



ABSTRACT

Announcement – Construction of Eye Wards with Eye Operation Theatres in the Government Hospitals at Aathur, Aranthangi, Arakonam, Paramakudi and Kovilpatti – Administrative sanction - Accorded – Orders – Issued.

Health and Family Welfare (EAP II-1) Department

G.O(Ms) No.19

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Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2052

Read:

From the Mission Director, National Health Mission, letter Ref. No.5549/NHM/S/2021, dated: 19.07.2021, 21.10.2021 and 03.11.2021.

ORDER:

During the Assembly Session 2021 - 22, the Hon'ble Minister for Health and Family Welfare has made the following announcement in the Floor of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Announcement No.40:-

"இராணிப்பேட்டை மாவட்டம்- அரக்கோணம், புதுக்கோட்டை மாவட்டம் - அறந்தாங்கி, இராமநாதபுரம் மாவட்டம்- பரமகுடி மற்றும் சேலம் மாவட்டம்- ஆத்தூர் அரசு மருத்துவமனைகள், தூத்துக்குடி மாவட்டம்- கோவில்பட்டி மாவட்ட தலைமை அரசு மருத்துவமனை ஆகியவற்றில் கண் அறுவை சிகிச்சை அரங்கங்கள் தலா ரூபாய் 70 இலட்சம் செலவில் மொத்தம் ரூபாய் 3.50 கோடி செலவில் புதிதாக அமைக்கப்படும்.

மேலும், திருவள்ளூர், தென்காசி, திருப்பத்தூர், பெரியகுளம், ஆற்காடு, ஸ்ரீரங்கம், மேட்டூர், பத்மநாபபுரம் ஆகிய மாவட்ட அரசு மருத்துவமனைகளுக்கு ரூபாய் 2.20 கோடி செலவில் ஆப்தால்மோஸ்கோப் (Ophthalmoscope), ரெட்டினோஸ்கோப் போன்ற நவீன கண் சிகிச்சை உபகரணங்கள் வழங்கப்படும்".

3. Now, the Mission Director, National Health Mission in his letter read above, has stated that, a detailed proposal has been included in PIP 2021-22 for providing dedicated Eye Wards with Eye Operation Theatres to strengthen the Ophthalmic Wing of the Government Hospitals with a view to bringing down the incidence of Blindness to less than 0.1% in the State and for implementation of Blindness Control Programmes under National Health Mission. The same was approved in ROP 2021-22 as detailed below:-

Sl. No.	Name of the Institutes	District	Amount (Rs. in lakh)
1.	District Head Quarters Hospital, Athur	Salem	60
2.	District Head Quarters Hospital, Kovilpatti	Thoothukudi	60

3.	Sub District Hospital, Paramakudi	Ramanathapuram	60
4.	Sub District Hospital, Aranthangi	Pudukottai	60
5.	Sub District Hospital, Arakonam	Ranipet	60
	Total		300

Besides, it is decided to provide additional funds of Rs.50 lakh for the construction of Dedicated Eye ward with Eye Operation Theatres in District Head Quarters Hospital, Palani and Sub District Hospital, Thiruchendur, which are dealt with separately. He has stated that, the above proposal was also approved by the 41st Executive Committee of National Health Mission -Tamil Nadu.

4. The Mission Director, National Health Mission has also stated that, the Engineer in Chief (Buildings) and Chief Engineer (Buildings), Public Works Department informed that the buildings are to be constructed, adapting the approved uniform type design and furnished the detailed estimates based on the Schedule of Rates for the year 2021-22 and authenticated by Public Works Department and countersigned by the concerned User Institutions / Departments. Hence, he has forwarded the detailed estimate for constructing Eye Operation Theatres Wards with Operation Theatre in Sub District Hospital, Arakonam, Ranipet district . Further the Mission Director, National Health Mission has stated that a sum of Rs.300 lakh has been remitted into Government Account vide challan No.388, dated 25.10.2021 and 407, dated 03.01.2022 for construction of the above said buildings and requested the Government to issue necessary orders.

5. The Government after careful examination have decided to accept the above proposal of the Mission Director, National Health Mission and accordingly do and hereby issue the following orders.

- i. The Mission Director, National Health Mission is permitted to construct Eye Wards with Eye Operation Theaters in the following 5 Government Hospitals at the total cost of Rs. 300 lakh at the rate of Rs.60 lakh each as per the approval issued in ROP 2021-22.

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1.	District Head Quarters Hospital, Athur	Salem	60
2.	District Head Quarters Hospital, Kovilpatti	Thoothukudi	60
3.	Government Hospital, Paramakudi	Ramanathapuram	60
4.	Government Hospital, Aranthangi	Pudukottai	60
5.	Government Hospital, Arakonam	Ranipet	60
	Total		300

- ii. Administrative and Financial sanction is accorded to execute the Civil and Electrical Works for the construction of Eye Ward with Eye Operation Theaters in the Government District Head Quarters Hospital at Aathur, Kovilpatti and Government Hospital at Paramakudi, Aranthangi, Arakonam at a total cost of Rs.300 Lakh through Public Works Department.

- iii. the Engineer in Chief and Chief Engineer (Buildings) Public Works Department, Chepauk, Chennai is directed to issue orders to the Executive Engineers of the concerned divisions for the drawal of funds under the head of account "4211 00 103 AA 1606" for executing the civil and electrical works.

7. This order issue with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.1242/SS(RHT)/Health-I/2022, dated:07.01.2022.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

J.RADHAKRISHNAN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Mission Director, National Health Mission, Chennai-600 006.
The Director of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai-600 006.
The Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Chennai-600 006.
The Accountant General, Chennai-600 018.
The Pay and Accounts officer, Concerned.

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