



ABSTRACT

Forests – Implementing Tree Transplanting Technology – Reimbursement of a sum of Rs. 26.00 lakh for the years 2018-19 and 2019-2020 – Sanction Orders - Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, CLIMATE CHANGE AND FORESTS (FR.6) DEPARTMENT

G.O. (D) No. 216

Dated: 14.11.2023

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Read:

1. G.O (D) No.13, Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department, dated 11.01.2018
2. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Letter No.C2/29167/2017, dated 23.07.2021
3. Government letter No.12331/FR.6/2021-5, dated 01.08.2022
4. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Letter No. C2/29167/2017, dated 11.11.2022

ORDER:-

In the G.O 1st read above, administrative sanction was accorded for a sum of Rs.1.00 crore for a period of three years from 2017-2018 to 2019-2020, as detailed below for implementing the scheme "Tree Transplanting Technology". A sum of Rs.74.00 lakh was also released from the year 2017-2018 for procurement of machineries, equipments and operation under the scheme.

Details of work	Financial Year	Sanctioned Amount (Rs. in Lakh)
Procurement of machineries and equipments and operation	2017-2018	74.00
Procurement of equipments and operation	2018-2019	13.00
Procurement of equipments and operation	2019-2020	13.00
	Total	100.00

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests in the reference letter 2nd read above has furnished a proposal seeking necessary financial sanction for a sum of Rs.26.00 lakh (i.e. Rs.13.00 lakh for the year 2018-19 and Rs.13.00 lakh for the year

2019-2020) under the scheme "Tree Transplanting Technology". The breakup details for the cost of Rs.26.00 lakh are as follows:-

Sl. No.	Name of works	Cost involved during the financial year (Rs. in lakh)	
		2018-2019	2019-2020
1.	Fuel and maintenance of Bobcat Tree transplanting Machine	2.75	4.00
2.	Fuel and maintenance of Tractor water tanker and trailer	1.00	1.50
3.	Wages for operator of Bobcat	1.20	1.40
4.	Wages for Tractor driver	1.20	1.40
5.	Doosan Bobcat attachment – Bob tech Bachoe for Bobcat SSL Model 5650 machine	6.85	0.00
6.	Supply of shade net, gunny bags rooting, chemicals vermin-castingsciculture, bill hooks hand saws etc.	0.000	4.70
	Total	13.00	13.00
	Grand Total	Rs. 26.00	

3. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests have decided to sanction a sum of Rs.26.00 lakh (Rs.13.00 lakh pertaining to year 2018-19 + Rs.13.00 lakh pertaining to the year 2019-20) under the scheme "Tree Transplanting Technology", subject to the following conditions:-

- (i) A detailed Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for transplanting trees with expected survival has to be submitted to Government based on the experience gained while transplanting 1800 odd trees in last 3 years.
- (ii) Based on the above Standard Operating Procedure (SOP), private players & other Government Departments & Agencies may also transplant trees with required permissions.
- (iii) The Bobcat purchased along with attachment may also be rented out to Urban Local Bodies/ Rural Local Bodies / Private for better utilization
- (iv) No further maintenance & fuel and other charges except agreed now shall be sought for subsequent years.

4. The expenditure sanctioned at Para 3 above shall be debited to the following Head of Account:-

4406 - CAPITAL OUTLAY ON FORESTRY AND WILD LIFE -
01 FORESTRY - 070 Communication and Building - State's
Expenditure - AB Tree Transplanting Technology - 416 Major
Works - 01 Major Works.
(DPC: 4406 01 070 AB 41601)

5. Necessary funds of Rs.26,00,000/- will be provided in RE/FMA 2023-2024. Pending provision of such funds, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai-32 is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 3 above. However, this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of the Legislature by Specific Inclusion in the Supplementary Estimate 2023- 2024. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force) is also directed to include this item of expenditure while sending the Budget proposal for RE/FMA 2023-2024 and also send draft explanatory note for inclusion of the expenditure in the Supplementary Estimate 2023- 2024 to Government in Finance (ECC&F/BG-1) Department without fail.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O No. 27148/Fin(ECC&F) Dept/23, Dated. 01.08.2023

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**SUPRIYA SAHU
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The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force) Chennai-32.

The Accountant General, Chennai-18.

The concerned Treasury Office

Through the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-32.

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