

## **Bhavantar Bharpai Yojana**

## Why in News?

The Chief Minister of Haryana announced that the state will now extend **Bhavantar Bharpai Yojana** benefits to **potato growers**. This decision will **shield farmers from price fluctuations and ensure essential financial assistance.** 

## **Key Points**

- Disbursement of Financial Assistance:
  - The government has successfully disbursed an amount of Rs 46.34 crore to farmers for the year 2023-24 under the scheme.
- About Bhavantar Bharpai Yojana:
  - The Haryana government launched this scheme to protect farmers from financial losses due to declining market prices.
  - The scheme covers 21 horticultural crops, including:
    - 5 fruit crops
    - 14 vegetable crops
    - 2 spice crops
- Current Registration and Assistance:
  - 3,15,614 farmers have registered 7,02,220 acres under the scheme.
  - The government has provided over Rs 110 crore in financial assistance to 24,385 farmers.
- Advisory for Potato Farmers:
  - Farmers have been advised to **store their potato crops in cold storage** if market prices fall to safeguard their produce and income.
- Process:
  - Farmers must register their crops on the "Meri Fasal Mera Byora" portal.
  - The Horticulture Department verifies the details before issuing benefits.
  - The scheme covers landowners, lessees, and tenants, ensuring broad-based farmer support.

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