



ABSTRACT

Schemes – State Scheme – Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) – Implementation of Scheme during the year 2017-2018 –Enhancement of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Fund from Rs.2.00 Crores to Rs.2.50 Crores - Revised Guidelines - Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1)Department

G.O.(Ms.) No. 136

ஹேவிளம்பி – ஐப்பசி-29
திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2048
Dated: 15.11.2017

Read:

1. G.O (Ms) No. 57, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS1) Department, Dated 29.05.2017.
2. G.O (Ms) No. 102, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS1) Department, Dated 15.09.2017.
3. From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj letter Na.ka.No.19681/2017/ NEDM-2, Dated 27.09.2017.(with enclosure)

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, administrative sanction was accorded for a sum of Rs.470.00 Crores for implementation of MLACDS during the year 2017-2018 and issued Guidelines for the implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) for the year 2017-2018 were issued.

2. In the Government order Second read above, orders were issued enhancing the Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Fund (MLACDS Fund) from Rs.2.00 Crores (Rupees Two Crores only) to Rs.2.50 Crores (Rupees Two Crores and Fifty lakhs only), based on the announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister on the Floor of Assembly on 19.07.2017. Out of Rs.2.50 Crores (Rupees Two Crores and Fifty Lakhs only) allocated to each Assembly Constituency, Rs.1.50 Crores (Rupees One Crore Fifty Lakhs only) has been earmarked for 'Tied Component' and the remaining Rs.1.00 Crore (Rupees One Crore only) has been earmarked for 'Untied Component' for the year 2017-18, in the above Government Order. The details of heads

of accounts to be debited for the above expenditure have also been issued as extracted below:-

"4515 – 00 - Capital Outlay on other Rural Development Programmes – 789 Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes - State's expenditure – JB Execution of other Schemes under member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme under Special Component Plan - 16 Major Works.
(DPC 4515- 00-789-JB-1606)

4515 – 00 - Capital Outlay on other Rural Development Programmes – 796 Tribal Area Sub-Plan State's expenditure – JC Execution of other Schemes under member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme - 16 Major Works.
(DPC 4515-00-796-JC-1609)

4515 – 00 - Capital Outlay on other Rural Development Programmes – 800 other expenditure – State's expenditure - JF Execution of other Schemes under member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme - 16 Major works.
(DPC 4515-00-800-JF 1602)"

3. In the letter 3rd read above, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that out of the above enhanced allocated fund of Rs.2.50 Crore per Assembly Constituency, the amount Rs.1.50 Crore under Tied-Component has to be spent only for drinking water supply works as per the existing guidelines already issued, in the reference 1st read above. He has further stated that during the year 2017-18, the state of Tamil Nadu had received more rainfall than the average rainfall and the drinking water supply in most of the districts is almost adequate. Hence, he has requested to relax the above guidelines and to accord permission to utilize Rs.20.00 lakh for improvement of infrastructure facilities in the schools and the remaining Rs.1.30 Crore for the priority works as per the choice of the Members, under the Tied-Component of Rs.1.50 Crore. He has further stated that Rs.1.00 Crore, which has been allocated under Un-Tied component, be utilized for any works which are not falling within the negative list, as per the choice of the Member and requested the Government to issue revised guidelines for MLACDS for the year 2017-18.

4. The Government after careful examination have decided to issue a detailed revised guidelines for the implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) for the year 2017-18 as in the annexure to this order.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.57434 /Fin(RD), dated 15.11.2017.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**HANS RAJ VERMA,
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To
The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15.

District Collectors (concerned)
Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies. (through the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj)
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai – 9/18/35
The Pay and Accounts Officer (Secretariat), Chennai – 9
The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai – 35
The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Chennai – 5
The Pay and Accounts Officer (North), Chennai – 1
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Madurai
All Treasury Officers.
The General Manager, NABARD, 48, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Chennai-34.
Finance (RD/Res-II/BG-II/BG-I/L&A) Department, Chennai-09.

Copy to

The Additional Chief Secretary/Secretary-I to the Hon'ble Chief Minister,
Chennai-9.
The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Municipal Administration,
Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme, Chennai-9.
The National Informatics Centre, Chennai-9.

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SECTION OFFICER

15.11.17

G.O. (Ms.) No.136, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS1) Department,
Dated 15.11.2017.

ANNEXURE

REVISED GUIDELINES FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF MEMBERS OF LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY DEVELOPMENT SCHEME 2017-18

Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) is being implemented in Tamil Nadu in order to identify and execute the essential infrastructure gaps in the assembly constituencies. The MLAs identify infrastructure gaps in their constituencies and propose the works to be executed under the scheme. The scheme is implemented both in rural and urban areas. From 2017-18 onwards, the fund allocation per constituency under the scheme had been increased from Rs.2.00 Crore to Rs.2.50 Crore per constituency per annum.

