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A. The Budget allocations, net of recoveries, are given below:

(In crores of Rupees)

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		Budo	get 2002-	2003	Revis	ed 2002-	2003	Budo	get 2003-2	2004
Ma	jor Head		Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total		Non-Plan	Total
Revenue		1894.01	199.36	2093.37	1482.78	399.50	1882.28	1928.57	400.92	2329.49
Capital		292.99	0.64	293.63	204.22	0.50	204.72	258.43	0.42	258.85
Total		2187.00	200.00	2387.00	1687.00	400.00	2087.00	2187.00	401.34	2588.34
Secretariat-Economic Services	3451	6.37	25.07	31.44	5.80	23.97	29.77	6.95	26.53	33.48
Crop Husbandry										
2. Seeds	3601	2.81		2.81	0.36		0.36	2.16		2.16
	2401	20.76		20.76	10.54		10.54	15.78		15.78
	4401							0.52		0.52
	Total	23.57		23.57	10.90		10.90	18.46		18. 4 6
Foodgrain Crops										
Accelarated Cereals	2401	1.75		1.75	2.50		2.50	4.03		4.03
Development Programme -	3601	2.00		2.00	3.00		3.00	2.37		2.37
Maize	Total	3.75		3.75	5.50		5.50	6.40		6.40
Others schemes of										
Foodgrain crops	2401		0.70	0.70		0.68	0.68		0.78	0.78
Total - Foodgrain crops		3.75	0.70	4.45	5.50	0.68	6.18	6.40	0.78	7.18
5. Development of Pulses	3601	8.43		8.43	9.17		9.17	13.96		13.96
·	2401	10.16	0.40	10.56	19.72	0.36	20.08	16.43	0.60	17.03
	3602	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01	0.01		0.01
	Total	18.60	0.40	19.00	28.90	0.36	29.26	30.40	0.60	31.00
6. Manures & Fertilizers										
6.01 National Project	2401	2.04		2.04	1.92		1.92	2.05		2.05
on Development and	3601	0.23		0.23	0.57		0.57	0.30		0.30
use of Bio-fertilizers	4401	0.20		0.20	0.15		0.15	0.15		0.15
use of bio-refulizers	Total	2.57		2.57	2.64		2.64	2.50		2.50
6.02 Other Programmes	2401	3.06		3.06	0.02		0.02	3.91		3.91
0.02 Other Flogrammes	3601	0.31			0.02	•••		2.34	•••	
		1	•••	0.31		•••	0.02		•••	2.34
	4401	0.11	•••	0.11	0.02	•••	0.02	0.25	•••	0.25
Total Manage O Facilities	Total	3.48		3.48	0.06	•••	0.06	6.50		6.50
Total-Manures & Fertilizers	0004	6.05		6.05	2.70		2.70	9.00		9.00
7. Plant protection	3601	1.20		1.20	0.11		0.11	1.41		1.41
	2401	13.01	12.06	25.07	10.99	12.50	23.49	16.75	13.80	30.55
	4401	5.00		5.00	3.27		3.27	5.20		5.20
	Total	19.21	12.06	31.27	14.37	12.50	26.87	23.36	13.80	37.16
Commercial Crops										
8. Oil Seeds Production	3601	32.50		32.50	48.15		48.15	58.70		58.70
Programme	2401	11.50	0.52	12.02	22.85	0.55	23.40	20.00	0.60	20.60
	Total	44.00	0.52	44.52	71.00	0.55	71.55	78.70	0.60	79.30
National Oilseeds and										
Vegetable Oil Development										
Board	2401	1.25		1.25	3.75		3.75	5.40		5.40
Research and development										
of Post Harvest Technology										
in Oilseeds & Pulses	2401	6.00		6.00	11.00		11.00	11.70		11.70
11. Intensive Cotton Development	3601	17.00		17.00	8.30		8.30	32.30		32.30
Programme/Technology	2401	3.00	0.47	3.47	1.47	0.47	1.94	5.70	0.51	6.21
Mission on Cotton	Total	20.00	0.47	20.47	9.77	0.47	10.24	38.00	0.51	38.51
12. Oil Palm Development	2401	0.05		0.05	0.10		0.10	0.10		0.10
Programme .	3601	4.10		4.10	3.75		3.75	7.00		7.00
3	Total	4.15		4.15	3.85		3.85			7.10
13. Other Programmes of TMOP						•••				
