



## **ABSTRACT**

Industries Department – SIPCOT – Engaging Consultancy Service for preparation of Feasibility Study, Detailed Project Report (DPR) and Bid Process Management for the development of Food Park at Thoothukudi - Approved by Board of SIPCOT- Issuance of Notification by Government under section 16bb of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 - Approved – Orders issued.

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### **INDUSTRIES(MIG.1)DEPARTMENT**

**G.O. (Ms) No.97**

**Dated: 26.02.2021**

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**திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2052**

**Read:**

Letter received from Managing Director, SIPCOT  
Letter No.P-I/ FOOD PARK – TUT/ 2021,  
dated 08.01.2021.

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### **ORDER:**

In the letter read above, the Managing Director, SIPCOT has stated that SIPCOT has proposed to develop Food Park at Vaippar Village, Vilathikulam Taluk, Thoothukudi District with possible grant assistance under Mega Food Parks Scheme (MFPS) of Ministry of Food Processing Industries (MoFPI), Government of India. The lands are Government Poramboke lands classified as 'Disforest' comprised in single Survey No.989 in Vaippar-I Village. The District Collector, Thoothukudi has given enterupon permission to SIPCOT for 412.87.66 Hectares (1019 acres) of land on 26.06.2020. An extent of 150 acres of land will be earmarked for the proposed Food Park and this will cater mainly to marine products.

2. The Managing Director, SIPCOT has further stated that M/s. NABARD Consultancy Services Private Limited (NABCONS) conveyed their willingness to provide consultancy services. The Board of SIPCOT at its meeting held on 21.07.2020 decided to engage M/s. NABARD Consultancy Services Private Limited (NABCONS); for preparation of Feasibility Study, Detailed Project Report (DPR) and Bid Process

Management for establishment of Food Park at Thoothukudi District by obtaining notification from Government under Section 16(bb) of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 and also authorised the Managing Director to negotiate with M/s. NABCONS with respect to professional fees payable, terms of payment etc.

3. The Managing Director, SIPCOT has further stated that Procurement under Section 16(bb) of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 required the recommendation of a committee comprising the Secretary of the department concerned of the Government, Secretary of Finance Department or his representative, the Chief Executive Officer or the head of the procuring entity, one technical representative of the procuring entity and one representative from a reputed Academic or Research Institution or Non-commercial Institution having expertise in such line. Accordingly, the Board of SIPCOT through Circular Resolution (07.09.2020) constituted a Committee with the following members:

1. Principal Secretary,  
Industries Department.
2. Additional Chief Secretary,  
Finance Department  
or his representative.
3. Managing Director,  
SIPCOT.
4. General Manager (P-I) i/c.,  
SIPCOT.
5. Dr. S.D. Sivakumar,  
Director,  
Agri Business Development, Tamil Nadu Agricultural  
University, Coimbatore.

4. The Committee met on 24.10.2020 and recommended to invoke Section 16(bb) of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 to engage M/s. NABARD Consultancy Services Private Limited (NABCONS), for preparation of Feasibility Study, Detailed Project Report and Bid Process Management for establishment of Food Park at Vaippar Village, Vilathikulam Taluk, Thoothukudi District. The recommendation of the Committee was placed before the Board of SIPCOT on 29.12.2020.

5. Based on the decision of the Board, the Managing Director, SIPCOT finally requested the Government, that necessary notification as required under 16bb of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Act, 1998 may be issued for M/s. NABARD Consultancy Services Private

Limited (NABCONS) for the preparation of Feasibility Study, Detailed Project Report and Bid Process Management for establishment of Food Park at Vaippar Village, Vilathikulam Taluk, Thoothukudi District, at a project cost of Rs. 130 lakh + GST (Rupees One Crore and Thirty Lakh Only + GST).

6. The Government after careful examination, accept the proposal of SIPCOT to issue notification as required under 16(bb) of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 for engaging M/s. NABARD Consultancy Service Private Limited (NABCONS) for preparation of Feasibility Study, Detailed Project Report (DPR) and Bid Process Management for the development of Food Park at Thoothukudi at a project cost of Rs.130 lakh + GST.

7. Necessary notification orders for engaging NABCONS as consultant for preparation of Feasibility Study, Detailed Project Report (DPR) and Bid Process Management for the development of Food Park in Tamil Nadu under section 16(bb) of Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 will be issued separately by the Finance (Salaries) Department.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.856/FS/P/2021, dated 18.02.2021.

**(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)**

**N.MURUGANANDAM  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

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//Forwarded by Order//

  
**SECTION OFFICER**  
26.2.2021