

## **Chapter – 2**

Particulars of Organisation, Functions and Duties

## **2.1 Objective / Purpose of the Public Authority**

1. Development of Sericulture in the State provides gainful employment to the farmers, reelers, labourers, twistors etc., under usage themselves in silk production.
2. Maintain seed farms to multiply seed cocoons for production of hybrid silkworm eggs.
3. Production of hybrid silkworm eggs and supply them to Sericulturists.
4. Assist marketing of cocoons produced and ensure payment to farmers.
5. Assist for sale of silk in Silk Exchange.
6. Provide disinfectants to sericulturists to reduce risks.
7. Train farmers to adopt best practices for increased returns.
8. Multiply new mulberry varieties for propagation.
9. Train entrepreneurs in silk reeling to start the reeling units.
10. Assist Sericulturists in mulberry cultivation and silkworm rearing aspects.
11. Provide subsidy to farmers under Catalytic Development Programme, Western Ghats Development Programme, Part-II and other special schemes.

## 2.2 Mission / Vision Statement of the Public Authority

Enhancing production and quality of cocoons and raw silk and thereby raising the income levels of Farmers and reelers.

- Increase productivity per acre by increasing consumption of layings.
- Thrust on bivoltine Sericulture
- Strengthening post cocoon sector
- Increase income to farmers / reelers.

### 2.3 Brief history of public authority and context of its information

Sericulture subject was dealt with by the department of Industries and Commerce till 1979. Because of the changing scenario and increase in silk demand in the State as well as in the country, separate department namely Sericulture Department was formed, headed by an I.A.S., Officer, with Headquarters at Salem and started functioning from April 1979.

## 2.4 Duties of the Public authority

- 1) To increase the silk production by strengthening and monitoring the schemes implemented for the benefit of the stake holders of the Sericulture Industry.
- 2) Assisting farmers, reelers and grainages to increase their productivity and income.
- 3) Transfer of technologies.

## 2.5 Main activities / functions of the Public authority

Expansion of acreage under mulberry thereby to increase the production of silk by strengthening and monitoring the forward and backward linkages.

2.6. List of Services being provided by the public authority with a brief write-up on them.

- (i) Implementing the policies of Government with reference to Sericulture activities.
- (ii) Coordinating and collaborating with the Central Silk Board and other Agencies to strengthen the growth of the Sericulture Industry in the State.
- (iii) Formulating the projects to transfer the Technologies from the Research Stations to stakeholders.

**Pre-cocoon**

1. Providing technologies by means of training to the farmers, reelers and silkworm seed producers.
2. Facilitating by arranging and selecting the seed materials to the farms.
3. Facilitating by arranging silkworm eggs to the farms.
4. Crop inspection and providing garden for the successful cocoon harvest.
5. Crop protection
6. Carry out disinfection and made availability of bed disinfectants
7. Arranging marketing support to farms reelers and private grainages.
8. Project formulation.
9. Transfer of Technology with the help of R & D.
10. Sale production of cocoon, silk and eggs.
11. Assisting in availing Bank loan and subsidy.
12. Disease Control Memorandum.

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- 2.8 Expectation of the public authority from the public for enhancing its effectiveness and efficiency.

The Adoption of technologies by the stakeholders to produce the international gradable quality raw silk.

2.9. Arrangements and methods made for seeking public participation / contribution.

- (i) Conducting regular workshops, seminars, group discussions, exhibitions, field days for seeking public participation.
- (ii) Public participation is in the functioning of cocoon and silk marketing through marketing committees.
- (iii) Involvement of private entrepreneurs in reeling, twisting seed production and farmers in silkworm rearing.

2.10. Mechanism available for monitoring the service delivery and public grievance resolution.

Services are extended to the stakeholders through the extension Asst. Directors and Technical Service Centres.

The grass root level functionaries working under the Extension Asst. Directors through Technical Service Centres bounds field services and also get the feed back of the public to the higher authorities to redress their grievances. People can seek higher authorities on any working days and submit / present their grievances.

- 2.11. Address of the main office and other offices at different levels.  
(Please categorise the addresses district wise for facilitating the understanding by the user).

**MAIN OFFICE**

- 1) Commissioner,  
Department of Sericulture,  
Foulke's Compound, \  
Anaimedu,  
SALEM-1.

