



ABSTRACT

Highways Department – Projects Wing – Thanjavur Circle - Thanjavur Division – Railway Works Programme 2013-14 – Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of Level Crossing No.16 at Km 16/8 of Mayiladuthurai - Thiruvarur - Thiruthuraipoondi road (SH 23) in between Railway Km 15/100 - 15/200 at Peralam Railway Station Yard of Mayiladuthurai - Thiruvarur Section - Administrative Sanction with Change in Nomenclature of the work - Accorded - Orders - Issued.

Highways & Minor Ports (HQ2) Department

G.O. (Ms) No:89

Dated 23.07.2020

சார்வரி, ஆடி 8, திருவள்ளூர்வராண்டு 2051

Read:

1. G.O. (2D) No.24, Highways and Minor Ports (HQ2) Department, dated 29.10.2013.
2. From the Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department, Letter No.363/W3/2014, dated 21.03.2018, 02.11.2018 and 26.11.2018

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, among others, Administrative sanction was accorded for a sum of Rs.1641.96 lakhs as preliminary charges for carrying out the land acquisition, shifting of service utilities and investigation works for the "Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of Level Crossing No.16 at Km.16/8 of Mayiladuthurai - Thiruvarur - Thiruthuraipoondi road between railway Km.15/500 - 15/600 at Peralam Railway Station Yard of Mayiladuthurai – Thiruvarur Section" under Railway Works Programme 2014-2015 on cost sharing basis with Southern Railways.

2. In the letters second read above, the Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department has stated that the location of the site is at the Peralam panchayat in Thiruvarur District. Peralam is one of the important town having population of 6149. The Road Over Bridge will be most useful for tourists visiting the Historical and Religious places. Mayiladuthurai – Thiruvarur - Thiruthuraipoondi road – SH 23 connects the pilgrimage towns. It connects the temple city of Kumbakonam with Thiruvarur and the intensity of traffic is very high on this Level Crossing No.16. The flow of traffic through this town is chaotic which causes serious inconvenience, accidents and delay, hence this Road Over Bridge is very essential to promote free flow of traffic without disrupting through traffic coming over State Highways-23 stretches and Roads safety measures. During preparation of Detailed Project Report and detailed analysis regarding the Land Acquisitions, the construction of Road Over

Bridge along the railway km.15/500-600 is very difficult as the existing Level Crossing No.16 lies in heavily built up area of Peralam town and hence the cost of Land Acquisitions will be more. Hence considering the merits and demerits, the alignment passing through railway Km 15/100-200 was approved by the Alignment committee. Based on the approved alignment only, Land Acquisition proposal has been prepared, and there will be no consequence for Land Acquisition.

3. The Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department has therefore requested the Government to accord administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.46,13,00,000/- with change in the nomenclature of the work as "Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of Level Crossing No.16 at Km.16/8 of Mayiladuthurai - Thiruvarur - Thiruthuraipoondi road (SH 23) in between railway Km.15/100-15/200 at Peralam Railway Station Yard of Mayiladuthurai - Thiruvarur Section" under Railway Works Programme 2013-14 on Cost sharing basis.

4. The Government after careful examination, accept the proposal of the Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department and accord administrative sanction for an amount of Rs.43,82,66,238/- (Rupees Forty three crore eighty two lakh sixty six thousand two hundred and thirty eight only) with change in the nomenclature of the work as "Construction of Road Over Bridge in lieu of Level Crossing No.16 at Km.16/8 of Mayiladuthurai - Thiruvarur - Thiruthuraipoondi road (SH 23) in between railway Km.15/100 - 15/200 at Peralam Railway Station Yard of Mayiladuthurai - Thiruvarur Section" under Railway Works Programme 2013-14 on Cost sharing basis, and accord financial sanction for a sum of Rs.1,00,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore only) for the year 2020-2021. The balance amount will be provided for subsequent financial year based on the requirement.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to 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 - 416 Major works - 01 Major works"

(IFHRMS DPC : 5054 - 03 - 101 - JG - 41601)

(Old DPC : 5054 - 03 - 101 - JG - 1605)

6. The Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department is authorized to incur the expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above.

7. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall constitute an item of "New Instrument of Service" and approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. Pending approval of the Legislature, the expenditure will be initially met by 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. The Chief Engineer (Projects), Highways Department is

also directed to send a draft explanatory notes for inclusion the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates 2020-2021 to Finance (B.G-I / PW-I) Department without fail.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.18553/PW-I/2020, dated 16.07.2020 and Additional Sanction Ledger No.203 (Two Hundred and Three)

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Finance (PW-I / BG-I / BG-II / W&M-I) Department, Chennai-9.
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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

V. Sangeetha
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SECTION OFFICER

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