

<u>ABSTRACT</u>

TN-IAMWARM Project – Formation of Committee for review of additional schemes - Orders- issued.

Public Works (WR1) Department

G.O (Ms). No. 80

Dated : 30.05.2013 Vaikasi : 16 Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2044

Read:

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Order:

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2. Accepting the suggestions of World Bank consultant to form a Committee the Engineer in Chief, Water Resources Department in his letter read above has submitted a proposal to constitute a committee for a technical assessment of the additional schemes with the Director, SWaRMA as Chairman and the Engineer in Chief, Water Resources Department, Chief Engineer, Design Research Construction Support, Chief Engineer, Plan Formulation, Regional Chief Engineer (concerned) and Superintending Engineer, Procurement, IAMWARM as members.

3. He has also stated that the assignments of the Committee as suggested by the World Bank Consultant are as follows:-

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4. The Government after careful consideration have decided to accept the proposal of the Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai and constitute the committee for a realistic assessment of the additional schemes as follows:-

1. Director, SWaRMA	Chairman
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(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

M. SAI KUMAR SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai-5
The Project Director, TN IAMWARM Project, MDPU Office, Chepauk, Chennai-5
The Director, SWaRMA, Taramani, Chennai-113.
All Chief Engineer's, WRD, All Irrigation Sections, Public Works Department, Chennai-9.

The PS to Secretary, Public Works Department, Chennai-9. SF/SC.

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- Sub: TN-IAMWARM Project Formation of Committee for review of additional schemes – Requested - Regarding.
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This file relates to the formation of a Committee to review the realistic assessment of the additional schemes by utilizing the savings amount available in IAMWARM Project.

2. The Engineer in Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai has submitted the proposal as follows:-

During the visit by the World Bank Implementation Support Mission from 20th to 27th May 2013, presentations were made to the mission by the MDPU Office and the Water Resources Department. During the discussion prior to the mission, it was learnt that Rs. 220.00 Crore is available as savings from the overall outlay of Rs. 2816.00 Crore. To utilize this savings amount of Rs. 200.00Cr in additional to the savings of Rs. 100.00 Crore. Under WRD, proposals were formulated for an amount of Rs. 290.00 Crore.

These additional schemes available on hand which could be taken up for utilizing the available savings were presented and discussed in detail with the World Bank consultant Mr. R.K. Malhothra during his mission from 20.05.2013 to 27.05.2013. The additional schemes include proposals for:

- Construction of check dams across rivers;
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On scrutiny of the Detailed Project Reports and estimates for the Additional Proposals for utilizing the savings and Exchange rate variations, the World Bank Consultant Mr. R.K. Malhothra has suggested to constitute a committee by Government of Tamil Nadu and the World Bank Mission accepted his suggestions and recommended to form a committee.

3. Accepting the suggestion of the World Bank consultant the Engineer in Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai has requested to constitute a committee for a realistic assessment of the additional schemes" with the following members.

1. Director, SWaRMA	as Chairman
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5. Hence, the Engineer in Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai has requested orders of Government for the formation of the above Committee.

6. In view of the above, it is submitted for orders whether the proposal of the Engineer in Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai to constitute a committee for review of additional schemes may be agreed to. Subject to orders, a draft order is submitted below for approval.