



ABSTRACT

Agriculture – Coconut – Thane Cyclone – Implementation of the project “Rejuvenation of affected coconut garden- Five years maintenance of replanted coconut seedlings” – Fourth year Maintenance at an outlay of Rs.326.4424 lakh during 2015-2016 – Financial sanction – Orders – Issued.

AGRICULTURE (H2) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No. 263

Dated: 24.11.2015
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2046
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Read:

1. G.O (D) No.12, Agriculture (AP1) Department, dated 23.01.2012.
2. G.O (Ms) No.47, Agriculture (H2) Department, dated 15.03.2012.
3. G.O.(Ms) No.52, Agriculture (H2) Department, dated 20.03.2013.
4. G.O.(Ms) No.232, Agriculture (H2) Department, dated 28.11.2013.
5. G.O.(Ms) No.150, Agriculture (H2) Department, dated 26.09.2014.

Read also:

6. Hon'ble Chief Minister's Announcement, dated 04.02.2012.
7. From the Director of Agriculture, Letter No.OPC3/ 13688/2012, dated 13.08.2015.

ORDER:-

The Hon'ble Chief Minister, on 04.02.2012 announced on the floor of the Assembly that, to rebuild the livelihood of 7,083 Coconut farmers affected by Thane Cyclone, Urea, Super Phosphate, Potash, Micro-Nutrients and Bio fertilizers required for farmers will be provided (From 2nd year to 5th year) for maintenance of replanted coconut seedlings at the rate of Rs.73,859/- per ha, at an outlay of Rs.1353 lakh.

2. Accordingly, orders were issued in Government Order first read above among other things, according financial sanction for a sum of Rs.80.15 lakh under National Agriculture Development Programme, for distribution of 3,20,600 Nos. of coconut seedlings for replanting. Subsequently, orders were also issued in Government Order second read above according administrative approval for implementation of the project “Rejuvenation of affected coconut garden-Five year Maintenance of replanted coconut seedlings” at an outlay of Rs.1353.112 lakh, from the year 2012-13.

3. In Government Order third read above order were issued according revised administrative approval for implementation of the project “Rejuvenation of affected coconut garden-Five year maintenance of replanted coconut seedlings”

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from the year 2013-14, at an outlay of Rs.1179.4048 lakh. The abstract of year-wise maintenance expenditure is as follows:-

Sl.No.	Year	Maintenance	Amount (Rs.in.lakh)
1	2013-14	2 nd year	221.1384
2	2014-15	3 rd year	263.2600
3	2015-16	4 th year	326.4424
4	2016-17	5 th year	368.5640
	Total		1179.4048

Consequent on the above, orders were issued in the Government Orders 4th & 5th read above according financial sanction for a sum of Rs. 221.1384 lakh and Rs. 263.2600 lakh for 2nd & 3rd year maintenance of coconut seedlings during 2013-2014 and 2014-15.

4. The Director of Agriculture in his letter seventh read above has now stated that the project "Rejuvenation of affected coconut garden-Five year maintenance of replanted coconut seedlings" has to be implemented from the year 2013-14 for 4 years ending in 2016-17 and requested the Government to accord necessary financial sanction for a sum of Rs. 326.4424 lakh for fourth year maintenance of Coconut seedlings during 2015-2016 under the project "Rejuvenation of affected coconut garden-Five years maintenance of replanted coconut seedlings". The Director of Agriculture has added that the above expenditure could not be met out from the existing Budget Estimate provision, hence the amount needed over and above the Budget provision has to be provided in Revised Estimate 2015-16.

5. The Government after careful consideration accept the proposal of Director of Agriculture and accord financial sanction for a sum of Rs. 3,26,44,240/- [Rupees Three Crores Twenty six lakhs Forty four Thousand two hundred and forty only] for fourth year maintenance of coconut seedlings during 2015-2016 under the project "Rejuvenation of affected coconut garden-Five year maintenance of replanted coconut seedlings".

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para 5 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

"2401-00-Crop Husbandry 108 Commercial crops – Schemes in the Twelfth Five year plan – II State Plan KV - Agricultural package for Rejuvenation of Coconut garden affected by Cyclone "THANE"-69 Procurement of Agricultural Inputs"
"(DPC-2401-00-108-KV-69 07)"

7. Necessary funds will be provided in Revised Estimate/Final Modified Appropriation 2015-2016. Pending provision of such funds, the Director of Agriculture is authorized to draw and disburse the expenditure sanctioned in para 5 above. However the expenditure should be brought to the notice of legislature by specific inclusion in the Supplementary Estimates 2015-2016. The Director of Agriculture is requested to include this item of expenditure while sending Revised Estimate/Final Modified Appropriation 2015-2016 proposal and necessary draft explanatory notes for inclusion in the Supplementary Estimates 2015-2016 to Government in Finance (B.G.I / Agriculture) Department without fail.

8. The Director of Agriculture is directed to send suitable proposal to Government, for further allocation of funds for implementation of the project in due course.

9. The Director of Agriculture is also directed to send the progress report indicating physical and financial achievements and details of unspent balance, if any to Government.

10. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No. 63266/Agriculture/2015, dated 23.11.2015 and Additional Sanction Ledger No. 1375 (One thousand three hundred and seventy five).

//BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR//

RAJESH LAKHONI
AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION COMMISSIONER
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To

The Director of Agriculture. Chennai -5.

The Principal Accountant General (G&SSA),(E&RSA), Chennai-18.

The Resident Audit Officer,

Office of the Principal Accountant General
(General social sector Audit), Chennai – 9.

The Accountant General, Chennai-18.

✓ The Accountant General, Chennai-18 (By name)

The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Chennai-8.

The Treasury Officers, Cuddalore and Villupuram.

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The Cha irman / District Collector,

Project Management Unit Cuddalore / Villupuram.

The District Collector, Cuddalore / Villupuram.

The Planning, Development and Special Initiatives Department,
Chennai-9.

The Finance (Agriculture / BGI / BGII) Department, Chennai-9.

The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Agriculture),
Chennai-9.

The Private Secretary to Agricultural Production Commissioner
and Secretary to Government, Agriculture Department, Chennai-9.

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Under Secretary to Government

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