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To Shri Vakaramakrishna, 16-27-41/2, Ward No.2, Repalle Mandal, Guntur - 522265.

Sub:- Information under RTI Act, 2005 – Information sought – Reg.

Ref:- RTI application Registration No. NIAEM/R/T/21/00007 dt.13/12/2021, transferred from DAC&FW through RTI-MIS with

reference No: DOA&C/R/E/21/01935/6 - Reg.

Sir,

This is with reference to your RTI application cited above, requested MANAGE to provide information under RTI Act, 2005. The information sought is furnished pointwise in the enclosed **ANNEXURE** for your information.

If the applicant is not satisfied with the information, you may file an appeal to the First Appellate Authority within 30 days of receipt of reply of CPIO. The name, designation and complete address of the First Appellate Authority of this Institute is as under:-

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Yours sincerely,

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ANNEXURE

MANAGA MNG-01/Admn/RTI-Corres/05-11/430 January 04, 2022

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Information sought: Whether the government proposes to provide funds for startups in agriculture and its related sectors in the country if so the details thereof. The details of assistance provided by the Government to promote innovation in products and services of Agro Startups.

Reply: The information does not pertain to MANAGE.

Information sought: The number of Agro Startups set-up during the last 5 years along with the details of financial assistance provided to Agro Startups in Andhra Pradesh particularly Krishan/Guntur District.

Reply: So far, 646 start-ups in the agriculture and allied sectors have been supported under the "Innovation and Agri-Entrepreneurship Development" programme for funding of a sum of ₹. 69.92 crore in installments and ₹ 33.94 crore has been released to respective KPs and RABIs for funding these start-ups.

MANAGE under its RKVY-RAFTAAR Program has supported 14 based Agri-startups through training in Andhra Pradesh. Four startups from Andhra Pradesh were Sanctioned grants worth ₹ 27.3 Lakh as of 31-12-2021 and one of them from Krishna/Guntur Districts of Andhra Pradesh.

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