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**Ministry of Finance**  
**Department of Expenditure**  
**PFC Division**

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Kartavya Bhawan-I, New Delhi  
Dated the 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: Temporary extension of schemes of DAHD beyond 31.03.2026 pending the completion of appraisal and approval process for continuation of schemes in 16<sup>th</sup> FC cycle - reg.**

The undersigned is directed to refer to OM No. OM No. G/11/2026-Budget dated 30.04.2026 received from IFU (M/o Fisheries, Animal Husbandry & Dairying) on the above-mentioned subject.

2. The matter has been examined in this Department and approval of the competent authority is granted for temporarily continuing the following ongoing schemes of DAHD till 30.09.2026 or date of approval of the schemes for 16<sup>th</sup> FC cycle by the designated competent authority as per extant guidelines, whichever is earlier in accordance with DoE's OM No. 42(02)/PF-II/2014 dated 23.03.2026 -

- i. Livestock Health & Disease Control Programme
- ii. Infrastructure Development Fund
- iii. Rashtriya Gokul Mission
- iv. Dairy Development
- v. National Livestock Mission
- vi. Livestock Census & Integrated Sample Survey

3. Department must ensure that during the period of temporary extension, the ongoing schemes shall have the same scope, cost norms and other terms & conditions as were applicable for 15<sup>th</sup> FC cycle. Further, it should be ensured that spending limit for temporarily extended schemes should be within approved allocation of QEP-I and QEP-II of BE 2026-27. Also, the eligible outlay for the scheme in the 16<sup>th</sup> FC cycle shall be reduced proportionately.

4. Department shall take immediate necessary steps for getting the appraisal and approval of the schemes done for their further continuation in 16<sup>th</sup> FC Cycle.

5. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

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