

## **RAINWATER HARVESTING SCHEME FOR SC/ST FARMERS**

### **PURPOSE:**

Construction of water harvesting structures

### **ELIGIBILITY:**

Farmers of SC/ST community

### **OBJECTIVE:**

To increase the per capita income of SC/ST farmers in the country and to stop wasteful drainage of rainwater into the sea and recharge of ground water.

### **QUANTUM OF LOAN**

Rs. 12,005/- to Rs.30,000/- Size : 3.5 x 3.5 x 3 M to 10 x 10 x 3 M

### **MARGIN:**

50% subsidy as back end subsidy

### **SECURITY:**

Hypothecation of assets created with bank finance

### **REPAYMENT:**

7 – 11 years (2 years moratorium)

### **INTEREST:**

9.50% p.a.

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