13.01 Post Harvest Technology										
including TMOP	2401	7.65		7.65				1.35		1.35
13.02 Integrated Oilseeds,	2401	22.46		22.46				3.65		3.65
Oilpalm, Pulses and	3601	46.03		46.03				8.10		8.10
Maize Development	3602	0.01		0.01						
iviaize Development		68.50		68.50				 11.75		 11.75
13 03 Trop borns Oilsaads	Total	l								
13.03 Tree-borne Oilseeds	2401	2.50	•••	2.50				0.60	•••	0.60
Total-Other Programmes of TMOP	Total	78.65		78.65				13.70		13.70

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	Major Head		lget 2002- Non-Plan		Revi Plan	sed 2002- Non-Plan	2003 Total		lget 2003- Non-Plan	-2004 Total		
14. Water Management	3601							70.00		70.00		
	2401	101.20		101.20	86.20		86.20					
45 W () 15 1	Total	101.20		101.20	86.20		86.20	70.00		70.00		
15. Watershed Developme		2.00 2.23	 1.70	2.00 3.93	1.30 0.23	1.36	1.30 1.59	2.00	 1.45	2.00 1.45		
16. Other Commercial Cro	3601	4.29	1.70	4.29	0.23	1.30	1.59		1.45	1.45		
	Total	6.52	1.70	8.22	0.23	1.36	1.59		1.45	1.45		
Total-Commercial Crops		263.77	2.69	266.46	187.10	2.38	189.48	226.60	2.56	229.16		
17. Horticulture and Veget	able 3601	0.50		0.50	0.15		0.15	1.20		1.20		
Crops	2401	162.65	1.19	163.84	126.85	1.30	128.15	170.02	1.33	171.35		
40 Establish and Training	Total	163.15	1.19	164.34	127.00	1.30	128.30	171.22	1.33	172.55		
18. Extension and Training	g 2401 3601	78.95 0.90	5.54	84.49 0.90	45.56	5.59	51.15	73.75 0.90	5.77	79.52 0.90		
	3602	0.90		0.90			•••	0.90		0.90		
	4401	4.00		4.00	0.25		0.25	1.45		1.45		
	Total	83.95	5.54	89.49	45.81	5.59	51.40	76.20	5.77	81.97		
 Crop Insurance - Payn GIC for National Agric 												
Insurance Scheme (NA Agricultural Economics &		300.00		300.00	254.99		254.99	315.00		315.00		
Statistics 20. Agricultural Census	2401	3.03		3.03	1.09		1.09	3.95		3.95		
20. Agriculturar Octions	3601	7.57		7.57	7.07		7.07	4.85		4.85		
	3602	0.14		0.14	0.14		0.14	0.20		0.20		
	Total	10.74		10.74	8.30		8.30	9.00		9.00		
21. Other schemes of Agri Economics & Statistics 21.01 Directorate of	5											
and Statistics 21.02 Comprehensive for studying the production of pri	2401 Scheme cost of		7.25	7.25		7.10	7.10		7.02	7.02		
21.03 Timely report of		17.43		17.43	15.12		15.12	17.57		17.57		
of areas and pro	oduction of 3601	2.02		2.02	3.57		3.57					
principal crops	3602				0.03		0.03					
21.04 Collection of Ag Statistics		2.02		2.02	3.60		3.60					
21.05 Improvment of	-	4.65		4.65	8.70		8.70					
Statistics	2401							24.15		24.15		
21.06 Other Programn	3601 nes <i>Total</i>	•••	•••		•••		•••	0.15 24.30		0.15 <i>24.30</i>		
21.00 Other i Togramii	2401	11.27	6.14	 17.41	4.13	6.62	 10.75	16.23	7.02	23.25		
	3601	11.23		11.23	5.57		5.57					
	3602	0.05		0.05	0.02		0.02					
Total-Other Schemes of A Eco & Statistics	J	22.55	6.14	28.69	9.72	6.62	16.34	16.23	7.02	23.25		
Total-Agricultural Econor Statistics	nics &	46.65	13.39	60.04	37.14	13.72	50.86	58.10	14.04	72.14		
22. Agricultural Engineerin	ng	57.39	13.39	70.78	45.44	13.72	59.16	67.10	14.04	81.14		
	2401	1.50	4.28	5.78	1.03	4.17	5.20	1.63	4.86	6.49		
	3601	0.23		0.23	0.47		0.47	0.70		0.70		
