

**CHECK LIST FOR CENTRAL AND STATE GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS
TO SET UP COMMON FACILITY UNDER FINANCE FROM APEDA SCHEME
FOR DEVELOPMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE**

1. The proposed facility should be for common benefit of exporters of horticulture sector (but not cereal and live animal products) and directly resulting in adequate increase in export volumes and remunerative returns to farmers.
2. Only Central and State Government public sector enterprises connected with agriculture are entitled to avail assistance.
3. Financial assistance would be limited to 75% of the project cost and that also towards the cost of plant, machinery and equipments. Rest of the capital funds including working capital to be brought in by PSU beside land for the facility.
4. State Government will arrange for necessary supporting infrastructure like connecting roads, electricity, water connection etc on priority and communicate in writing for the same in advance.
5. State Government will also indicate the utilization of 15% of State ASIDE funds under Agri Export Zones before seeking any funds under APEDA scheme.
6. The financial assistance would be released as back ended subsidy on submission of running bills of not less than 20% of the sanctioned value of project. A bank guarantee of 20% of the value of project to be submitted for seeking advance of equivalent value.
7. A detailed techno economic feasibility study to be conducted by Central / State institutions giving details on
 - Production of various products in the catchments area.
 - Availability of produce for the proposed facility
 - Capacity to be decided on availability of produce
 - Export turnover for next 5 years
 - User charges
 - Cash flow till the unit stabilized
 - Key financial results like IRR, BEP and CBA
8. The proposed infrastructure must ensure the achievement of BEP in the first year of its operations. A service agreement to be signed by PSU with APEDA.
9. The PSUs availing term loan for the proposed infrastructure would be preferred under the scheme.
10. An application alongwith detailed techno economic feasibility study can be submitted for in principal approval to Chairman, APEDA.