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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE & FARMERS' EMPOWERMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 14th March 2023

No. 5901—DAFE-AFE-FE-0130/2022-Ag.&FE.—The following Agriculture District Officers (ADO)/ Deputy Directors of Agriculture (DDA) are promoted to the rank of Chief District Agriculture Officer (CDAO) / Joint Director of Agriculture (JDA), Level-II on *ad hoc* basis in the Pay Scale of Level-13 of the Pay Matrix under ORSP Rules, 2017 for a period not exceeding one year or till receipt of the recommendation of the OPSC or till retirement of the officers, whichever is earlier. This *ad hoc* promotion is subject to the concurrence of the OPSC on their earlier *ad hoc* promotion to the rank of ADO/DDA. If the OPSC do not agree to concur the earlier *ad hoc* promotion of any of the following officers, he will be reverted to the lower grade of the cadre.

Such promotion shall be subject to the final outcome of WP(C) Nos.16909/2016, 16911/2016, 16622/2016, 16376/2016 & other related cases, if any.

On promotion to the rank of Chief District Agriculture Officer (CDAO)/Joint Director of Agriculture (JDA), Level-II, they are posted against the existing vacancy in the officers as noted against each below :—

| Sl. No. | Name | Present place of posting as ADO/DDA | Place of posting on promotion to CDAO |
|---------|-------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) |
| 1 | Shri Bhubaneswar Jena | DDA(Fertiliser), DA&FP(O) Bhubaneswar. | CDAO, Kendrapara |
| 2 | Shri Niranjan Mohapatra | ADO, Digapahandi, Ganjam | CDAO, Jagatsinghpur |

The officers on promotion have been posted to critical vacancies as per the requirements of the field. Therefore, officers must join in their new place of posting immediately.

By order of the Governor

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