23 Grant to NIACED for M	4401	1.65	0.64	2.29	0.98 2.48	0.50	1.48 <i>7.15</i>	1.57	0.42	1.99		
23. Grant to NAFED for M24. Investments in Public		3.38	<i>4.9</i> 2 100.00	8.30 100.00	2.48	<i>4.67</i> 300.00	300.00	3.90	5.28 294.02	9.18 294.02		
25. Other programmes of Husbandry	<i>Crop</i> 6401	2.14		2.14	9.70		9.70	7.79		7.79		
25.01 International Co			40.00	40.00		40.05	40.05		44.00	44.00		
25.02 Other programm		30.20	10.99	10.99	27 70	10.95	10.95	 47 50	11.36	11.36 47.50		
	2401 3601	39.20 3.63	•••	39.20 3.63	27.79 0.01		27.79 0.01	47.50 4.50	•••	47.50		
Total- Other Programmes		42.83		42.83	27.80		27.80	52.00		52.00		
Crop Husbandry	. 3 (4)		•••	,00		•••			•••			
Total- Crop Husbandry Other Agricultural Progra	mmes	42.83 987.79	10.99 151.88	53.82 1139.67	27.80 762.69	10.95 352.15	38.75 1114.84	52.00 1007.43	11.36 349.54	63.36 1356.97		
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_	Major Head	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total	Plan	Non-Plan	Total
26. Other Administrative Services -										
Implementation of										
Insecticides Act 27. Agricultural Marketing	2070	0.50	2.22	2.01	1 12	2.46	4.50	1.64	4.04	E 6E
27. Agricultural Warketing	2070 2435	0.58 79.38	3.23 18.30	3.81 97.68	1.13 67.37	3.46 18.90	4.59 86.27	1.64 99.35	4.01 19.65	5.65 119.00
	3601	0.08		0.08	0.02		0.02	0.25	13.03	0.25
	4435	0.51		0.51	0.61		0.61	0.40		0.40
Total-Other Agricultural	Total	79.97	18.30	98.27	68.00	18.90	86.90	100.00	19.65	119.65
Programmes										
Soil and Water Conservation 28. Soil conservation in catchment		80.55	21.53	102.08	69.13	22.36	91.49	101.64	23.66	125.30
of river valley projects and										
Flood Prone Areas										
29. Other soil and water	2402		0.31	0.31		0.31	0.31		0.31	0.31
conservation schemes	-									
29.01 All India Soil and Land										
Use Survey and Application										
of Remote Sensing technology for Soil Surve	2402	4.01	1.21	5.22	5.80	1.21	7.01	6.38	1.30	7.68
29.02 National Land Resources		0.24 <i>4.</i> 25	1 21	0.24	 5 90	1 21	7.01	6 20	1 20	 760
Commission/Board	5 Total	4.25	1.21	5.46	5.80	1.21	7.01	6.38	1.30	7.68
29.03 Eco Restoration of	2402	0.50		0.50	0.60		0.60	0.65		0.65
Degraded Catchments of		0.00		0.00	0.00	•••	0.00	0.00	•••	0.00
Jhelum, Chenab, Shivalik	(S									
in J&K										
Total - Other Soil and Water	2402							16.00		16.00
Conservation Schemes State Plan		4.75	4.04	F 00	C 40	4.04	7.04	22.02	4 20	04.00
30. Control of Shifting Cultivation		4.75	1.21	5.96	6.40	1.21	7.61	23.03	1.30	24.33
Total State Plan	3601	20.00		20.00	20.00		20.00	20.00		20.00
Total - Soil and Water Conservation		20.00		20.00	20.00		20.00	20.00		20.00
Co-operation										
31. Education & Training		24.75	1.52	26.27	26.40	1.52	27.92	43.03	1.61	44.64
32. National Cooperative	2425	38.70		38.70	16.75		16.75	31.15		31.15
Development Corporation										
32.01 Warehousing and marketing cooperatives										
32.02 Capital participation in	2425	1.50		1.50	9.00		9.00	8.50		8.50
Co-operative Spinning Mi		1.50		1.50	9.00		9.00	0.50	•••	0.50
32.03 Assistance to NCDC	2425							9.00		9.00
Programme for Cooperati	ve 2425							1.60		1.60
Development	6425	33.50		33.50	8.50		8.50			
