesticides and bio- agents for plant health management through the distribution of bio-pesticides and other IPM tools and through the sale of Sprayers and Plant Protection Equipment to encourage organic crop production.

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## **Benefits (Plant Protection including Integrated Pest Management Scheme)**

- Pattern of Assistance: Distribution of bio
- pesticide and other IPM tools to farmers. Sale of Sprayers and Plant Protection Equipment. Type of Assistance and Entitlement (If any): Free distribution of Bio
- pesticides and other IPM tools. 50% subsidy sale on Plant Protection Equipment.

## **Eligibility (Plant Protection including Integrated Pest Management Scheme)**

- The applicant should be a resident of Meghalaya.
- The applicant should be a bonafide farmer engaged in agriculture.

## **Application Process (Plant Protection including Integrated Pest Management Scheme)**

- Application Process: Step 01: The eligible bonafide farmers can apply/write an application on plain paper.
- Step 02: Along with the application, attach copies of all the mandatory documents (self-attest, if required).
- Step 03: Submit the duly filled and signed application along with the relevant documents at the nearest office of the Agriculture Development Officer of a CD Block/Agriculture Circle.
- Mode of Selection of Beneficiary(s): The bonafide farmers having sufficient available cultivable land shall be selected on a first come first served basis.
- Whom to Contact: District Agriculture Officers of the concerned districts.
- Sub-Divisional Agricultural Officers of the concerned sub-divisions.
- District Training Officers, Tura/Shillong.
- Agricultural Development Officers of the concerned Community and Rural Development Blocks.

## **Documents Required (Plant Protection including Integrated Pest Management Scheme)**

- Passport-size photograph Identity Proof Documents proof of having sufficient available cultivable land  
Any other document as required

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