



ABSTRACT

Highways Department – Announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister during the Budget Session 2019-2020 – Preparation of Detailed Feasibility Report for the work of "Construction of Elevated corridor for a length of 6.80 Km from SVN school to Swastik Corner (Km154/8 – 161/6 of Ooty – Kothagiri – Mettupalayam – Sathy – Gobi – Erode Road (SH 15)" – Orders – Issued.

Highways and Minor Ports (HS1) Department

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Read :

From the Chief Engineer (Construction and Maintenance)
Letter No.14909/ Thittam /2019 dated: 24.10.2019

ORDER:

During the Budget Session 2019-20, the Hon'ble Chief Minister announced that preparation of Detailed Project Report for construction of flyovers will be taken up as detailed below:-

“சாலை மேம்பாலங்கள் 7 இடங்களில் கட்டுவதற்கு விரிவான திட்ட அறிக்கை தயாரிக்கப்படும். செங்கல்பட்டு மாவட்டத்தில் படப்பை, கிருஷ்ணகிரி மாவட்டத்தில் ஓசூர் உள்வட்டச் சாலை, ஈரோடு மாவட்டத்தில் எஸ்.எஸ்.வி.என்.பள்ளி முதல் சுவஸ்திக் கார்னர் வரை, தேனி மாவட்டத்தில் நேரு சிலை, திருப்பூர் மாவட்டத்தில் சந்தை பேட்டை, மதுரை மாநகரில் மாட்டுத்தாவணி பேருந்து நிலையம் மற்றும் அண்ணா பேருந்து நிலையம் ஆகிய 7 இடங்களில் போக்குவரத்து நெரிசலை குறைக்க சாலை மேம்பாலங்கள் கட்ட விரிவான திட்ட அறிக்கை தயாரிக்கப்படும்”.

2. In the reference read above, the Chief Engineer (Construction and Maintenance) has stated that the feasibility study is taken up for "Construction of Elevated Bridge for a length of 6.80 Km from SVN School to Swastik corner (Km 154/8 – 161/6 of Ooty – Kothagiri – Mettupalayam – Sathy – Gobi – Erode Road (SH 15)". The Ooty – Kothagiri – Mettupalayam – Sathy – Gobi – Erode Road (SH 15) is one of the busiest roads having heavy vehicular traffic movement throughout the year. The road starts at Udagamandalam (Ooty) and passes through Kothagiri, Mettupalayam, Sathyamangalam, Gobichettipalayam, Chittode and ends at Erode. The road from Ooty to Mettupalayam is a Ghat section. The stretch from Km 153/4-161/626 (8.226 Km length) of SH 15 is maintained by Erode (H) Construction and Maintenance Division. The road starts at Kongampalayam (SVN school) and ends at Swastik corner near Erode Central bus stand. The Elevated Corridor is proposed from Km 154/8 (Near SVN School) to Km 161/626 (Swastik Corner) of Ooty – Kothagiri – Mettupalayam – Sathy –

Gobi – Erode Road in Erode town, Erode District. Even though most of the junctions in this road are signalized at grade, the road users have to face heavy traffic congestions. The ambulances coming from Coimbatore, Tiruppur, Namakkal, Karur and Salem districts need to ply on this road to approach the various hospitals located in the vicinity. As, this road leads to many important tourism places like Ooty, Mettupalayam, Coonoor, Gudalur and other hilly places and pilgrimage centers like Kodiveri, Bannari Amman temple, Bhavani Sagar dam, etc., traffic flow is increasing day by day. Further, this road is an important road connecting Coimbatore, Ooty and other towns with Northern parts of State. Numerous OMNI buses travelling from Chennai towards Tiruppur and Coimbatore are using this route. Hence there is more congestion of traffic.

3. The Chief Engineer (Construction and Maintenance) has further stated that the stretch of Km 123/0 – 153/600 of this road has been taken up under upgradation and maintenance through PPP under modified annuity mode. At present, L.A process is going on and tender has been invited. Further, TNRSP has also requested approval for additional financing for four laning of the stretch of Km 153/6-161/6 of SH15 at grade level. It is proposed to conduct only feasibility study for the Construction of Elevated corridor at this stretch since there is heavy traffic and the traffic intensity is 79540PCUs as per 2017-18 census. An estimate is prepared for Rs.7.00 Lakhs for preparation of Detailed Feasibility Report (DFR) for the work of construction of Elevated corridor for a length of 6.80 km from SVN School to Swastik corner (Km 154/8 – 161/6 of Ooty – Kothagiri – Mettupalayam – Sathy – Gobi – Erode Road (SH 15).

4. In the above stated circumstances, the Chief Engineer (Construction and Maintenance) has requested the Government to Sanction Rs.7.00 Lakhs for preparation of Detailed Feasibility Report (DFR) for the work of construction of Elevated corridor for a length of 6.80 km from SVN school to Swastik corner (Km 154/8 – 161/6 of Ooty – Kothagiri – Mettupalayam – Sathy – Gobi – Erode Road (SH 15).

5. The Government after careful examination accept the proposal of Chief Engineer (C&M) and accord sanction for an amount of Rs.6,81,000/- (Rupees Six Lakhs and Eighty One Thousand only) for the preparation of DFR for the work of “Construction of Elevated corridor for a length of 6.80 Km from SVN school to Swastik Corner (Km154/8 – 161/6 of Ooty – Kothagiri – Mettupalayam – Sathy – Gobi – Erode Road (SH 15)”.

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para 5 above shall be met from the existing budget provision under the following head of account:-

“5054 - Capital outlay on Roads and Bridges – 80 –
General – 004 Research and Development –
State’s Expenditure-AA-Investigation/Estimation of
Project work under Roads and Bridges – 416 –
Major works-01– Major works”

(DPC 5054-80-004-AA-1609)
(IFHRMS 5054-80-004-AA-41601)

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 56617/PW-1/2019, dated 26.11.2019.

(By Order of the Governor)

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