Total-NCDC	Total	33.50		33.50	8.50		8.50	1.60		1.60
33. Debentures of State Land		35.00		35.00	17.50		17.50	19.10		19.10
Development Banks 34. Rehabilitation Package for	6425	113.09		113.09	67.94		67.94	100.00		100.00
Revamping Cooperative	0423	113.09		113.09	67.94		67.94	100.00		100.00
Credit Structure										
35. Other programmes-Cooperation	3601	1.00		1.00						
and Credit										
Total-Cooperation	2425	0.54		0.54	1.57		1.57	13.00		13.00
36. Supplementation/		188.33		188.33	103.76		103.76	163.25		163.25
complementation of States	2401	28.21		28.21	11.48		11.48	30.50		30.50
effort through work plans (Macro Management)	2402	1.20		1.20	0.30		0.30	3.00		3.00
(iviacio ivialiagement)	3601 3602	536.65 3.00	•••	536.65 3.00	434.55 1.44		434.55 1.44	487.20 2.00	•••	487.20 2.00
	4402	5.60		5.60						
	6402	3.00		3.00	2.80		2.80	3.00		3.00
	7601	107.20		107.20	99.59		99.59	121.80		121.80
	7602	0.60		0.60	0.36		0.36	0.50		0.50
37. Lumpsum provision for projects	/ Total	682.46		682.46	550.52		550.52	648.00		648.00
schemes for the benefit of North	2401	120.00		120.00	104.80		104.80			
East Region and Sikkim	2552	77.70		77.70	53.85		53.85	200.90		200.90
Grand Total	4552 Total	19.05		19.05	10.05		10.05 <i>168.70</i>	15.80		15.80 <i>216.70</i>
24.01 Oil Palm India Ltd.	Total	216.75 2187.00	200.00	216.75 2387.00	168.70 1687.00	400 00	168.70 2087.00		 401.34	216.70 2588.34
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(In crores of Rupees) Budget 2002-2003 Revised 2002-2003 Budget 2003-2004 Investment in Public Head of Budget **IEBR IEBR IEBR** Total Budget Budget **Enterprises** Dev. Support Support Support 24.02 National Seeds Corporation 12401 1.00 2.29 2.29 24.03 Damodar Valley Corporation 12401 1.00 ... 24.04 State Farms Corporation of 3.00 12402 2.80 2.80 3.00 India 24.05. National Cooperative 12401 2.14 2.14 8.70 8.70 5.50 5.50 **Development Corporation** 24.06. Land Development Banks 12425 33.50 33.50 8.50 8.50 **TOTAL** 12425 113.09 113.09 67.94 67.94 100.00 100.00 ... C. Plan Outlay 148.73 148.73 88.94 88.94 110.79 110.79 ... **Central Plan:** Crop Husbandry 1. Other Agricultural Programmes 12401 1663.45 1663.45 1310.11 1310.11 1649.43 1649.43 Secretariat-Economic Services 12435 79.97 3. 79.97 68.00 68.00 100.00 100.00 Other Administrative Services 13451 5.80 5.80 6.95 6.37 6.37 6.95 Soil & Water Conservation 5. 32070 0.58 0.58 1.13 1.13 1.64 1.64 6. Cooperation 12402 11.55 11.55 9.50 9.50 29.03 29.03 7. North Eastern Areas 12425 188.33 188.33 103.76 103.76 163.25 163.25 22552 216.75 216.75 168.70 168.70 216.70 216.70 State Plan Total 2167.00 2167.00 1667.00 1667.00 2167.00 2167.00 Control of Shifting Cultivation **TOTAL** 43601 20.00 20.00 20.00 20.00 20.00 20.00

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1. The provision is for expenditure on Secretariat of the Department of Agriculture and Cooperation, Counsellor (Agriculture) Embassy of India, Rome, Headquarter of Technology Mission on Oilseeds and Pulses. It also includes the establishment related expenditure of credit planning & monitoring and development of multi-state cooperatives.

