

ABSTRACT

Highways Department – Projects Wing – Vellore Division – Railway Works Programme 2017-18 – Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.25 at Railway km 57/9-58/0 in between Manavur and Thiruvalangadu Railway stations – Process of Land Acquisition – Administrative Sanction for Land Acquisition and Shifting of utilities – Accorded – Orders – Issued.

Highways & Minor Ports (HQ2) Department

G.O. (Ms) No.11

Dated: 31.01.2019 விளம்பி, தை 17, திருவள்ளுவராண்டு 2050

Read:

1. G.O. (Ms) No.57, Highways and Minor Ports (HQ2) Department, dated 02.08.2017.

2. From the Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department, Letter No. 2370/W2/2018, dated 27.07.2018.

ORDER:-

In the Government Order first read above, among others, Government accorded administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.34.37 lakhs for the preparation of Detailed Project Report for the work of "Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.25 at Railway km 57/9-58/0 in between Manavur and Thiruvalangadu Railway Stations" under Railway Works Programme 2017-18 on cost sharing basis with Southern Railways.

2. In his letter second read above, the Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department has stated that alignment had been prepared for the above work and communicated to Railways for approval and preliminary soil investigation works are in progress. In order to process the acquisition of land for the above work, the Land Plan Schedule was prepared for an extent of 9699 Sq.m and sent to the District Revenue Officer, Thiruvallur on 09.06.2018. The process of Land Acquisition is in progress as per the Tamil Nadu Highways Act 2001 and Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency Act in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act 2013 Necessary compensation for acquiring lands, through Revenue Department. structures, tress and any other assets have to be paid for the Project affected land owners as per prevailing Land Acquisition Acts. The Land Acquisition Estimate for this work is prepared for the payment of compensation as per latest rules in force. Land Acquisition is also a part of preliminary activity like Detailed Project Report and administrative sanction for Land Acquisition is required in first stage to complete the Land Acquisition process and to commence the Road Over Bridge work early.

- 3. The Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department has therefore requested the Government to accord administrative sanction for a sum of Rs. 4.56 Crore for carrying out preliminary activities such as Land Acquisition and shifting of utilities for the work of "Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.25 at Railway km 57/9-58/0 in between Manavur and Thiruvalangadu Railway stations" under Railway Works Programme 2017-18.
- 4. The Government after careful examination, accept the proposal of the Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department and accord administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.4,23,00,000/- (Rupees Four Crore twenty three lakhs only) for carrying out preliminary activities such as Land Acquisition and shifting of utilities for the work of "Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.25 at Railway km 57/9-58/0 in between Manavur and Thiruvalangadu Railway stations", under Railway Works Programme 2017 2018 on cost sharing basis.
- 5. The expenditure sanctioned in Para-4 above shall be debited under the following head of account:-

5054.Capital outlay on Roads and Bridges – 03. State Highways - 101. Bridges – State's Expenditure – JG. Construction of over and under bridges in lieu of Existing level crossings. 16. Major works. (D.P.Code: 5054-03-101-JG-1605)

- 6. The expenditure sanctioned in Para-4 above is an item of "New Instrument of Service". The approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. Pending approval of the Legislature, the expenditure may be initially met by drawal of an advance from the Contingency Fund. The Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department is directed to calculate the actual amount required for the period upto next supplementary estimates and apply for sanction of the same as advance from the Contingency Fund to Finance (B.G-I) Department directly in Form 'A' appended to the Tamil Nadu Contingency Fund Rules, 1963 along with a copy of this order. Orders for sanction of an advance from the Contingency Fund will be issued from Finance (B.G-I) Department separately. He is also directed to send a draft explanatory notes for inclusion the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates 2018-2019 to Finance (BG-I/PW-I) Department without fail.
- 7. This Order issues with the Concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 155/PWI/2019, Dated 28.01.2019 and Additional Sanctioned Ledger No. 2573 (Two thousand Five hundred and Seventy three).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

S.K. PRABAKAR, ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC).

To
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The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai -35
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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.