**SUBORDINATE OFFICES**

- 2) **Regional Joint Director of Sericulture,**  
Vidhya Nagar,  
Thindal Medu,  
ERODE-638 009.
- 3) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
District Sericulture Complex,  
Anaimedu,  
SALEM-636 001.
- 4) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Vidhya Nagar,  
Thindal Medu,  
ERODE-638 009.
- 5) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Thalavadi Post,  
Sathyamangalam Taluk,  
ERODE DISTRICT-638 461.
- 6) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Large Scale Silk Farm, Madhahally,  
Mallanguli (Post) , (via) Talavady,  
ERODE RMS,  
PIN-638 461.
- 7) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
50, Cornwallis Road,  
Coonoor,  
NILGIRIS DISTRICT.

- 8) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Door No.4, Nehru Street,  
Udumalpet-642 126,  
COIMBATORE DISTRICT.
- 9) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
District Sericulture Centre,  
8/52, Balasundaram Street,  
COIMBATORE-641 018.
- 10) **Regional Joint Director of Sericulture,**  
Door No.20, Second Cross |Street,  
Appavu Nagar,  
DHARMAPURI-636 701.
- 11) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Krishnagiri Main Road,  
Near Four Roads,  
DHARMAPURI-636 701.
- 12) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Paruvadanahalli,  
Nullahalli,  
B.Agraharam Post,  
Pennagaram-636 813,  
DHARMAPURI DISTRICT.
- 13) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Bangalore Road,  
KRISHNAGIRI-635 001.
- 14) **Asst. Director of Sericulture (Grainage),**  
Bangalore Road,  
KRISHNAGIRI-635 001.
- 15) **Deputy Director of Sericulture,**  
**(Seed Organisation Programme),**  
**Post Box No.31,**  
**HOSUR-635 109.**
- 16) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
P3 Seed Station,  
Kalkondapalli-635 114,  
KRISHNAGIRI DISTRICT.

- 17) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
P2 Seed Farm,  
Uddanapalli-635 119,  
Hosur Taluk,  
KRISHNAGIRI DISTRICT.
- 18) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
(Seed Organisation Programme),  
Avalapalli (at Dinnur),  
HOSUR-635 109.
- 19) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Dinnur,  
HOSUR-635 109.
- 20) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
(Grainage), Dinnur,  
HOSUR-635 109.
- 21) **Principal / Deputy Director,**  
Sericulture Training Institute,  
Old Bangalore Road,  
HOSUR-635 109.
- 22) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
DENKANIKOTTAI-635 107.
- 23) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Large Scale Silk Farm,  
KOLLATTI,  
Bikkanapalli (Post),  
PIN-635 107.
- 24) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
District Sericulture Centre,  
Alangayam Koottu Road,  
Khaderpet, Anna Salai,  
VANIYAMBADI-635 751.
- 25) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
District Sericulture Centre,  
Kanchee Road,  
Vengikadu (Post),  
THIRUVANNAMALAI-606 604.

- 26) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Ellie Chatram Road,  
VILLUPURAM-605 401.
- 27) **Regional Deputy Director of Sericulture,**  
1278, 48<sup>th</sup> Street, Plot No.12,  
Chathuvachari,  
VELLORE-632 009.
- 28) **Deputy Director of Sericulture,**  
**Anna Silk Exchange,**  
**Sirukaveripakkam (Post),**  
**Vellore Main Road,**  
**KANCHEEPURAM-631 503.**
- 29) **Special Officer,**  
TANSILK,  
522, Gandhi Road,  
KANCHEEPURAM-631 501.
- 30) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
53, Gandhi Nagar,  
Mohanur Road,  
NAMAKKAL-637 002.
- 31) **Regional Deputy Director of Sericulture,**  
No.6, VOC Road,  
TRICHY-620 001.
- 32) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
No.6, VOC Road,  
TRICHY-620 001.
- 33) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
District Sericulture Centre,  
Palani Road,  
DINDIGUL-624 002.
- 34) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
L.5, Bodaenthipuram Cross,  
veerapandi Post,  
THENI DISTRICT.
- 35) **Regional Deputy Director of Sericulture,**  
10, First Floor, Chinnachockikulam,  
Lala Rajapathirai Road, MADURAI-625 002.
- 36) **Asst. Director of Sericulture,**  
Post Box No.7,  
TENKASI-627 811.

2.12. Morning hours of the office : 10.00 a.m. weekly days.

Closing hours of the office: 5.45 p.m. weekly days.

Saturday and Sunday – Holidays.