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- 2. It includes provision for implementation of Protection of Plant Varieties of Farmers Rights Legislation and two restructured schemes (i) Development and strengthening of infrastructure facilities for production & distribution of quality seeds and (ii) Restructuring of NSC/SFCI in place of existing schemes on Transport subsidy on seeds, Seed Crop Insurance, Establishment & Maintenance of seed bank, Quality arrangement on seeds and Loan to SFCI/NSC. Provision has been kept in existing schemes as well as in restructured schemes.
- 3. The scheme aims at increasing productivity of maize on a mission approach basis through the implementation of various types of demonstrations training programmes. This also include entire provision for the EAP component. For general component of the scheme provision has also been kept in this scheme as well as in the restructured scheme.
- The provision is for the directorates of rice and millet related development programmes.
- 5. The programme aims at raising the production of pulses by increasing the area under these crops. Short duration package of practices in pulses cultivation, production of breeder seed and front line demonstration by ICAR, etc. are the mechanism for the purpose. Provision has also been kept in this scheme as well as in the restructured scheme.
- 6. The provision is for expenditure on development and use of bio-fertilizers, strengthening of central fertilizer quality control and training institute. This also includes a provision for one new scheme National Project on Promotion of Organic Farming.
- 7. The provision is for Central Plant Protection Trg. Institute, Promotion of Integrated Pest Management, Locust Control & Research, Implementation of the Insecticides Act, 1986 and for a new restructured scheme of strengthening and Modernization of Pest Management.

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8. The programme covers all the major oilseed crops namely groundnut, rapeseed, mustard, soyabean, sesame, sunflower, safflower, Niger, castor and linseed. The main emphasis is on increasing the productivity through adoption of improved package of practices, input support services and transfer of technology, etc. The pattern of financial assistance is 75:25 between the Centre and the state governments for all the key inputs. In addition, grants-in aid (100%) is given to ICAR for organizing front line demonstrations. The provision has been kept in the existing scheme as well as restructured scheme.

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- 9. National Oilseeds and Vegetable Oil Development Board was set up under the NOVOD Board Act, 1983 for integrated development of oilseed and vegetable oil industry. The provision has been kept in the existing scheme as well as restructured scheme.
- 10. The provision is for research and development of postharvest technology in oilseeds and pulses concentrating mainly on (a) development and popularization of modern oil expeller; (b) developing a proto-type for processing palm fruits, and (c) preservation and storage of pulses at the farm level, etc. The provision has been kept in the existing scheme as well as restructured scheme.
- 11. The provision is mainly for Grants in aid to ICAR for organizing front line demonstration and for training to farmers for production of hybrid seeds, and to NSC/SFCI for production and distribution of seeds.
- 12. The programme includes supply of seeds and seedlings, assistance to farmers for raising the crop and assistance for establishment of oil extraction units, etc. The provision has been kept in the existing scheme as well as restructured scheme.
- 13. The provision is for the restructured schemes of Post harvest Technology in R&D, Integrated Oilseeds, Oilpalm, Pulses and Maize Development, NOVOD Board, Tree borne oilseeds, etc.
- 14. Under this scheme assistance is given for construction of shadow tube-wells with pump sets, lift irrigation points and electric/diesel pump sets to individuals/group of farmers.
- 15. The provision is for Watershed Development Council which was constituted with overall responsibility for execution of

the World Bank assisted projects.

- The provision is for making expenditure on various Directorates responsible for development programmes of Commercial Crops.
- 17. The provision is for National Horticulture Board, Coconut Development Board including Technology Mission on Coconut, Human Resource Development, Hilly/tribal area development Technology Mission on Horticulture for Jammu & Kashmir and Uttranchal. The provision includes two new scheme Hi-tech horticulture for efficient utilization of recources through precision farming and sustainable development of horticulture through technological intervention and two directorates (Cashew and Spices).
- 18. The provision is for National Agricultural Extension Project, two foreign-aided schemes National Agricultural Technology Project and UNDP Project on Food Security, two restructured schemes Extension Support to Central Institutes/DOE and Support to State Extension Programme in place of existing schemes of Strengthening of Agriculture Extension services, Training of Women in Agriculture, Human Resource Development, Information Support/Management Information System and Strengthening of Agricultural Extension. Provision has been kept in the existing schemes as well as in the restructured schemes.