Out of the allocation of Rs.2.50 Crore per MLA, under Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme, an allocation of Rs.1.50 Crore should be earmarked for 'tied component' which is to be mandatorily earmarked for priority works specified below. Out of the remaining 'untied component of Rs.1.00 Crore, the Members of Legislative Assembly can choose any work of their choice not falling within the 'negative list'. The detailed revised guidelines are given below:

1. WORKS TO BE TAKEN UP UNDER TIED COMPONENT OF Rs.1.50 CRORE:

As stated above, Rs.1.50 Crore shall be spent on works prescribed under "Tied Component".

- 1.1 **Rs.20.00 Lakh for infrastructure to schools :** In 2017-18, in order to provide infrastructure facilities to Schools (Corporation Schools / Municipality Schools / Panchayat Union Schools / Government Schools only) a sum of at least Rs.20.00 Lakh per MLA shall be earmarked under the tied component. The infrastructure facilities will include toilet facilities (especially separate toilets for girls, boys and staff) water supply, Compound wall to Schools, construction of buildings for classrooms, libraries and laboratories in school.
- 1.2 **Rs. 1.30 CRORE FOR OTHER TIED WORKS:** Under other tied works, the MLA can choose from the following works for any amount according to his/her choice, subject to the overall ceiling of Rs.1.30 Crore.

a) In Rural Areas:

1. Drinking water supply related works especially augmentation of existing source, power pump works, mini power pump works etc.,
2. Installation of Solar Street lights in rural areas / Roof top solar power in Government buildings.

(Subsidy provision available from the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, GOI should be claimed and remitted to concerned scheme account without fail).

3. Up-gradation of gravel/WBM Roads to BT standard.
4. Renewal of badly worn-out BT roads (laying of BT layer only by filling up of potholes, if necessary).
5. Laying of Cement Concrete Roads / Paver Blocks in Streets and Lanes.
6. Construction of Anganwadi Buildings / Noon Meal Centres / Noon Meal Kitchen Sheds, Anganwadi Baby friendly toilets, Supply of Drinking water to Anganwadies and also modernizing the Anganwadi Kitchen Sheds with Gas connection, etc.
7. Provision of rooms, buildings and / or compound wall for Government and Local body Hospitals, Primary Health Centres, Government Veterinary Hospitals, Government Schools, Panchayat Unions Schools, Adi Dravidar Schools, Kallar Reclamation Schools, Government Colleges and Government Hostels, Government ITI and Government Polytechnics.
8. Provision of Infrastructural facilities to Government Special Schools for the differently abled and Government Orphanages.
9. Construction of bridges.
10. Provision of additional Burial Grounds / Cremation Grounds to the Village Panchayats, if necessary.
11. Provision of compound wall / fencing in the burial grounds belonging to Public Wakfs registered with Wakf Board. Since the Wakf Board does not have any Engineering wing, this work may be entrusted to the Local Bodies concerned.
12. Construction of integrated Sanitary Complex for women and men.
13. Construction of Public Distribution shop buildings.
14. Construction of building for physical fitness centre / Gymnasium along with required equipments which will be the asset of concerned Local Body.

b) In Urban Areas :

1. Drinking water supply related works especially in summer, water supply works especially augmentation of existing source, provision of individual power pump works, mini power pump works etc.,
2. Installation of Solar Street lights / Roof top solar power in Government Buildings / LED Street lights in Urban Areas.
(Subsidy provision available from the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, GOI should be claimed and remitted to concerned scheme account without fail).
3. Up-gradation of gravel / WBM Roads to BT standard.

4. Renewal of badly worn-out BT roads (laying of BT layer only by filling up of potholes, if necessary).
5. Laying of Cement Concrete Roads.
6. Construction of Anganwadi Buildings / Noon Meal Centres / Noon Meal Kitchen Sheds, Anganwadi Baby friendly toilets, Supply of Drinking water to Anganwadies and also modernizing the Anganwadi Kitchen Sheds with Gas connection, etc.
7. Provision of rooms, buildings and / or compound wall for Government and Local body Hospitals, Primary Health Centres, Government Veterinary Hospitals, Government Schools, Panchayat Unions Schools, Adi Dravidar Schools, Kallar Reclamation Schools, Government Colleges and Government Hostels, Government ITI and Government Polytechnics.
8. Provision of Infrastructural facilities to Government Special Schools for the differently abled and Government Orphanages.
9. Construction of bridges,
10. Provision of infrastructure and compound wall facilities to burial ground cremation grounds.
11. Provision of Concrete Pavements with storm water drains, if so required.
12. Formation of new Public Parks
13. Construction of Public Toilets.
14. Construction of Public Distribution shop building.
15. Purchase or Jetrodding Machines and hydraulically operated sewerage machines
16. Provision of compound wall / fencing in the burial grounds belonging Public Wakfs registered with Wakf Board. Since the Wakf Board does not have any Engineering wing, this work may be entrusted with the Local Bodies concerned.
17. Construction of building for physical fitness centre/Gymnasium along with required equipments which will be the asset of concerned Local Body.

