

## ABSTRACT

Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department - Integrated Child Development Services Scheme – Part II Scheme for the year 2012-2013 – Supply of Two Stainless Steel Containers to each 6800 Anganwadi Centres Under Integrated Child Development Services – Expenditure of Rs.108.80 lakh – Sanctioned – Orders – Issued.

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

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Read:

From the Principal Secretary /Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services Letter Roc.No.15898/A2/2011, dated 22.12.2011.

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### ORDER:

The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services in her letter read above has stated that under the Integrated Child Development Services Scheme Programme, there are 54,439 Anganwadi Centres functioning under 434 Projects in 31 District Units through which health, nutrition and pre-school education interventions are being done for the benefit of target groups (0-6 years children, Pregnant mothers and Lactating mothers and Old Age pensioners). In the Anganwadi Centre, the nutrition intervention is being done by providing weaning food in the morning to the 6-36 months children and Pregnant and Lactating mothers. Weaning Food in the form of Sathu Laddu is given to children from 6 - 36 months and pregnant and lactating mothers. Hot cooked noon meal is served to children in the age group of 2+ to 4+ and old age pensioners attached to the centres.

2. The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services has also stated that the Main objective of Integrated Child Development Services Scheme is to make Tamil Nadu "Malnutrition Free State". Major services rendered in Anganwadi centres are Supplementary Nutrition and noon meal mainly to children. For implementing these two major programmes, food commodities

like supplementary food, Rice, Dhal are procured in large quantities and stored for usage. Storage of these food commodities in gunny bags sometimes leads to wastage of food grains. Also in rainy and damp season the food articles get perished, due to moisture in the atmosphere. Hence, it is proposed to provide 2 Nos. of Stainless Steel containers having storage capacity of 25 to 30 Kgs. each for storing food commodities in the Anganwadi Centres. Out of 54439 Anganwadi centres, already 24,706 centres were provided with Stainless Steel containers. Remaining 29733 Centres are need to be provided with storage bins. Since the required number is more, this year it is proposed to cover 6800 centres only. The size of the container should be of 12" x 18" x 24" (approx.) with lid and two handles, approximate weight not less than 3,000 kg with thickness of steel 26 gauge and the storage capacity of 25 to 30 kg.

3. The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services has therefore requested the Government to sanction a sum of Rs.108.80 lakh as non-recurring expenditure towards Providing 13600 Stainless steel containers at Rs.800/- each by providing 2 Nos. of Stainless Steel containers per centre for 6800 Anganwadi centres and the break up details of the above expenditure is as follows:

Cost of one Stainless steel container : Non-Recurring Cost Rs.800 / -

No. of containers to be provided  
(2 containers per centre for 6800 centres) : 13600 Nos.

Total Amount involved  
(13600 containers @ Rs.800/-)  
Inclusive of VAT & Escalation of cost : Rs.1,08,80,000/-

The ultimate cost involved in this scheme is Rs.108.80 lakh

4. After careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services the Government accord sanction for a sum of Rs.1,08,80,000/- (Rupees One crore eight lakh and eighty thousand only) as non-recurring expenditure towards Providing 13600 Stainless steel container at Rs.800/- each for 6800 Anganwadi centres for 2 containers per centre under Part II Scheme for the year 2012-2013.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited under the following head of account:-

2236-Nutrition-02-Distribution of Nutritious Food and Beverages -102 - Mid Day Meals – Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-II State Plan – KV- Provision of Materials and Supplies to Anganwadi Centres - 24. Materials and Supplies  
(DPC 2236 02 102 KV 2402)

6. The Principal Secretary / Special Commissioner, Integrated Child Development Services is instructed to follow Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tender Act 1998 and all other relevant Rules, regulations financial procedures thereof while procuring the above said materials. The amount sanctioned in para 4 above shall be utilized at the earliest and Utilisation Certificate furnished to Government early.

7. The order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.175/DS(VS)/2012, Dated.4.5.2012.


(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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