- 19. The provision is for 'National Agricultural Insurance Scheme' (NAIS) which has been implemented with effect from Kharif 1999 for enlarging the coverage in terms of farmers, crops and risk. The scheme operates on the basis of 'Area Approach' and each participating states or UT is required to reach the level of gram panchayat as the unit area of insurance in a period of three years.
- 20. The provision is for meeting expenditure for carrying out agricultural census. The main objective of the scheme is to obtain data on the structure of operational holdings and other matters needed for policy purposes.
- 21. The provision is mainly for existing schemes relating to cost of cultivation of principal crops, Regional centres for agroeconomics research, strengthening of agricultural statistics and agricultural policy, planning and management of agriculture, formulation of long term mechanization strategy for each agroclimatic zone/state, National Crop Forecasting Centre, crop acerage and production estimation, special data dissemination standards, restructured schemes relating to studies in agricultural economic policy and development and forecasting and remote sensing application in crop husbandry. Provision has been made for restructured as well as existing schemes. Provision has also been kept for Directorate of Economics and Statistics, forecasting agricultural output using space, agro-meterology and land based observation (FASAL) and improvement of agriculture statistics which includes timely reporting of estimates of area and production of principal crops, improvement of crop statistics, collection of agricultural statistics and crop estimation survey of fruits/ vegetables and minor crops.
- 22. This provision is for Farm Machinery Training and Testing Institutes. They provide training to the progressive farmers, technicians, nominees of state govts., and agro industries corporations, farming institutions and engineering entrepreneurs. The provision also includes for demonstration of newly developed agricultural equipment including horticultural equipment at farmer's field.
- 23. The price support or market intervention measures are designed to ensure remunerative prices to farmers. NAFED is the central designated agency for carrying out such operations.

- 24. The provision is for providing loan assistance for restructuring two PSUs. namely State Farm Corporation of India and National Seeds Corporation Ltd.
- 25. The provision includes contribution to Food and Agriculture Organization and World Food Programme. The provision also includes the expenditures on Disaster Management Programme, Agri–Business and Agri-clinics, Strengthening/promoting Agricultural Information Systems (Strengthening of IT Apparatus in Agriculture and Cooperation for States/UTs., IT apparatus in DAC(HQ), IT apparatus in the field offices, Development of agricultural informatics and communication, Agriculture resources information system).
- 26. The provision is for expenditure relating to administration and implementation of the Insecticides Act. The provision has been kept in the existing scheme as well as restructured scheme.
- 27. The provision is for existing scheme relating to strengthening agmark grading and export quality control, market research survey, marketing information network, Directorate of Marketing and Inspection, assistance to National Institutes of Agriculture Marketing, construction of Rural Godowns, development of market infrastructure, grading and standardization. It also includes provision for restructured scheme marketing survey and marketing information network. Provision has been kept in existing as well as restructured schemes.
- 28. The provision is for grant to Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC) to conduct Training Programme.
- 29. The provision is for All India Soil and Land Use Survey and National Land Resource Board/Commission and Ecorestoration of degraded catchment of Jhelum, Chenab and Shivaliks in Jammu and Kashmir.
- 30. This provision is for central assistance for State Plan schemes relating to shifting cultivation.
- 31. The provision is for organizing education for members of cooperatives and training of personnel of the State cooperative departments/ cooperative institutions with the objectives of making the members aware about the benefit of co-operatives. Provision has been kept in the existing scheme as well as restructured scheme.
- 32. The provision is for assistance for cooperative spinning mills, cooperative marketing, processing, and storage programme in cooperatively under-developed states/UTs. through National Cooperation Development Corporation. Provision has also been made for one restructured scheme assistance to NCDC for development of cooperative.
- 33. The scheme is for providing long-term agricultural credit to the farmers for development purposes in the field of minor irrigation, land development, farm mechanization, etc.
- 35. The provision is for assistance to national cooperative federations and integrated cooperative development in selected districts.
- 36. So far, assistance to the States were given for implementing programmes as per scale/contents determined by the Govt. of India. To provide flexibility to the State Govts. for implementation of various centrally sponsored schemes on MOU basis, the new scheme "Supplementation/Complementation of State's Efforts through Work Plans" has been formulated by integrating 27 ongoing schemes. It started operations from 2000-01.
- 37. The provision is for schemes for the benefit of North Eastern Region and Sikkim.