



ABSTRACT

Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme – Budget 2013-14 – Announcement made by Hon'ble Chief Minister under Rule 110 - Provision of 50,000 Farm ponds in Non-delta Districts under MGNREGS – Orders issued – Amendment – Orders issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department

G.O. (Ms) No.160

Dated:19.12.2014

Read:

1. G.O.(Ms) No.17, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department, Dated 15.02.2013.
2. Government Letter No.10446/CGS.1/2013-2, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Dated 20.05.2013.
3. Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Letter Rc.No.12987/ 2013/MGNREGS-I-1, Dated 09.10.2014.

ORDER:

In the Government order first read above, the Government have approved the guidelines for provision of farm ponds under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme on lands belonging to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribes, Small and Marginal farmers and other categories of farmers in Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Tiruchirappalli, Karur, Ariyalur, Pudukkottai, Cuddalore and other districts, if any, notified by the Government of India.

2. Subsequently, in pursuance of announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister on the floor of the Legislative Assembly under rule 110 on 19.04.2013, orders have been issued for the provision of 50,000 farm ponds in 23 Non-delta districts to mitigate the drought situation vide Government letter second read above.

3. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, in the letter third read above, has stated that detailed instructions along with district-wise target have been issued to the District Collectors / Chairman, District Rural Development Agencies. Out of this target, 20591 farm pond works have been taken up, 15108 farm pond works completed, 5483 works are under progress leaving out a balance of 29409 works.

4. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has further stated that due to certain practical difficulties in the identification of beneficiaries wherein some of the selected beneficiaries had been found to be unwilling to part with their land for the provision of Farm Ponds, there has been a set-back in taking-up balance 29409 Farm pond works. These 29409 farm pond works have been redistributed among the 23 Non-Delta Districts and 30 Non-Delta Blocks of 5 Delta Districts. He has sent the

revised target for Non-Delta Districts and the proposed target for Non- Delta Blocks of Delta Districts.

5. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has therefore requested the Government to issue amendment to the orders issued in Government Letter No.10446/CGS.1/ 2013-2, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, dated 20.5.2013 to undertake the 50,000 Farm ponds in both 23 Non-Delta Districts and 30 Non-Delta Blocks of 8 Delta Districts instead of 23 Non-delta Districts only.

6. The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, issue amendment to the orders issued in Government Letter No.10446/CGS.1/ 2013-2, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, dated 20.5.2013 and accord permission to undertake the 50,000 Farm ponds in both 23 Non-Delta Districts and 30 Non-Delta Blocks of 8 Delta Districts instead of 23 Non-Delta Districts only as annexed to this order.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

GAGANDEEP SINGH BEDI,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai – 15.
All District Collectors, (Except Chennai) (through the DRD & PR, Chennai-15)
All Project Directors, District Rural Development Agency,
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ANNEXURE

MGNREGS - Redistribution of Farm Ponds Target

Sl. No.	Name of the Districts	Total No. of Blocks	Total No. of Delta Blocks	Total No. of Non-delta Blocks	Revised Target now fixed	No. of works completed	No. of works in progress	Balance No. of works yet to be taken up
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Non-Delta Districts								
1	KANCHEEPURAM	13	0	13	1500	238	774	488
2	TIRUVALLUR	14	0	14	250	64	31	155
3	VILLUPURAM	22	0	22	5000	1270	1343	2387
4	VELLORE	20	0	20	5000	997	492	3511
5	TIRUVANNAMALAI	18	0	18	4500	842	180	3478
6	SALEM	20	0	20	4000	1185	494	2321
7	NAMAKKAL	15	0	15	2000	763	566	671
8	ERODE	14	0	14	1300	574	210	516
9	COIMBATORE	12	0	12	1500	1000	6	494
10	TIRUPPUR	13	0	13	1500	709	295	496
11	PERAMBALUR	4	0	4	1500	1000	0	500
12	MADURAI	13	0	13	2000	314	249	1437
13	THENI	8	0	8	500	250	35	215
14	DINDIGUL	14	0	14	2500	1416	20	1064
15	RAMANATHAPURAM	11	0	11	2000	1554	4	442
16	VIRUDHUNAGAR	11	0	11	2000	615	188	1197
17	SIVAGANGAI	12	0	12	1000	118	56	826
18	TIRUNELVELI	19	0	19	2500	656	113	1731
19	THOOTHUKKUDI	12	0	12	1500	121	93	1286
20	KANNIYAKUMARI	9	0	9	50	10	1	39
21	KRISHNAGIRI	10	0	10	2000	1010	196	794
22	THE NILGIRIS	4	0	4	50	28	11	11
23	DHARMAPURI	8	0	8	1500	374	126	1000
	Sub Total	296	0	296	45650	15108	5483	25059

Delta Districts								
24	CUDDALORE	13	5	8	1000	0	0	1000
25	KARUR	8	3	5	500	0	0	500
26	TRICHIRAPPALLI	14	8	6	850	0	0	850
27	PUDUKKOTTAI	13	6	7	1000	0	0	1000
28	ARIYALUR	6	2	4	1000	0	0	1000
29	THANJAVUR	14	14	0	0	0	0	0
30	NAGAPATTINAM	11	11	0	0	0	0	0
31	TIRUVARUR	10	10	0	0	0	0	0
	Sub Total	89	59	30	4350	0	0	4350
	Grand Total	385	59	326	50000	15108	5483	29409

GAGANDEEP SINGH BEDI,
Secretary to Government.

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