



### **ABSTRACT**

MSME - Unemployed Youth Employment Generation Programme (UYEGP) - New Entrepreneur - cum - Enterprise Development Scheme (NEEDS) - Seven days Mandatory Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) training to beneficiaries- Cancellation of training programme due to spread of novel Corona Virus (COVID-19) - Relaxation - Orders issued.

## MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (D2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms) No.33

Dated: 20.03.2020

திருவள்ளுவா் ஆண்டு 2051 விகாாி வருடம், பங்குனி–7,

#### Read:

- 1. G.O. (Ms). No.80, MSME (D2) Department, dated 30.07.2010.
- 2. G.O. (Ms). No.49, MSME (D2) Department, dated 29.10.2012.
- 3. G.O. (Ms). No.13, MSME (D2) Department, dated 24.04.2018.
- 4. Government letter No. 10116/ Buildings/2020, dated 16.03.2020.
- 5. G.O. (Ms) No. 347, Health and Family Welfare (P1) Department, dated 16.03.2020.
- Letter No. PMEGP/Policy.2019-20 dated 23.01.2020 from Directorate of PMEGP, Mumbai.
- 7. From the Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce letter Rc. No. 11833/ DIC 4/2019, Dated: 17.03.2020.

#### **ORDER**

In the Government Order first read above, the Government has approved the Unemployed Youth Employment Generation Scheme and issued orders to implement the scheme from the year 2010-11 onwards. According to the guidelines to implement the Unemployed Youth Employment Generation Programme (UYEGP) scheme, the beneficiaries shall mandatorily undergo seven days Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) training conducted by Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute-Tamil Nadu (EDII-TN), for disbursement of loan and for availing 25% subsidy from the Government.

2. In the Government Order second read above, the Government has approved the New Entrepreneur – cum - Enterprise Development Scheme (NEEDS) and issued orders to implement the scheme from the year 2012-13 onwards. According to the guidelines to implement the NEEDS scheme, the beneficiaries shall mandatorily undergo 3 weeks EDP training conducted by Entrepreneurship



Development and Innovation Institute-Tamil Nadu (EDII-TN) for disbursement of loan and for availing 25% subsidy from the Government.

- 3. In Government letter fourth read above, the Government has requested not to convene meetings, in view of the novel Corona Virus (COVID-19) as a preventive measure.
- 4. In the Government Order fifth read above, Government have issued orders to ban conferences, seminars, training classes etc., till the 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2020. Taking cognizance of Government directives, Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute-Tamil Nadu (EDII-TN) has cancelled all training programmes that had already commenced under UYEGP and NEED schemes. The scheduled programmes have also been called off.
- 5. In the Letter sixth read above, Government of India had issued exemption of EDP training for claiming Margin Money/ disburse the loan under Prime Minister Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP).
- 6. In view of the above, the Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce has requested the Government to issue necessary orders exempting the mandatory training for disbursement of loan and claiming subsidy under NEEDS and UYEGP schemes so that the subsidy can be released to the individual after getting an undertaking that the entrepreneur shall undergo training within 6 months from the date of disbursement of subsidy failing which the subsidy so released would be reverted to the Government account.
- 7. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce issue orders exempting the mandatory training for disbursement of loan and claiming subsidy under NEEDS and UYEGP schemes till lifting of ban issued in Government Order fifth read above. The Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce is directed to disburse the subsidy after getting an undertaking that the entrepreneur shall undergo training within 6 months from the date of disbursement of subsidy failing which the subsidy so released would be reverted to the Government account.

# (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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