



ABSTRACT

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department- Integrated Child Development Services Scheme - Implementation of Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls (NPAG) Scheme - Providing free rice to Adolescent Girls, in Thiruvannamalai and Ramanathapuram Districts during the year 2009-2010 -Orders - Issued.

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department

G.O.Ms.No:32

Dated: 12.02.2010
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READ:

1. G.O.(Ms) No.171 Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department, dated 21-11-2002
2. G.O.(Ms) No. 237 Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department, dated 18-12-2007
3. G.O.(Ms) No. 29. Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department, dated 20-02-2009.
4. From the Government of India Ministry Women and Child Development D.O.Ir.No.1-7/2009 NPAG dated 18-09-2009.
5. From the Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner. Integrated Child Development Services Scheme Lr.No.5567/NC1(2)/2009 dated 10-12-2009

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ORDER:

In the G.O. first read above the Government have issued orders for the implementation of the Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls Scheme of providing 6 kgs of rice through Public Distribution System shops totally at free of cost to the under nourished Pregnant Women, lactating mother and adolescent girls in Thiruvannamalai and Ramanathapuram Districts with effect from 25-11-2002 through Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation Limited at below poverty line at the rate of Rs. 5.65 per kg.

2) In the Government Order Second read above, orders were issued regarding the continued implementation of Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls to the Adolescent Girls only during the year 2007-2008 as directed by the Government of India.

3) In the Government order 3rd read above, orders were issued for the continued, implementation of Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls to the

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4) In the letter 4th read above the Government of India have informed that continuation of NPAG in 2009-10 on pilot basis has been approved by the Government. Further it has been mentioned that the scheme is to be implemented in the same 51 districts identified by the Planning Commission in 2002-2003. The NPAG is to be continued in the year 2009-10 also on a pilot basis with the two cut off weights viz. 30 kg for those in the age group of 11-15 years (below 15 years) and 35 kg for beneficiaries in the age group of 15-19 years for selection of beneficiaries. The Government of India have requested that steps for implementation of this scheme should be taken up immediately.

5) In the letter 5th read above the Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme, has stated that based on the Government of India approval, the District Programme Officers Thiruvannamalai and Ramanathapuram Districts have already been instructed to implement the NPAG Scheme from October 2009 onwards for the financial year 2009-10.

6) The Principal Secretary / Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme has sent Proposal for the Continuance of Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls (NPAG) Scheme based on the estimated expenditure details and number of beneficiaries received from the District Programme Officers, Thiruvannamalai and Ramanathapuram Districts. The total amount required for implementation of the Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls (NPAG) Scheme during 2009-10 amounts to Rs.173,58,881/- or Rs. 173.59 Lakhs as detailed below :

S. No	District	No.of centres	No.of Beneficiaries	Cost of Rice (Rs) including Transport charges and handling margins.	Cost of IEC/Training Activities (Rs.400/- per center	Other Operational Costs (Printing of Registers Coupons etc) Rs.200/- per center	Total in Rs.
1	Thiruvanna malai	1901	38577	8792315/-	760400/-	380200/-	9932915/-
2	Ramanath apuram	1371	29119	6603366/-	548400/-	274200/-	7425966/-
	Total	3272	67696	15395681	1308800	654400/-	17358881/-

Total Estimated Expenditure for 2009-2010

1.	Thiruvannamalai	Rs.99,32,915/-
2	Ramanathapuram	Rs. 74,25,966/-
		Rs.173,58,881/- (or) Rs. 173.59 Lakhs

7) A sum of Rs. 250.00 lakhs has been provided in the B.E. 2009-10 under the Head of Account 2236-02-101-SG-09 Grants in Aid for implementation of Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls (NPAG) Scheme during 2009-10.

8) Hence the Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme has requested the Government to issue necessary orders sanctioning of Rs. 173.59 lakhs and also for continuance of Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls (NPAG) Scheme in Tamil Nadu for the year 2009-10. There is no financial commitment to the State Government. It is 100% Grant by Government of India.

9) The Government have examined the proposal of the Principal Secretary / Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme carefully with reference to approval of the NPAG Scheme by Government of India during 2009-10 and accord sanction for a sum of Rs.173.59 lakh (Rupees One hundred and Seventy three lakhs and fifty nine thousands only) for the continued implementation of Nutrition Programme for Adolescent Girls Scheme in Thiruvannamalai and Ramanathapuram Districts of Tamil Nadu during 2009-2010 towards cost of Rice and Information Education & Communication ; Training activities and other operational costs as detailed in para 6 above.

10) The expenditure sanctioned in para 9 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

"2236 Nutrition - 02 Distribution of Nutritious Food and Beverages - 101 Special Nutrition Programmes -Schemes in the Eleventh Five Year Plan - III Centrally Sponsored - SG Provision of Food grains to Pregnant and Lactating Women and Adolescent Girls under ICDS - 09.Grants-in-Aid - 03.Grants for Specific Schemes (D.P.Code 2236-02-101-SG-0935)".

11) The Principal Secretary / Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme is also requested to issue suitable instructions to the District Programme Officers concerned on sub-allocations to the Districts of Tiruvannamalai and Ramanathapuram for the liftment of Rice from Food Corporation of India through Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation.

12) The Principal Secretary / Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme Project is requested to send a consolidated progress report regarding the details of expenditure and the physical progress in the prescribed format as recommended by the Government of India every month periodically and positively.

13) This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.1329/Fin/SW/ dated:01.02.2010.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

P. RAMA MOHANA RAO,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

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

The Chairman & Managing Director,
Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation Limited, Chennai-10.

The Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Chennai-10.

The Collector of Thiruvannamalai/Ramanathapuram Districts.

The District Programme Officer, Thiruvannamalai/ Ramanathapuram.
(Through the Commissioner, ICDS Project, Chennai-113)

The Accountant General, Chennai-18/(By name).

The Accountant General (Audit I/II), Chennai-18.

The Resident Audit Officer, Secretariat, Chennai-9

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

The Treasury Officer, Thiruvannamalai/Ramanathapuram.

The Secretary to Government of India,

Ministry of Women & Child Development, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi-110 001

The Adviser (Health), Government of India, Planning Commission, Yojana Bhavan,
New Delhi. 110 001

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The Finance (SW) / (BG.II) Department, Chennai-9.

The Health & Family Welfare Department, Chennai-9.

The Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Chennai-9

The Planning Development and Special Initiatives Department, Chennai-9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Minister (Social Welfare), Chennai-9.

The Private Secretary to Secretary to Government, Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal
Programme Department, Chennai-9.

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