



## **ABSTRACT**

Announcement of Hon'ble Chief Minister under Rule 110 on 20.07.2019 - Kudimaramathu – Rejuvenation of Minor Irrigation Tanks, Ponds and Ooranies in Rural areas during 2019-20 through State Funds in Convergence with Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) – Sanction of Rs.500 Crore from State Funds – Orders – Issued.

### **Rural Development & Panchayat Raj (SGS-3) Department**

G.O.(Ms) No.164

Dated:11.11.2019

Read:

1. Announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister under Rule 110 on 20.07.2019.
2. From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Letter No.35454/2019/ MGNREGS-3.2, dated: 15.07.2019.
3. GO (Ms) No.96, RD&PR (CGS-1) dept., dated 26.7.2019.

### **ORDER:**

The Hon'ble Chief Minister under Rule 110 has made an announcement on 20.07.2019 as follows:-

“... ஊரக வளர்ச்சி மற்றும் ஊராட்சித் துறை மூலம் கிராமம் தோறும் ஏரிகள், குட்டைகள் மற்றும் ஊருணிகள் போன்ற நீர்நிலைகளின் கொள்ளளவினை அதிகரிக்கும் பணிகளும் மேற்கொள்ளப்படும். ஏற்கனவே மகாத்மா காந்தி தேசிய ஊரக வேலை உறுதித் திட்ட நிதி 750 கோடி ரூபாயுடன், கூடுதலாக சிறப்பு நிதியாக 500 கோடி ரூபாய் தமிழ்நாடு அரசு வழங்கி மொத்தம் 1,250 கோடி ரூபாய் நிதி இப்பணிகளுக்கு பயன்படுத்தப்படும்.....”

2. Based on the above Announcement, the Government have issued orders in the Government Order third read above, among others, by approving the draft guidelines for implementation of Kudimaramathu during 2019-20 at a total cost of Rs. 1250 Crore (State Funds = Rs.500 Crore + MGNREGS Funds = Rs.750 Crore). In the above Government Order, administrative sanction has been accorded for (i) taking up the desilting and deepening of 5,000 Minor Irrigation tanks through Panchayat Unions and 25,000 Ponds and Ooranies through Village Panchayats using machineries at an estimate cost of Rs.500 Crore from the State Funds by adopting PWD Schedule of Rates (SoR) for the year 2019-20 and (ii) taking up the construction of other works in MI Tanks/Ponds/Ooranies like inlet, outlet, surplus weir, sluice, baby pond, bathing ghat at an estimate cost of Rs.750 Crore under convergence with MGNREGS funds. Further in para-9 of the above GO third read above, it has been stated that orders for administrative sanction and financial release of Rs.500 Crore will be issued separately under State funds.



3. In continuation of the above Government Order third read above and after careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, the Government decide to accept the same and accordingly sanction a sum of Rs.500 Crore (Rupees Five Hundred Crore only) from State funds for taking up the works of Rejuvenation of Minor Irrigation Tanks, Ponds and Ooranies in Rural areas during 2019-20 in Convergence with Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) under kudimaramathu scheme, adhering to the guidelines issued in the GO third read above.

4. The expenditure sanctioned in para-3 above shall be debited to the following new head of account:-

"4702-00 Capital Outlay on Minor Irrigation- 101. Surface Water – State's Expenditure - KB Mission for rejuvenation of minor irrigation Tanks, Ponds and Ooranies in Rural Area- 416 Major Works – 01- Major Works.  
Old (DPC 4702-00-101-KB-1600)  
IFHRMS (DPC : 4702-00-101-KB-41601)

5. The Expenditure sanctioned in paragraph 3 above shall constitute an Item of "New Service" and the approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. Pending approval of the Legislature, the expenditure may be initially be met by draws of an advance from the contingency fund. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department is directed to calculate the actual amount required for the period up to next Supplementary Estimates and apply for sanction of the same as advance from the contingency fund Finance (BG-I) Department directly in Form "A" appended to the Tamil Nadu Contingency Fund Rules 1963 along with a copy of this order. Orders for sanction of an advance from the Contingency Fund will be issued from Finance (BG-I) Department. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department is also directed to send explanatory notes to include the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates for the year 2019-20 to Government in Finance (RD&PR) Department at the appropriate time without fail.

6. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is the Estimating, Reconciling and Controlling Authority of the above new head of account. The Pay and Accounts Officer / Treasury Officer concerned are directed to open the above new head of account in their accounts. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para - 3 above.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.51704 / Fin(RD&PR), dated 07.11.2019 with ASL No. 2026 (Two thousand twenty six)

(By Order of the Governor)

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**ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

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

All District Collectors (except Chennai District).

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

All Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies.

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

The Accountant General, Chennai-18.

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

The Finance (RD) Department, Chennai-9.

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The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Municipal Administration & Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme), Chennai-9.

The Principal Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to Government, RD&PR Department, Chennai-9.

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