

ABSTRACT

Schemes – Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) – Ombudsperson - Appointed for redressal of grievances under MGNREGS – Two years of service of Ombudspersons ended on 03.04.2024 – Extension of one more year of service – Orders - Issued.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ (CGS.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms).No.94

Dated: 22.05.2024 குரோதி, வைகாசி 9 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2055 Read:

- 1. G.O.(D) No.375, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj(CGS.1) Department, Dated 27.07.2010.
- 2. G.O.(Ms) No.112, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj(CGS.1) Department, Dated 06.09.2021.
- 3. G.O.(Ms) No.34, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj(CGS.1) Department, Dated 21.03.2022.
- 4. From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Letter Roc.No.51831/2016/MGNREGS 2.3, dated 26.03.2024.

ORDER:-

In the Government order first read above, orders were issued for the establishment of the Office of the Ombudsperson for redressal of grievances under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) and also procedure for selection, tenure, territorial jurisdiction, etc. for the appointment of Ombudsperson have also been prescribed therein and in the Government order second read above, orders were issued constituting a Selection Committee for selection and appointment of Ombudsperson.

- 2. In the Government order third read above, orders were issued appointing as many as 31 Ombudspersons and out of the 31 Ombudspersons, as many as 29 Ombudspersons joined on 04.04.2022. Out of the above 29 persons, one person resigned and Two years of service of remaining 28 Ombudspersons ended on 03.04.2024.
- 3. In the letter 4th read above, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has requested the Government to issue orders to extend the service of 28 Ombudspersons by one more year based on the performance appraisal received from the respective Districts.
- 4. The Selection Committee meeting for extending the service of Ombudspersons by one more year under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) was held on 16.04.2024 under the Chairmanship of the Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Planning and Development Department. After a detailed discussion, based on the performance review of the Ombudspersons, the Selection Committee has recommended service extension for one more year for the 21 Ombudspersons out of the 28 Ombudspersons (except the Ombudspersons working in Coimbatore, Cuddalore, Erode, Ranipet, The Nilgiris, Tirunelveli and Villupuram Districts).
- 5. After accepting the recommendations of the Selection Committee meeting held on 16.04.2024, the Government issue following orders:-
 - (i) Extending the service for one more for the following Twenty One(21) Ombudspersons with effect from 04.04.2024 for redressal of grievances under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS).

SI. No.	Name of the Ombudspersons (Thiru/Tmt)	Name of the District
1.	Vaitheeswaran S	Ariyalur
2.	DineshKumar Martin	Chengalpet
3.	Dhoulath Basha K	Dharmapuri
4.	Ganesan V	Kanchipuram
5.	Sathiaseelan A	Kanniyakumari
6.	Balasundaram N	Karur

7.	Md Asmathulla K S	Krishnagiri
8.	Mohan D	Mayiladuthurai
9.	Syamala D	Namakkal
10.	Ramamoorthi B	Ramanathapuram
11.	Gandhimathi M	Salem
12.	Prabu U	Sivagangai
13.	Kalaivani R	Thanjavur
14.	Chandrasekaran K	Theni
15.	Sevagapandi P	Thoothukkudi
16.	Pandiyarajan P	Tiruchirappalli
17.	Premalatha M	Tiruppur
18.	Simon Arul Pragasam J	Tiruvallur
19.	Annamalai U	Tiruvannamalai
20.	Kathiresan V	Tiruvarur
21.	L.Ranjitha	Vellore

(ii) In respect of 7 Districts viz., Coimbatore, Cuddalore, Erode, Ranipet, The Nilgiris, Tirunelveli and Villupuram, the process for selection of new Ombudspersons shall be done as per the Government of India Guidelines.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

P.SENTHILKUMAR PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The concerned District Collectors.

(through the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15)

The concerned Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies (through the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15).

Copy to:

The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Rural Development), Chennai-9.

The Senior Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai-9. The Rural Development and Panchayat Raj(OP.2) Department, Chennai – 9. The National Informatics Centre, Chennai – 9. Stock File/ Spare Copy

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