

## Assistance for Introduction of Hand Driven Chaff Cutter

<b>Objectives</b>	Reduce wastage of fodder by chopping and promote better utilization of fodder.
<b>Salient Features</b>	Members of Milk Federation, ATMA/ KVKs and farmers having upto 5 livestock will be assisted under the scheme for purchases of the hand driven chaff cutters provided they have not availed earlier this type of benefit from Central Govt. or State Govt./any other organization formed by the Govt.
<b>Pattern of financial assistance</b>	Assistance under the scheme will be provided as 75% Central Govt. as one time grant out of the total cost of Rs. 5000/- per unit or 75% cost of the chaff cutters, whichever is less. Balance 25% funds are to be met by the beneficiaries. Adequate number of woman, SC/ST beneficiaries may be covered. Balance 25% share to be met by the beneficiaries.
<b>Beneficiaries</b>	Farmers and Members of Milk Cooperatives/ ATMA/ KVKs.
<b>Implementing agency</b>	Milk Federation, Department of Animal Husbandry, KVKs/ATMA.