



ABSTRACT

Schemes – Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department – Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme – 2020-21 – Scheme implementation – Guidelines issued for the year 2020-21 – Amendment to the Guidelines–Orders – Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1) Department

G.O. (Ms) No.167

Dated 21.10.2020

சார்வரி-ஐப்பசி 5-நதேதி

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2051

Read:

1. G.O. (Ms) No. 89, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1), Department, dated 21.04.2020.
2. G.O.(Ms)No.130, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS-1) Department, dated 27.07.2020.
3. From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Letter Rc. No.17554/2020/NEDM-2 dated 18.9.2020.

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, orders were issued to reduce the per MLA allotment in Budget Estimate 2020-21 to Rs.2 crore by way of reduction in appropriation and orders to allocate to the tune of Rs.235 crore at the rate of Rs.1 crore per MLA from the MLACDS fund to the Health and Family Welfare Department for procuring medicines and materials to detect and contain COVID-19 through Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation (TNMSC).

2. In the Government Order second read above, orders were issued for the implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) for the year 2020-21 along with the detailed guidelines.

3. In the letter third read above, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that in G.O.(Ms)No.130, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS-1) Department, dated 27.07.2020, orders have been issued for the implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) for the year 2020-21 along with the detailed guidelines. In G.O. (Ms) No.89, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1) Department, dated 21.04.2020, orders have been issued to reduce the per MLA allotment in Budget Estimate 2020-21 to Rs.2 crore by way of reduction in appropriation and orders to allocate to the tune of Rs.235 crore at the rate of Rs.1 crore per MLA from the Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme funds to the Health and Family Welfare Department for

procuring medicines and materials to detect and contain COVID-19 through Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation (TNMSC). Based on that, the remaining amount of Rs.2 crore has been allocated per Constituency to implement the scheme during 2020-21. Out of which, an allocation of Rs.1 crore shall be earmarked for 'tied component' which is to be mandatorily earmarked for priority works specified in the guideline as detailed below:

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| (1) Infrastructure to Schools, Anganwadi centres / Noon-meal centres and drinking water supply works | Rs. 50 Lakh |
| (2) COVID-19 pandemic relief works | Rs. 25 Lakh |
| (3) Other Tide Works
(The MLA can choose one or more works under tied component according to his/her choice.) | Rs. 25 Lakh |

4. He has further stated that the remaining 'un-tied component' of Rs.1 crore, the Members of the Legislative Assembly can choose any work of their choice of not falling within the 'negative list'.

5. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has added that during the recent Assembly Session, the Members of Legislative Assembly have represented that a sum of Rs.1 crore have already been earmarked and deducted for COVID-19 relief works from Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme funds. But, apart from that, a sum of Rs.25 Lakh is also mandatorily earmarked for the COVID-19 pandemic relief works under tied component, which may be reconsidered and issue revised orders.

6. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has, therefore, requested the Government to reconsider the allocation of Tied Component under Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme for the year 2020-21 as follows and a revised guidelines may be issued in this regard:

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| (1) Infrastructure to Schools, Anganwadicentres / Noon-meal centres and drinking water supply works | Rs. 50 Lakh. |
| (2) Other Tide Works | Rs. 50 Lakh. |
| Total | Rs. 100 Lakh |

Further, he has furnished the detailed revised draft guidelines in Tamil and English and requested to issue necessary Government Orders for the implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) for the year 2020-21.

7. The Government have carefully examined the proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department in detail and issue the following amendment to the guidelines issued in G.O. (Ms) No.130 Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1) Department, dated 27.7.2020:

- (1) Under Item No.1, existing sub para No.1.2 "Rs.25 Lakh for COVID-19 pandemic relief works" shall be deleted;

(2) the existing sub para No.1.3 is re-numbered as 1.2 and the amount of Rs.25 lakh shall be read as "Rs.50 lakh".

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.34628/Fin(RD)/2020, dated 3.10.2020.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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

To

All Members of Legislative Assembly
(through the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj).
The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15.
The Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, Chennai - 9.
The Secretary, Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat, Chennai - 9.
All District Collectors (except Chennai).
All Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies
(through the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj).
The Commissioner, Corporation of Chennai, Chennai-3.
The Director of Town Panchayats, Chennai-108.
The Commissioner of Treasuries and Accounts, Chennai-15.
The Member Secretary, State Planning Commission, Chennai-5.
The Director, Local Fund Audit Department, Chennai-108.
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai - 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 National Informatics Centre, Chennai-9.

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The Principal Secretary/Secretary-II to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai-9.
The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Municipal
Administration, Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme,
Chennai-9.
The Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary to Government, Chennai-9.
The Principal Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to
Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai-9.
Finance (BG-I/BG-II/RD) Department, Chennai - 9.

// FORWARDED/ BY ORDER //

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Section Officer.

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