

## ABSTRACT

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department – Integrated Child Development Services Scheme – Implementation of Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY) Scheme a conditional Maternity Benefit Scheme in convergence with Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme – Orders – Issued.

### **Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme (SW7) Department**

G.O.(Ms).No. 200

Dated 26.06.2012  
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Read :-

- 1 From the Government of India, Ministry of Women and Child Development, Letter No.9-5/2010-Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY), dated 8.11.2010.
- 2 From the Government of India, Ministry of Women and Child Development Letter No.9-3/2010-IGMSY-CMB, dated 22.11.2010 and dated 30.5.2011.
- 3 From the Government of India Ministry of Women and Child Development, Letter No.9-10/2011-1, IGMSY, dated 29.12.2011.
- 4 From the Principal Secretary/Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Roc.No.158385/HM1/2010, dated 23.1.2012 and 13.2.2012.

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### ORDER:

In the letter first read above, the Government of India, have approved a new scheme viz: Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY), a Conditional Maternity Benefit (CMB) Scheme for pregnant and lactating women on pilot basis in 52 selected districts across the country by providing cash incentives for improved health and nutrition to pregnant and lactating mothers by using the Integrated Child Development Services platform. In the above scheme, the beneficiaries (Pregnant and lactating women) will be paid Rs.4,000/- in three instalments i.e. Rs.1,500/- at the end of second trimester, Rs.1,500/ will be paid 3 months after delivery and Rs.1,000/- will be paid 6 months after delivery on fulfilling certain specific conditions related to maternal and child health as approved by Government of India. The Government of India has approved

two districts i.e. Cuddalore and Erode for the implementation of the above new scheme in Tamil Nadu on pilot basis. The Government of India has released a sum of Rs.449.085 lakh vide its letter F.No. 9-9/2011-IGMSY dated 27.01.2011 and the above amount has been revalidated by the Government of India in their letter 2<sup>nd</sup> read above dated 30.5.2011.

2. The Government of Tamil Nadu is already implementing a scheme called Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme which is being implemented from 15.9.2006 by Health and Family Welfare Department. This scheme provides financial assistance of Rs.6,000/- to pregnant women from Below Poverty Line families for the first two deliveries to compensate wage loss during pregnancy and to ensure that they have access to nutritional food so that the incidences of low birth weight of babies is reduced. In G.O.(Ms)No.276 Health and Family Welfare Department dated 3.11.2011 orders have been issued by the Government to enhance the financial assistance to the poor pregnant women from Rs.6,000/- to Rs.12,000/-, with effect from 1.6.2011.

The comparative statement showing the details about the Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana and Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme is as given below:-

S. No	Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY), a Conditional Maternity Benefit Scheme	Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme
1	ELIGIBILITY All pregnant women of 19 years and above (except for employees of Government and public sector undertakings, Central and State Government) Eligible for two live births	Below Poverty Line pregnant women of age 19 years and above Only for two deliveries
2	CASH BENEFIT ( 3 instalments) I.Rs.1500/- (during the end of 2 <sup>nd</sup> trimester)	(3 instalments) Rs.4000/- (during 7 <sup>th</sup> month of pregnancy)
	II.Rs.1500/-(three months after delivery)	Rs.4000/- immediately after delivery in Government/Local body institution.
	III.Rs.1000/- Six months after delivery (with certain conditions)	Rs.4000/- after the child Administered with third dose of DPT, Hepatitis-B and Polio Pentavalent Vaccine for the child

3. The Government of India was requested to accord it concurrence to implement the Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana scheme of the Government of India using the Integrated Child Development Services platform in synergy with the

Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme of the State Government and to give the maximum financial benefit to the Pregnant and Lactating Mothers so that all the targeted beneficiaries under the Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana in Erode and Cuddalore districts will be given financial assistance of Rs.12,000/- i.e. Rs.4,000/- from Government of India fund and Rs.8,000/- from State Government fund and will be released in three instalments and the conditions of cash transfer including registration of pregnancy, antenatal check up, provision of Iron and Folic Acid tablets, Tetanus Toxoid injection, immunization of the child, growth monitoring and feeding practices as envisaged in the Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana will be followed.

4. In the letter third read above Government of India has accorded their concurrence to the proposal of the State Government subject to the following conditions:-

- i. All the conditions prescribed under Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana scheme guidelines for cash transfer in 3 instalments are followed up.
- ii. The name of the scheme should remain Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana in Erode and Cuddalore district.
- iii. Integrated Child Development Services functionary will follow and maintain separate register/formats etc. and send the utilization certificates and progress reports as prescribed under implementation guidelines of Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY).

5. The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services has stated that as per Government of India instructions, a Base Line survey was conducted during 12/2010. There were about 49,050 beneficiaries identified. (in Erode-18,279 Nos. and in Cuddalore 30,771 Nos.) As the number of beneficiaries varies every month, the actual number of beneficiaries who had received Conditional Maternity Benefit Scheme cash assistance through Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme from 1.6.2011 can be obtained from Directorate of Public Health.

6. The Principal Secretary/Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services has therefore requested the Government to issue necessary orders on the following to implement the Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY) Scheme in synergy with the State scheme, (i.e.) Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme of the Health Department.

