

#### **Abstract**

Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu – Establishing 3 Centres of Excellence each at Srirangam, Tirunelveli and Erode – Sanctioned – Orders – Issued.

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## YOUTH WELFARE AND SPORTS DEVELOPMENT (S2) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms).No.8

Dated 22.01.2014 தை – 09 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2045

Read:

Letter No.6517/YI-2/2013, dated 31.05.2013 from the Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu.

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## **ORDER:**

During the Review meeting held on 18.03.2013 the Hon'ble Chief Minister has approved establishment of 3 more Centres for Excellence, one each at Srirangam, Tirunelveli and Erode. Subsequently, the Hon'ble Chief Minister has made an announcement under Rule 110 on the Floor of Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly in this regard and stated that Rs.90.00 lakhs as non-recurring expenditure and Rs.60.00 lakhs as recurring expenditure will be incurred for establishing these three centres.

- 2. In this connection, in the reference read above, the Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu has stated that Students studying in the Sports School / Sports Hostel and Sports Hostel of Excellence have participated in many International and National level competitions and have brought laurels to our State. As announced by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamilnadu during 2012-2013, two Centres of Excellence were established in Chennai for Boys and Girls and they are functioning successfully.
- 3. The Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu has further stated that likewise, this year (2013-2014) also, it is proposed to establish 3 more Centres of Excellence in Srirangam, Tirunelveli and Erode, by selecting young athletes by conducting a series of tests by a panel of experts. Selected children may be admitted in the best schools in the city and all required facilities may be provided to nurture their talents. Age group of trainees while joining the Centre of Excellence may be between 10 and 14 years. Talented trainees may be imparted systematic and scientific coaching to enhance their performance. They may also be trained to take part in National / International competitions and they may be retained in the

Centre of Excellence throughout their sporting career. If the performance of the trainees is not satisfactory, such trainees may be weeded out and fresh trainees included. The number may be maintained at 25 students on annual basis.

4. The Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu has further informed that the Hon'ble Chief Minister has made an announcement in the Assembly that the Dietary charges for all the Sports Hostels will be enhanced from Rs.75/- to 250/. Hence he has requested that the Dietary charges for the Sports Hostel of Excellence and Centre of Excellence may also be enhanced higher than the Sports Hostel or equivalent to the Sports Hostel i.e. Rs.250/-. He has furnished the tentative Budget estimate for establishing one Centre of Excellence as follows:-

(Rupees in lakhs)

SI.	Description	Expenditure	
No.		Recurring	Non-
		_	Recurring
1	Dietary Allowances @ Rs.250/-per day per	20.00	-
	student for 320days for 25 students		
2	Uniform per year(Rs.4000x25)	1.00	-
3	Sports Materials per year(Rs.4000x25)	1.00	-
4	Hostel Cook, Caretaker etc., Caretaker @	1.50	-
	Rs.7,500/- per month and Cook @		
	Rs.5,000/- per month		
5	Renovation of existing building and		18.00
	providing toilet facilities		
	Kitchen facilities and purchase of kitchen		5.00
	utensils		
	Gas room		4.00
	Purchase of cots, mattresses etc.		3.00
	Grand total	23.50	30.00
Summary of Budget			
1.	Recurring Expenditure for 3 Centre of Excellence		Rs.70.50
	(Rs.23.50 lakhs x 3)		
2.	Non-Recurring Expenditure for 3 Centre of Excellence		Rs.90.00
	(Rs.30.00 lakhs x 3)		

5. The Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu has therefore requested the Government to issue necessary order for establishment of Centres of excellence in 3 places viz., Srirangam, Tirunelveli and Erode by inducting 25 students in each centre. He has also requested for sanctioning a recurring expenditure of Rs.70.50 lakhs and non-recurring expenditure of Rs.90.00 lakhs for these three centres.

- 6. The Government after careful examination, establish 3 Centres of Excellence; one each at Srirangam, Tirunelveli and Erode by inducting 25 students in each centre and to sanction a recurring grant of Rs.70.50 lakhs (Rupees seventy lakhs and fifty thousand only) and a non-recurring grant of Rs.90.00 lakhs (Rupees ninety lakhs only) for the year 2013-14 for establishment of these three Centres of Excellence.
- 7. The expenditure sanctioned in para 6 above shall be debited to the following head of Account:-

"2204 – 00 Sports and Youth Services 104 - Sports and Games – Schemes in the TWELFTH Five Year Plan-II State Plan – JL Grants to Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu - 09. Grants-in-aid-03 Grants for Specific Schemes" (DPC 2204 00 104 JL 0938)"

- 8. The expenditure sanctioned above shall constitute an item of 'New Service' and approval of the Legislature will be obtained in the due course of time. Pending approval of the Legislature, the expenditure shall initially be met by an advance from the Contingency Fund, orders regarding which will be issued by the Government in Finance (BG-I) Department based on the application from the Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu in the prescribed format along with a copy of this order. He is also requested to send necessary draft explanatory notes for inclusion of the expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates for the year 2013-14 without fail.
- 9. The Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu shall determine the immediate requirement of funds out of total expenditure sanctioned above and apply for the Contingency Fund Advance as detailed above.
- 10. After the sanction of the Contingency Fund Advance, the Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu shall prepare the bill and present the same to the Pay and Accounts Officer, Secretariat, Chennai-9 through the Under Secretary to Government, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Chennai. The above sanctioned amount shall not be paid in cash and shall be credited into PD Account of Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu. (PD Account No.6184513932) by means of cheque under the following Head of account.

"K Deposits and Advances (B) Deposits not bearing interest-8443 00 Civil Deposits – 800 Other Deposits –CH Deposits of Sports Development Authority (DPC 8443 00 800 CH 000D)" Receipts

11. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.67446/Edn-1/2013, dated 27.11.2013 with Additional Sanction Ledger No.2152 (Two thousand one hundred and fifty two).

### (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

# Md.NASIMUDDIN PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

#### To

The Member Secretary,

Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu, Chennai-84.

The Accountant General (A&E), Chennai-18.

The Accountant General (Audit), Chennai-18.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (Secretariat), Chennai-9.

## Copy to:

The Fin (Edn-I/BG-I/BG-II) Department, Chennai-9.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-9.

The Special Personal Assistant to the Hon'ble Minister for Sports and Youth Welfare, Chennai-9.

The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government,

Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Chennai-9.

The Deputy Secretary / Under Secretary to Government,

Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, Chennai-9.

The Director, NIC, Chennai-9.

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