

Government Subsidies for Coconut Rehabilitation

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Coconut Cultivation Board

Government grants financial assistance for improvement of Sri Lanka's major plantation crops and for their proper maintenance. Government has also increased grants for coconut as from 1st January 1984, and these are implemented by the Coconut Cultivation Board.

When services of the Coconut Cultivation Board are required by you please contact

the nearest Regional Office of your area or the Coconut Development Officer. The necessary details, advice and relevant application forms can be obtained from them. The list of Regional Offices and the Coconut Development Officers attached to various areas are appended below.

Nature of Subsidy	Total Amount per Acre	1st instal- ment	2nd instal- ment	3rd instal- ment	4th instal- ment
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. New Planting	4,650/-	1,600/-	600/-	600/-	1,850/-
2. (a) Re-Planting	4,860/-	2,250/-	500/-	500/-	1,610/-
(b) Under Planting	4,860/-	1,500/-	750/-	750/-	1,860/-
3. Pasture	800/-	400/-	400/-	—	—
4. Cocoa	2,250/-	1,050/-	650/-	550/-	—
5. Coffee	2,125/-	1,200/-	550/-	375/-	—
6. Pepper	2,625/-	1,750/-	525/-	350/-	—
7. Lands less than 1 Acre in extent: For planting a seedling	50/-	15/-	10/-	10/-	15/-
8. Rehabilitation of Coconut lands:					
For opening contour drains			...Rs. 55/-	per chain	
Drainage drains			...Rs. 25/-	per chain	
Removal of excess palms			...Rs. 50/-	per palm removed	
Removal of dud palms			...Rs. 50/-	per palm removed	
Filling vacancies with Seedlings			...Rs. 10/-		
Husk burying :					
Lands with contour drains, husk pits 8'×4'×3' 15 pits per acre				... Rs. 500/-	
Lands without contour drains, husk pits 8'×4'×3' 30 pits per acre				... Rs. 1000/-	

Establishment of Cover crops :

Cover crops should be started on bunds of contour drains and on husk pits.

Regional Office	District	Nursery	Fertilizer Stores
1. 22, Gajaba Mawatha, Gampaha.	Gampaha	Kirindiwela	Negombo-Kirindiwela, Veyangoda.
2. 286, Bandaranayake Mawatha, Kegalle.	Kegalle	Eraminigolla Mattumagoda	Rabukkana
3. 163, Main Street, Ratnapura.	Ratnapura	Embilipitiya	Embilipitiya
4. 105, C 1/1, Matara Road, Galle.	Galle	Koggala	Ambalangoda Galle
5. 47, Gregory Road, Kalutara South, Kalutara.	Kalutara	Korosduwa	Kalutara
6. 43, Wilgoda Road, Kurunegala.	Polgahawela Wariyapola Maho Galgamuwa Dambadeniya Kathpathuwa Mawatagama W. Giribawa—D. R. O. Divisions in Kurunegala District	Polgahawela Ibbagamuwa Nikaweratiya Dambadeniya Dodangaslanda Wariyapola	Vehera
7. 20, Pannala Road, Kuliyaipitiya.	Kuliyaipitiya Bingiriya Pannala Hettipola Kobbeigane DRO Divisions	Bingiriya Diyadora Estate Hettipola Katugampola	Bingiriya Kuliyaipitiya Mahayaya
8. Mudukatuwa, Marawila.	Puttalam	Kirimetiya Wilpota Attavillu	Chilaw, Mundel Nattandiya Dankotuwa Marawila
9. 216/2, Dharmapala Mawatha, Matara.	Matara	Hakmana Weligama	Matara
10. 13, Terrace Street, Hambantota.	Hambantota	Medam lana	Mulkirigala
11. Mylambavely, Chenkaladi.	Batticaloa	Mylambavely	Mylambavely
12. Wedikumbura Road, Moneragala.	Moneragala	Welipitiya Estate (Nannapurawa)	Welipitiya

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13. New Town, Polonnaruwa.	Polonnaruwa	Polonnaruwa	Polonnaruwa
14. 600/44, Air Port Road, Anuradhapura.	Anuradhapura Trincomalee	Kalawewa Kamburumaddi	II Stage Anuradhapura
15. Agrarian Services Centre, Kilinochchi.	Mannar Jaffna Mulativu	Kilinochchi Alampil	Pallai
16. Senator Building, D. S. Senanayake Mawatha, Ampara.	Ampara	Uhana Kaliodai	Uhana Kaliodai
17. 86, Vihara Mawatha, Matale.	Matale Nuwara Eliya Kandy	Pallekelle	—
18. Y. M. B. A. Building, Colombo I.	Colombo	—	—