

Tamil Nadu Medical Service – COVID-19 exigencies - Appointment of 2100 Medical Officers temporarily - On contract basis - For a period of 6 months in Government Medical College Hospitals and attached institutions - Sanctioned - Orders – Issued.

# HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (B1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms) No.248

Dated: 20.05.2021

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#### Read:

- 1. Minutes of the Video Conference Meeting of Hon'ble Chief Minister with District Collectors dated.07.05.2021.
- From the Director of Medical Education, Letter No.21636/ P&D3/2/2020, dated:06.05.2021.

### ORDER:-

The World Health Organization has declared the Novel Corona Virus (COVID-19) outbreak as a pandemic and also the Government of India has declared COVID-19, a "Notified disaster".

- 2. It is seen that a second wave of COVID 19 has now arisen throughout India. On 07.05.2021, the Hon'ble Chief Minister has addressed the District Collectors through Video Conference. During the meeting, among others, it has been decided to provide additional 12500 beds with oxygen facility in addition to the existing 12,500 with oxygen facility.
- 3. Further, it has been decided that in order to cater to the need to attend the COVID 19 patients 2000 posts of Medical Officers on contract appointment has to be made.
- 4. The Director of Medical Education has, among others requested appointment of 2100 Medical Officers on contract basis for the Government Medical College Hospitals and attached institutions.
- 5. The Government have examined the proposal of the Director of Medical Education and decided to accept the same. Accordingly, permission is accorded to the Director of Medical Education to appoint 2100 Medical Officers temporarily, on contract basis with a consolidated pay of Rs.60,000/ per person for a period of 6 months and sanction a sum of Rs.75,60,00,000/- (Rupees Seventy Five Crore and Sixty Lakh only) to handle the COVID exigencies in the Medical College Hospitals and attached institutions subject to the condition that, as per the recent High Court direction on such appointment, in all such contract appointments, candidates would be made aware of the purely temporary nature. The recruitment will not be through any outsourcing agency and shall be done by a committee headed by the District Collector / Dean and Joint Director. The Director of Medical Education is directed to

recruit the Medical Officers in respect of Medical Colleges on similar terms as was done last time.

6. The expenditure of Rs.75,60,00,000/- towards salary for the posts created in para 5 above shall be debited to the following Head of Account;-

2210 Medical and Public Health – 01 Urban Health Service – Allopathy – 110 Hospitals and Dispensaries – State's Expenditure – AW Improvements to Teaching Hospitals 333 – Payments for Professional and Special Services 04 – Contract Payments.

(IFHRMS (DPC 2210 0111 0 AW 33304)

- 7. Necessary funds sanctioned in para 5 above will be provided in RBE/RE/FMA 2021–22, pending provision of such funds in RBE/RE/FMA 2021 22, the Director of Medical Education is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 5 above. However, this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of the Legislature by Specific Inclusion in the Supplementary Estimates 2021-22. The Director of Medical Education is also requested to include this expenditure while sending the budget proposals for RBE/RE/FMA 2021–22 and draft explanatory notes for Supplementary Estimates 2021-22 to Government in Finance(BG-I) Department without fail at the appropriate time.
- 8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance department vide its U.O.No.51(DS/B)Health-II/2021, dated 20.05.2021 and ASL No.90 (Ninety).

## (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

## J.RADHAKRISHNAN, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Director of Medical Education, Chennai-600 010.

The Accountant General, Chennai - 600 018.

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

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The Office of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai-600 009.

The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Health), Chennai-600 009.

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