- a) Permission to implement Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY) Scheme of Government of India, using Integrated Child Development Services platform in Erode and Cuddalore districts in synergy with Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme of the State Government through Directorate of Public Health.

b) Government may treat this as a "New Service" and open three new heads of account and apportion a sum of Rs.1357.08 lakh intended for Cash Benefit as follows :-

- (1) General Beneficiary - Rs.1085.66 lakh (80%)
- (2) Beneficiaries under Special Component Plan - Rs.257.85 lakh (19%)
- (3) Beneficiaries for Tribal Sub-Plan - Rs.13.57 lakh (1%)

Permission may be accorded to Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner of Department of Integrated Child Development Services to draw and disburse the amount by way of Contra Credit basis.

7. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services in the light of the concurrence given by Government of India, orders as follows:-

- i. The Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY) Scheme of Government of India, shall be implemented by using Integrated Child Development Services platform in Erode and Cuddalore districts in synergy with Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme of the State Government through Directorate of Public Health. The issue of name of the scheme shall be taken up separately. The sum of Rs.1357.08 lakh (Rupees Thirteen crores fifty seven lakh and eight thousand only) intended for cash benefit is sanctioned under the following three new heads of accounts opened under Demand No. 45 .04

**a) General Beneficiary – Rs.1085.66 lakh (80%)**

"2236.Nutrition-02.Distribution of Nutritious Food and Beverages-101.Special Nutrition Programme-Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-III. Centrally Sponsored – SK - Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY)Maternity Benefit Scheme -09. Grants in aid – 03 Grants for specific scheme" (D.P.Code 2236-02-101-SK 0937).

**b) Beneficiaries under Special Component Plan - Rs.257.85 lakh (19%)**

"2236.Nutrition-02.Distribution of Nutritious Food and Beverages-789 Special Component Plan for schedule caste -Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-III. Centrally Sponsored - SA - Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana 09 Grants in aid – 03 Grants for specific schemes" (D.P.Code 2236-02-789-SA 0931).

c) Beneficiaries for Tribal Area Sub-Plan - Rs.13.57 lakh (1%)

"2236.Nutrition-02.Distribution of Nutritious Food and Beverages 796 Tribal area Sub Plan- Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-III. Centrally Sponsored - SA - Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana- 09 Grants in aid 03 Grants for specific Schemes" (D.P.Code 2236-02-796-SA 0936).

- ii. Further, token provision is also made for the following detailed /sub detailed heads under General head of account:-

a. Salary Component for formation of Districts and State Cell

"2236.Nutrition-02.Distribution of Nutritious Food and Beverages-101.Special Nutrition Programme-Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-III. Centrally Sponsored -SK - Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana -01 Salaries 01 Pay" (D.P.Code 2236-02-101-SK -0115).

b. Furniture

05. Office Expenses 05. Furniture  
(D.P.Code 2236-02-101-SK 0553).

c. Flexi Fund and Contingency fund

05. Office Expenses 02 other contingencies  
(D.P.Code 2236-02-101-SK 0526).

d. Training activities

72 Training  
(D.P.Code 2236-02-101-SK 7207).

e. Computer purchase

76 Computer Accessories 01 Purchase  
(D.P.Code 2236-02-101-SK 7618).

The Commissioner of Integrated Child Development Services scheme is the estimating reconciling and controlling authority of the above three new heads of accounts. The Pay and Accounts Officer/Treasury Officer concerned are requested to open the above 3 new sub heads of accounts in their books.

8. The Principal Secretary/Special Commissioner of Integrated Child Development Services is permitted to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 7(i) above through Director of Public Health.

9. The Director of Public Health is directed to

- a) provide periodical monthly report on the number/list of beneficiaries and all relevant particulars required by Government of India designed reporting format to the Department of Integrated Child Development Services, at State Level.
- b) organise an orientation and convergence meeting to sensitize all the relevant field staff of Integrated Child Development Services and Health Department on filling up of Government of India reporting formats, PICME Number operation and mode of implementation of Indira Gandhi Matritva Sahyog Yojana (IGMSY) in synergy with Dr.Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme, at District level, Block and Village level.
- c) arrange at Primary Health Centre/Anganwadi Centre level coordination between Village Health Nurse and Anganwadi Worker are jointly fill the reporting formats of Government of India which will be consolidated at Block and District level by Child Development Project Officer and District Programme Officer respectively for reporting to Government of India through Department of Integrated Child Development Services.

10. The amount sanctioned in para 7(i) above will constitute an item of 'New Service'. Approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. Pending approval of the Legislature, this expenditure will be initially met from the Contingency Fund for which separate orders will be issued by the Finance (BG-I) Department. The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services is requested to apply in the prescribed format with this Government Order to Finance (BG-I) Department for drawal of Contingency Fund advance. The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services is requested to send necessary explanatory notes to Finance(BGI)/(SW) Department at the appropriate time. in order to include the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates for 2012-13.

11. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (SW) Department, vide its U.O.No.33702/Fin(SW)Department dated 26.6.2012 and Additional Sanction Ledger No.499 (Four hundred and ninety nine)

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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Principal Secretary to Government

To

The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner,  
Integrated Child Development Services, Chennai – 113.

The Principal Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department, Chennai -9.

The Director of Public and Preventive Medicine, Chennai – 18

The District Collector, Erode / Cuddalore

The District Programme Officer, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme,  
Erode/ Cuddalore

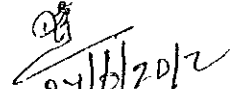
The Accountant General, Chennai -18  
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The Director, Ministry of Women and Child Development,  
Government of India, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi – 11.

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