



ABSTRACT

Announcements made in the Governor's Address on 2-1-2019 - Distribution of Cash Support of Rs.1,000/- per family for all family cardholders in the entire State except Thiruvavarur District through Fair Price Shops for the celebration of Pongal 2019 - Orders - Issued.

COOPERATION, FOOD & CONSUMER PROTECTION (D1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(2D) No. 1

Dated: 04 .01.2019

திருவள்ளூர்வராண்டு 2049
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Announcements made in the Governor's address on 2-1-2019.

ORDER :

Announcements made in the Governor's Address on 02.01.2019, Honourable Chief Minister has announced, that

" this Government will give a cash support of Rs.1000/- per family for the celebration of Pongal Festival which will be applicable for the entire State except Thiruvavarur District where the Model Code of Conduct is in force, in view of the by-election to Thiruvavarur Assembly Constituency. "

2. Pursuant to the above announcement, it is proposed to give cash support of Rs.1,000/- (Rupees One Thousand only) to the 1,97,98,102 family cardholders except Thiruvavarur District through fair price shops. The expenditure towards the distribution of above cash support for Pongal Festival 2019 to 1,97,98,102 family cardholders works out to Rs.1979,81,02,000/-(Rupees One thousand Nine hundred and Seventy nine crore Eighty one lakh and Two thousand Only).

3. The Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation may be appointed as nodal agency for distribution of cash support for Pongal Festival 2019. Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation will also release advance to the respective societies.

4. All District Collectors except Chennai District will be fully responsible to implement the distribution of the cash support of Rs.1,000/- per family for Pongal festival 2019 well in advance. In case of Chennai District the Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection Department will be fully responsible to implement the distribution of Cash Support of Rs.1,000/- per family for the Pongal Festival 2019 well in advance and will coordinate with the Additional Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Chennai Region, the Deputy Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection of North and South Zone, Senior Regional Manager, North and South of Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation.

5. Accordingly the Government sanctioned a sum of Rs.1979,81,02,000/- (Rupees One thousand Nine hundred and Seventy nine crore Eighty one lakh and Two thousand Only) to Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection Department to distribute the cash support of Rs.1,000/- per family for Pongal Festival 2019 which will be applicable to the 1,97,98,102 family cardholders of the entire state except Thiruvarur district where the Model Code of Conduct is in force, in view of the by-election to Thiruvarur Assembly Constituency. However Rs.1800 Crores is released immediately and the balance required fund will be incurred by Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation and claimed later from Government based on the actual expenditure. The Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation may be directed to release advance to the respective Cooperative Societies for distribution of Cash Support of Rs.1,000/- for Pongal Festival 2019.

6. The amount sanctioned in para 5 above shall be debited to the following head of account "3456-00 CIVIL SUPPLIES 103. Consumer Subsidies I. Non Plan AE. Social Safety Net - Food Security - PDS support 11. Subsidies 02. General Subsidy (DPC 3456 00 103 AE 1123)".

7. Necessary additional funds of Rs.1800.00 Crore will be provided in RE/FMA 2018-2019. However, this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of the Legislature by Specific Inclusion in the Supplementary Estimate 2018-2019. Pending provision of such funds, the Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection Department is authorized to draw and disburse the amount to the Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation sanctioned in para 5 above. She is also directed to include this item of expenditure while sending the budget proposal for RE/FMA 2018-19 and also send necessary draft explanatory note for inclusion of this

expenditure in the Supplementary Estimate 2018-19 to Government in Finance (BG.I/CF&CP)Department at the appropriate time without fail.

8. The Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection Department is instructed to obtain the Utilisation Certificate from the Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation for the actual disbursement of Cash Support of Rs.1,000/- for Pongal Festival 2019 and the same submitted to Government immediately.

9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 554/Fin(CF&CP)/2019, dated 04.01.2019 and the Additional Sanction Ledger No. is 2427 (Two thousand Four hundred and twenty Seven).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

DAYANAND KATARIA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection, Chennai – 600 005.
The Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation, Chennai-600 010
The Registrar of Cooperative Societies, Chennai 600 010.
All District Collectors.
The Joint Registrar (Cooperative Societies), Chennai-600 010
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai-600 018
The Accountant General (Audit), Chennai-600 018
The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Chennai-600 005.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (North), Chennai-600 001.
The Public and Rehabilitation Department, Chennai-600 009.

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The Senior Private Secretary to Principal Secretary, Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Chennai – 600 009.
The Finance (B.Coord)/(BG.1)/(BG2)/CF&CP/ (L&A Cell) Department, Chennai-600 009.
The National Informatics Centre, Secretariat, Chennai-600 009.
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