



Abstract

Agriculture - Agricultural Engineering – Provision of 1000 Nos. of Solar Powered Pumping System up to capacity of 10HP to the farmers with 90 % subsidy assistance sanctioned for this scheme – Authorisation to utilize the unspent amount of Rs.2901.54 lakhs during 2018-19- Orders - Issued

Agriculture (AE1) Department

G.O.(Ms) No. 132

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Read:

- 1) Letter No.32/26/2017-18/PVSE dated 02.06.2017 of the Director/Scientist F, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, New Delhi addressed to Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency.
- 2) G.O.Ms.No.217 Agriculture (AE1) Department dated 31.08.2017.
- 3) G.O.Ms.No.239 Agriculture (AE.I) Department dated 22.08.2016
- 4) Government Letter (D)No.235 dated 11.09.2017 of Agriculture (AE1) Department, Secretariat, Chennai.
- 5) G.O. Ms. No.8 Agriculture (AE1) Department dated 10.1.2018.
- 6) Tamil Nadu Generation Development Corporation Board Proceedings NoCMD/ TANGEDCO No.324 dated 27.06.2017.
- 7) From Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) letter No.SC5/ 12498/2018 dated 09.04.2018

ORDER:

Hon'ble Chief Minister on the floor of Tamil Nadu legislative Assembly on 11.07.2017, have announced the programme of provision of 1000 Nos. of solar powered pumping system up to capacity of 10 HP to the farmers with 90 % subsidy, under rule 110.

2) In the Government Order 2nd read above orders have been issued for administrative sanction for a total outlay of Rs. 49.90 crore for provision of 1000 Nos. of Solar powered pumping systems with 90% subsidy assistance for the year 2017-18. Further financial sanction has been accorded for 60% of total cost i.e., **Rs. 29.94 Crore** (Rs. 21.44 crore under State Fund head and Rs.8.50 Crore under New

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and Renewable Energy head) for the year 2017-18, 30% share of Tamil Nadu Generation Development Corporation to the tune of Rs.14.97 crore is to be provided by TANGEDCO .

3) The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has reported that due to delay on the receipt of permission from Ministry of New and Renewable Energy , the tender were finished and rates were approved during January 2018, and letter of acceptance to the companies were issued during February 2018. As on 31-03-2018, 1099 beneficiaries were identified, 820 beneficiaries were approved by Tamil Nadu Generation Development Corporation and work orders were issued to the empanelled companies for 596 Nos. after carrying out techno feasibility survey and 64 nos. of solar powered pumps were installed, mobilization of materials and works are under progress for the remaining numbers for which work orders issued. The payment was effected to 27 Nos of companies, the contribution of identified beneficiaries are being received for the issue of balance work orders and the prescribed target of 1000 Nos. of solar pumps will be installed before 30.06.2018.

4) The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has also stated that an amount of Rs.2994.00 lakhs has been sanctioned for the implementation of 1000 Nos. of solar pumps during 2017-18, and an amount of Rs.92.46 lakhs have been spent during the year 2017-18. Hence, an amount of Rs.2901.54 lakhs has been required during the year 2018-19, for the installation of 936 Nos. of solar pumps and payment to be effected for 973 Nos. of solar pumps during the year 2018-19.

5) The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) has requested to issue necessary authorization orders for the implementation of the scheme provision of solar powered pumping system up to capacity of 10HP to the farmers with 90% subsidy, during 2018-19, by utilizing an amount of Rs.2901.54 lakhs, from the unspent surrendered amount originally sanctioned for the programme vide G.O.(Ms) No.217 Agriculture (AE1) Department, dated 31.08.2017, with necessary budget provision made in Budget Estimation 2018-19, and he may be authorized to draw and incur the expenditure of the scheme.

6) The Government after careful examination accept the proposal of Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) and permit him to incur the expenditure of Rs.2901.54 lakhs (Rupees twenty nine crore one lakh and fifty four thousand only), the amount which was surrendered during 2017-18 for the implementation of solar powered pumping system up to capacity of 10HP to the farmers with 90% subsidy, during 2018-19, from the surrendered unspent amount, already sanctioned in G.O.(Ms).No.217 Agriculture (AE1) department, dated 31.08.2017.

7) The expenditure sanctioned in para 6 above shall be debited under the following head of account:

New and Renewable Energy Head:

2810-New and Renewable Energy-02 Solar-800 Other Expenditure-Central Sector Schemes-SA-New and Renewable Energy scheme-11 subsidies-01 individual Based subsidy

(DPC 2810-02-800-SA-1116) : Rs. 827.45 lakhs

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State Fund Head:

2402-00-Soil and water conservation-102 Soil Conservation-State Expenditure KA-Provision of solar powered pumping system-11 subsidies 01-Individual Based subsidy (DPC 2402-00-102-KA-1110) :Rs. 2074.09 lakhs

8) The Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) is permitted to draw and disburse the amount authorized in para 6 above.

9) This orders issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.20096/Agriculture /2018, dated:16.05.2018

//BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR//

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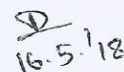
Chief Engineer (Agricultural Engineering) ,Chennai-35
The Director of Agriculture, Chennai-5
The Director of Horticulture and Plantation Crops, Chennai-5.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-35.
Treasury Officers/Sub treasury Officers concerned,
The Commissioner of Treasuries and Accounts, Chennai-15.
The Principal Accountant General (Audit)), Chennai-18.
The Resident Audit Officer, O/o the Principal Accountant General
(General and Social Sector Audit), Secretariat, Chennai-9.

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The Finance (Agri/BG-II) Department, Chennai-9.
The Director, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India,
The Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Chennai-9,
The Registrar of Co-operative societies, Chennai-10.
The Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-9.
The Agriculture (B&P)/(AP1) Department, Chennai-9.
The Senior Private Secretary to Agricultural Production Commissioner
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