



ABSTRACT

Department of Economics and Statistics (DOES) – Data Analytics Unit – Conduct of Panel Survey on Socio Economic Status of Elderly Population in Tamil Nadu in Collaboration with J-PAL, SA – Sanction of funds for carrying out the activities to be undertaken during 2018-19 – Orders – Issued.

PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT AND SPECIAL INITIATIVES (PR) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.85

Dated:30.11.2018
Vilambi, Karthigai-14
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2049

READ:

1. G.O.Ms.No.21, PD&SI (ST.2&E) Dept., dated 27.2.2016.
2. G.O.Ms.No.10, PD&SI (ST.2&E) Dept., dated 21.3.2017.
3. Letter No.59818/DAU/2015, Dt :11.05.2018.
4. From the Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner, DOES, Letter No.15566/DAU/2018, dated 28.06.2018.

ORDER:

In the G.O. first read above orders have been issued for the conduct of Panel Survey on Socio Economic Status of Elderly Population in Tamil Nadu in collaboration with J-PAL-SA at a total project cost of Rs.606.00 lakh for a period of three years (Rs.90.00 lakh+Rs.254.01 lakh+Rs.261.99 lakh) under TANII and during 2015-16, an amount of Rs.89.99 lakh has been released of which Rs.9.97 lakh has been allotted to Department of Economics and Statistics and Rs.80.02 lakh allotted to J-PAL towards Technical Advisory Service and quality control costs.

2. In the G.O. second read above orders have been issued to release an amount of Rs. 254.01 lakh for the second phase of the project for the year 2016-17, to carry out the training of field staff, baseline survey, procurement of hardware and software for data collection and workshops.

3. The year wise fund allocation and expenditure incurred by Department of Economics and Statistics /J-PAL are detailed below:

(Rs. in lakh)

Year	Amount sanctioned			Expenditure incurred			Unspent balance amount
	DOES	J-PAL	Total	DOES	J-PAL	Total	
2015-16	9.97	80.02	89.99	---	80.02	80.02	9.97
2016-17	254.01	---	254.01	---	---	---	254.01
2017-18	The unspent balance amount (Rs.9.97+254.01=Rs.263.98)			4.95	45.72	50.67	213.31
TOTAL	263.98	80.02	344.00	4.95	125.74	130.69	213.31

4. As per the Government Letter third read above, the Department of Economics and Statistics (DOES) has remitted the unspent amount of Rs.2,13,30,731/- (Rupees two crore thirteen lakh thirty thousand seven hundred and thirty one only) into Government account.

5. The Additional Chief Secretary / Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics (DOES) in the letter fourth read above has requested to release an amount of Rs.265.80 lakh in which Rs.220.00 lakh for Department of Economics and Statistics (DOES) share and Rs.45.80 lakh for J-PAL share during the financial year 2018-19 detailed below.

(Rs. in lakh)

	DOES Share	J-PAL Share	Total
Total survey cost	377.00	229.00	606.00
Expenditure incurred upto 31.03.2018	4.95	125.75	130.70
Balance amount lying unspent	372.05	103.25	475.30
Amount required for the activities to be undertaken in 2018-19 as detailed above	220.00	45.80	265.80

6. The Government after careful consideration decided to accept the proposal of the Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics (DOES) and accord sanction to release an amount of Rs.213.31 lakh (Two crore thirteen lakh and thirty one thousand) (Rs.167.51 lakh for Department of Economics and Statistics (DOES) share and Rs.45.80 lakh for J-PAL) by debiting under the following head of account.

"3454 Census Surveys and Statistics – 02 Surveys and Statistics – 110 Gazette and Statistical Memoris State's Expenditure – JY Panel Survey on Socio Economic Status on Elderly Population in Tamil Nadu – Scheme under State Innovation Fund. 09 – Grants-in-Aid – 03. Grants for Specific Schemes. (DPC 3454 02 110 JY 0933)

The above expenditure shall be met from the State Innovation Fund by deducting under the following head of account.

"3454 Census Surveys and Statistics 02. Surveys and Statistics State's Expenditure 902. Deduct – Amount met from State Innovation Fund JA. Deduct Amount from State Innovation Fund 30. Inter Account Transfers". (DPC 3454 02 902 JA 3000)

By contra debiting

J. Reserve Fund

(b) Reserve Fund not bearing Interest

8229.00. Development and Welfare Funds

200 Other Development and Welfare Funds

BE. State Innovation Fund

(DPC 8229 00 200 BE 0006) (Outgo)

7. Necessary funds of Rs. 2,13,31,000/- will be provided in RE/FMA 2018-19. However, this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of the Legislature by Specific Inclusion in the Supplementary Estimate 2018-2019. Pending provision of such funds, the Commissioner, Department of Economics and Statistics, Chennai is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 6 above. He is also directed to include this item of expenditure while sending the budget proposal for RE/FMA 2018-2019 and also send necessary draft explanatory note for inclusion of this expenditure in the Supplementary Estimate 2018-2019 to Government in Finance (Public/BG-I) Department at the appropriate time without fail

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.47365/Fin.(Pub)/2018, dated:30.11.2018 and ASL No. 2069 (Two thousand and Sixty nine)

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

S.KRISHNAN,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC).

To

The Commissioner of Economics and Statistics, Ch-6.

The Member Secretary, State Planning Commission,
Chepauk, Chennai 5.

The Accountant General, (A&E), Ch-18.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Ch-35.

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