2. WORKS TO BE TAKEN UP UNDER UNTIED COMPONENT OF RS.1.00 Crore:

Any work not falling within the following 'negative list / prohibited works' can be taken up under the untied component of MLACDS. **Works falling under the tied component can also be taken up under untied component of Rs.1.00 Crore.** Construction of Bus Passengers shelters is permitted under this component.

3. NEGATIVE LIST/PROHIBITED WORKS:

The following works under the 'Negative list / prohibited works' cannot be taken up under the MLACDS unless specifically included in the exceptions:

- 3.1 Construction of Office and residential buildings belonging to Central and State Governments including Public Sector undertaking, Co-operatives and societies.

Exception:

- I. Construction of Direct Procurement Centres, Milk Producers' Co-operative Societies, Bulk Chilling Centres.
- II. In G.O(Ms).No.179, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS-1) Department, dated 19.12.2013 orders have been issued for the construction of compound wall to 84 MLA offices @ total estimate cost of Rs.213.15 lakh from untied component of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme fund. Out of these 84 MLA offices if any compound wall has not yet been constructed, these works shall be taken up in this current year 2017-18.
- III. Construction of Maintenance sheds, Compound walls and concrete flooring for Bus depots of State Transport undertakings.

- 3.2 Assets for individual/ family benefits

Exception:

Construction of new houses in Town Panchayats as per the Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojna (Grameen) norms.

- 3.3 All renovation, maintenance and repair works.

Exception : Repair of houses constructed under Government Schemes up to 31.12.2007 including houses constructed under Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY). Tamil Nadu Adi-draavidar Housing and Development Corporation and Tamil Nadu Slum Clearance Board can be taken up not exceeding Rs.50,000/- per house. However, permission letter should be obtained from the Tamil Nadu Slum Clearance Board / Tamil Nadu Adi-draavidar Housing and Development Corporation before taking up the repair works.

- 3.4 Purchase of all movable items, equipments and furniture.

Exception:

- (i) Provisions were made during 2016-17 for newly elected members of 15th Assembly and for the members re-elected those who were member of 14th Assembly, to purchase Laptop or Desktop, Laser/ Inkjet Printer and Broadband / Internet Data card connection as one time purchase accordingly to needs. In this connection, wherever such Laptop or

Desktop, Laser/Inkjet printer and Broadband/Internet Connection were not purchased last year, in such cases purchase of the above items, may be considered during 2017-2018 as per the provisions contained in the G.O.(Ms.) No.95, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS-1) Department dated 18-8-2016, and following the guidelines therein.

- (ii) Purchase of furniture and equipments for Government Schools, Panchayat Union Schools, Adi Dravidar Welfare Schools, Kallar Reclamation Schools, Government Colleges, Government Hostels, Government Hospitals, Primary Health Centres and Government Veterinary Hospitals, Government ITI, Government Polytechnic.
 - (iii) Purchase of aids and appliances for differently abled persons as per the guidelines issued in G.O.(1D)No.405, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS-1) Department, dated 17.08.2010 and Government Letter No.(1D)No.653, dated.31.12.2012 of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department for the value of Rs.5 lakh or above.
 - (iv) Purchase of CP chair for Polio and stroke attacked persons and purchase of mentally challenged Learning Kits for mentally challenged children in Government special schools.
 - (v) Purchase of physical exercise equipments for the physical fitness centre / Gymnasium belonging to local body which will be the asset of the concerned local body.
 - (vi) Purchase of equipments for installation of solar photovoltaic items in the existing Government buildings.
- 3.5 Any work in Government aided and self Financing Schools and Colleges.
 - 3.6 All Works involving Commercial establishment / units.
 - 3.7 Grants and loans, contribution to any Central and State / UT Relief Funds.
 - 3.8 Acquisition of land or any compensation for land acquired.
 - 3.9 Reimbursement of any type of completed or partly completed works or items.
 - 3.10 All revenue and recurring expenditure.
 - 3.11 Works within the places or religious workshop and on land belonging to or owned by religious faiths / groups.
 - 3.12 Desilting of ponds, ooranies, rivers, tanks, canals, channels and the like.
 - 3.13 Gravel/WBM roads (roads up to BT standard alone should be taken up).
 - 3.14 Installation of High Mast Lights.

4. An overall allocation of 21% of the total allocation under Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme should be made for areas predominantly inhabited by SC/ST persons in rural areas and for persons living in slums in urban areas.

5. The execution of works / procurement of materials shall be undertaken strictly as per the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 and the Rules made during 2000 under it.

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