



ABSTRACT

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department – Integrated Child Development Services Scheme – TANII (2016 – 2017) ISO Certification, Grading and Accreditation of 128 Anganwadi centres in 32 Districts – Sanction of ₹ 32,80,000 – Orders – Issued.

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme (SW-7(2) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.24

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Read:

- 1 From the Member Secretary, State Planning Commission, Letter No.4476/PC/SPC/2015-2, Dated 05.02.2016.
- 2 Letter received from the Director, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme Roc.No.10165/M&E/2015, Dated:20.12.2016 & 27.01.2017.

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ORDER:-

The State Planning Commission has recommended the proposal of ISO certification, Grading and Accreditation of 128 Anganwadi Centres in 32 Districts, covering 4 Anganwadi Centres in each district at a total cost of ₹ 32,80,000.

2. Based on the above recommendation the Director, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme has sent proposal stating that ICDS services had played a major role in bringing down the child mortality morbidity along with child malnutrition. However, there are few challenges to be addressed to improve the quality standards in service provision. There is a need to clearly define the criteria and indicators for child friendly Anganwadi Centres. The grading of Anganwadi Centres based on the different levels of quality need to be carried out through the involvement of panchayats, mothers committees and community groups in process.

3. The existing Anganwadi Centres will be the "Model Anganwadi Centre" remodelled into a child friendly and educative space both inside and outside. The centre will be painted with moral pictorial stories, Tamil and English Alphabets, numbers and other learning materials. In order to create an interest among the children, the centre will be equipped with recreational materials such as swings, sliders, sea-rockers, etc. to create awareness among the community on health and nutrition for children and women, messages related to the subject will be painted on the walls of the centre. In order to sensitize women about the nutritional status of their children, a growth monitoring chart to measure the nutritional status of children

will be painted, so as to create awareness about impacts of adopting ideal health behaviours. All the above activities will be done through community contribution through motivation. The Anganwadi centres with modern and basic facilities to tackle malnutrition among children will be assessed by recognized NGOs on the basis of certain parameters including people's participation, steps initiated to deal with malnutrition, tree plantation and maintenance of records etc., while awarding ISO certificate.

4. In Tamil Nadu, with the support of United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), ten blocks in ten districts were initiated with the accreditation process and the state, district and the project level staff were oriented for developing a model Anganwadi centre. Various criteria / parameters were evolved for accreditation and the same was adopted in the Anganwadi Centres.

5. The experience thus gained will be utilized for accreditation of Anganwadi Centres in each of the 32 Districts.

This project will enable the Integrated Child Development Services Scheme functionaries at all levels

- To specify the quality standards for Anganwadi Centres contributing to improve child survival, nutrition and develop outcomes.
- To grade child friendly Anganwadi Centres based on quality standards and child related out comes achieved.
- To establish participatory process and improve motivation of Integrated Child Development Services Scheme functionaries and communities to improve the outcome indicator.

ISO certification, Grading and Accreditation of Anganwadi Centres will be done in 32 districts covering 4 Anganwadi Centres in each district, at an estimated cost of ₹ 32,80,000 (Rupees thirty two lakh and eighty thousand only) as detailed below.

S. No.	Activity	₹ (in lakh)
1.	ISO certification, Grading and Accreditation of Anganwadi Centre in 32 Districts x 4 Anganwadi Centres / District x ₹ 20,000	25.60
2.	Training to Integrated Child Development Services Scheme functionaries of 32 Districts at State level	7.20
	Total	32.80

Break up for State Level Master Training:

No. of days to be conducted	:	2 days
Batch Size	:	40
No. to be trained	:	400
Master Training	:	1 Batch

No. of batches to be conducted		:	10 batches
Participants		:	CDPOs, Statistical Inspectors, Supervisors Gr I /Gr II
Venue of the Training		:	State Training Institute
1.	Contingency	₹ 5,000 / batch for 2 days	10,000
2.	Boarding and Lodging	₹ 500 x 40 participants x 2 days	40,000
3.	Training Module & Stationery etc.	₹ 100 X 40	4,000
4.	Daily allowance for trainees	₹ 150 x 40 x 2 days	12,000
5.	Honorarium to Resource person	₹ 1500 x 2 x 2 days	6,000
Total per batch			72,000
For 10 batches (₹ 72,000 x 10)			7,20,000

The Project is an unique effort to ensure health and nutrition and the government with NGOs and corporate to ensure better standards of health and nutrition care in the state.

6. Further, the Director, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme has requested the Government to issue orders on the following:-

- i. Sanction a sum of ₹ 32,80,000 (Rupees thirty two lakh and eighty thousand only) to implement the project in 128 Anganwadi Centres across the state @ four centres per district for uplifting the Anganwadi Centres to the level required for accreditation.
- ii. The Director cum Mission Director, Department of Integrated Child Development Services Scheme may be authorized to identify an NGO through a committee formed by him for granting accreditation certificate to 128 Anganwadi Centres and to sign an MOU with the concerned NGO.
- iii. To permit the Director cum Mission Director of Integrated Child Development Services Scheme to follow Tamilnadu Tender Transparency in Tender Act, 1998 and Rules, 2000 for the selection of NGO.
- iv. To train the field functionaries who have responsibilities in the implementation of the programme
- v. To permit the Director cum Mission Director of Integrated Child Development Services Scheme for utilizing the savings amount if any available through effective negotiation for any one programme component for the other component under accreditation of Anganwadi Centres.

- vi. In view of the expenditure to be incurred in time for the current financial year, the Director cum Mission Director of Integrated Child Development Services Scheme may be permitted to draw the amount in advance under article 99 of the Tamilnadu Financial Code Volume-1.
- vii. To authorise the Director cum Mission Director to draw and incur the expenditure to the tune of ₹ 32,80,000 under the relevant head of account.

7. The expenditure sanctioned in para 6(i) above shall be debited under the following Head of Account :-

“2236 Nutrition – 02 Distribution of Nutritious Food and Beverages – 101 special Nutrition Programme - Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan - JR ISO Certification, Grading and Accreditation of 128 Anganwadi Centres - 42 Service and Commitment Charges. (DP Code No. 2236 – 02 – 101 – JR – 4205)

8. The above expenditure shall be met from the State Innovation Fund by deducting under the following head of account:-

“2236 Nutrition – 02 Distribution of Nutritious food and beverages – 902 Deduct – amount met from State Innovation Fund – Scheme in the Twelfth Five Year Plan – II State Plan – JA Deduct – Amount met from State Innovation Fund – 30 Inter – Account Transfers (DPC: 2236 02 902 JA 3006).

And contra debiting

J-reserve fund (b) Reserve funds not bearing Interest – 8229 – 00 Development and Welfare funds – 200 Other Development and Welfare funds – BE State Innovation Fund (DPC: 8229 00 200 BE 0006) outgo

9. The Director, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme is permitted for ISO certification, Grading and Accreditation of 128 Anganwadi Centres in 32 Districts, covering 4 Anganwadi Centres in each district, at an established cost of ₹ 32,80,000 under TANII (Part II Scheme) for the year 2016-2017.

10. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (SW) Department vide its U.O.No.13605/JS(KM)/2017, Dated. 23.03.2017.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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