

National Farmers Welfare Programme Implementation Society

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A National Farmer's Welfare Programme Implementation Society has been registered in December 2019 to **operate certain Central Sector Schemes related to farmers' welfare including PM-KISAN.**

About the NFWPI society

- It has been registered under the Societies Registration Act and it will run as an independent unit with the agriculture secretary as the chairman.
- The society is free to hire resources for running schemes and the central government will bear all the administrative costs.
- It has been **mandated to develop database of farmers and run all the direct benefit transfer(DBT) schemes**