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Letter (1D) No.135, Dated 05.08.2024

From

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Principal Secretary to Government.

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD),
Chennai-32.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and
Chief Wildlife Warden,
Chennai-32.

The Treasury Officer concerned.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (South),
Chennai-600 035.

Sir/Madam,

Sub: Forests – Wildlife TANII 2022-23 - State Innovation Fund -
"Development of Bilingual mobile application for identifying
terrestrial and marine fauna as an aiding tool for prevention
and control of wildlife crimes in Tamil Nadu - Sanctioned –
Authorization to incur the expenditure during 2024-2025 –
Issued.

Ref: 1. G.O.(2D)No.294, Environment, Climate Change and
Forests (FR.5) Department, dated 15.12.2022.
2. G.O.(D) No.170, Environment, Climate Change and
Forests (FR.5) Department, dated 01.09.2023
3. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(HoD) letter No.J3/23011/2021, dated 07.05.2024.

In the reference first cited, the Government have accorded Administrative Sanction to the tune of Rs.25.44 lakh for a period of 2 years from 2022-2023 to 2023-2024 for Development of Bilingual mobile application for identifying terrestrial and marine fauna as an aiding tool for prevention and control of wildlife crimes in Tamil Nadu under TANII.

2. In the reference second cited, the Government have accorded administrative and financial sanction to the project "Development of Bilingual mobile application for identifying terrestrial and marine fauna as an aiding tool for prevention and control of wildlife crimes in Tamil Nadu" for the year 2023-2024 at a cost of Rs.22.51 lakh (Rupees Twenty two lakh and fifty one thousand only) under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII). The details are as follows:-

Sl.No.	Year	Amount (Rs.)
1.	Unspent balance pertaining to 2022-2023	11,03,750
2.	Sanction to implement the scheme during 2023-2024	11,47,000
	Total	22,50,750

3. In the reference third cited, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD) has requested the Government to issue re-validation order to incur the unspent balance amount of Rs.11,43,314/- pertaining to 2023-24, to be utilized during 2024-2025 for "Development of Bilingual mobile application for identifying terrestrial and marine fauna as an aiding tool for prevention and control of wildlife crimes in Tamil Nadu". He has furnished the Utilization Certificate and Progress report for the year 2023-2024.

4. After careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD), the Government accord authorization for the unspent amount of Rs.11,43,314/- (Rupees Eleven lakh forty three thousand three hundred and fourteen only) as final instalment for Development of Bilingual mobile application for identifying terrestrial and marine fauna as an aiding tool for prevention and control of wildlife crimes in Tamil Nadu for the year 2023-2024 to be utilized during 2024-2025.

5. The amount sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

"2406 - Forestry and wildlife - 02 - Environmental Forestry and wildlife - 110 -Wildlife Preservation - State's Expenditure - AU "Development of Bilingual mobile application for identifying terrestrial and marine fauna as an aiding tool for prevention and control of wildlife crimes in Tamil Nadu" under State Innovation Fund – 309 - Grants-in-aid - 03 Grants for Specific Schemes “.

(IFHRMS DPC : 2406-02-110-AU-30903)

(ii) The expenditure shall be met from the State Innovation Fund by deducting under the following head of account;

"2406 - Forestry and wildlife - 02 - Environmental Forestry and wildlife - 902 – Deduct – Amount – met from State Innovation Fund - State's Expenditure – JA Deduct – Amount met from State Innovation Fund – 330 – Inter Account Transfers – 01 Inter Account Transfer”

(IFHRMS DPC : 2406 02 902 JA 33001)

and Contra – debiting the following fund account:

“J reserve Fund – (b) Reserve Fund not bearing interest 8229 – 00 – Development and Welfare Fund – 200 – Other Development and Welfare Fund – BE – State Innovation Fund – 802 – Outgo – 02 – Not Bearing Interest”.

(DPC : 8229 00 200 BE 80202) (Outgo)

6. Necessary additional funds of Rs.11,43,314/- will be provided in RE/FMA 2024-2025. Pending provision of such funds, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD), Chennai-32 is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para-2 above. However, this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of the Legislature by way of **Specific Inclusion** in the Supplementary Estimates 2024-2025. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD) is directed to include this item of expenditure while sending the Budget proposal for RE/FMA 2024-2025 and also send draft explanatory note for inclusion of the expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates 2024-2025 to the Government in Finance (ECC&F/BG-I) Department at an appropriate time without fail.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O.No.608/Fin(ECC&F)Dept/2024, dated 29.07.2024 and ASL No.0485 (Four hundred and eighty five) (IFHRMS ASL No.2024070485)

Yours faithfully,

P. Selvi
5-8-24

for Principal Secretary to Government

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The Accountant General-I/II, 361, Anna Salai, Chennai-18.
The Finance (ECC&F / BG-I/ BG-II/ W.M.-1) Department,
Chennai-9.
SF/SCs.

