



ABSTRACT

Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Department – Release of first installment of Grant-in-Aid sanctioned by Government of India under the Scheme for the Implementation of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (SIPDA) Accessible India Campaign (AIC) for the year 2020-2021 – Orders Issued.

Welfare of Differently Abled Persons (DAP-3.1) Department

G.O. (Ms) No. 10

Dated: 01.10.2021

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Read:

1. From the Joint Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, New Delhi, D.O. Letter No.4-19/2015-AIC, dated 08.12.2015
2. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, New Delhi, Letter No.4-53/2016-AIC, dated 23.02.2021 (addressed to the PAO, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, New Delhi and copy marked to this Government).
3. From the Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled/ State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Letter No.4682/DAW-II-2/2015, dated 04.03.2021
4. From the Under Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, New Delhi, Letter No.4-53/2016-AIC, dated 19.03.2021 (addressed to PAO, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, New Delhi and copy marked to this Government)
5. From the Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled/ State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Letter No.1609/DAW.II-2/2021, dated 21.04.2021

ORDER:-

The Government of India, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities in their D.O. Letter first read above have requested to identify 50 most important public buildings in Chennai and Coimbatore cities of the State under Accessible India Campaign.

2. In the letter second and fourth read above, the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities has conveyed the sanction of the grant in aid of Rs.57,12,74,499/- and released a sum of Rs.28,56,37,250/- (Twenty Eight Crores Fifty Six Lakhs Thirty Seven thousand Two Hundred and Fifty only) as the first installment in both spell (Rs.14,28,18,625/- as the first installment and Rs.14,28,18,625/- as the part of first installment) for creation of barrier free environment in 14 State Government Buildings at Chennai City under the Accessible India Campaign of Scheme for Implementation of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (SIPDA) for the year 2020-2021.

3. In the letter third and fifth read above, the Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled/ State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities has requested the Government to issue necessary orders for releasing the first and the part of first installment of the grant in aid of Rs.28,56,37,250/- sanctioned by the Government of India in both spell for creation of barrier free environment in 14 State Government buildings at Chennai city under the Scheme for Implementation of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 (SIPDA) Accessible India Campaign (AIC) for the year 2020-2021.

4. The Government have examined the proposal of the Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled / State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities and accord administrative sanction for Rs.57,12,74,499/- (Rupees Fifty Seven Crores Twelve Lakhs Seventy Four Thousand Four Hundred and Ninety Nine only) and financial sanction for a sum of Rs.28,56,37,250/- (Twenty Eight Crores Fifty Six Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty only) as the first installment for creation of barrier free environment in the following fourteen State Government buildings at Chennai city under the Accessible India Campaign during the year 2020-2021. The break up details are as follows:-

Sl. No	Name of the building	Features proposed	Implementing Agency	Amount sanctioned by Ministry (In Rs)	1 st instalment Released by the Ministry (In Rs)	Part of 1 st instalment Released by the Ministry	Total (In Rs)
1.	Tamil Nadu State Election Commissionerate No.208/2, Jawaharlal Nehru Road, Opp. CMBT, Arumbakkam, Chennai - 600 106	Handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles.	Executive Engineer, PWD North, Presidency Division.	12,00,000/-	3,00,000/-	3,00,000/-	6,00,000/-
2.	University of Madras, Chepauk, Chennai - 600 005	Accessible Route with lighting, handrails, signage, tactile tiles, renovation in lifts (4).	Executive Engineer, PWD North Presidency Division	22,84,500/-	Rs.5,71,125/-	Rs.5,71,125/-	Rs.11,42,250/-
3.	The Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, 69, Anna Salai, Guindy, Chennai - 600032.	Handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Buildings Maintenance Division, Medical Works	32,49,999/-	8,12,500/-	8,12,500/-	16,25,000/-

4.	Government Stanley Medical College (5 Blocks), Chennai - 1.	Accessible Route, entrance ramps, handrails, Braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Buildings Maintenance Division, Medical Works	88,20,000/-	22,05,000/-	22,05,000/-	44,10,000/-
5.	Government Kilpauk Medical College Campus (3 Blocks), Chennai - 600010.	Accessible Parking, Accessible Route, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Buildings Maintenance Division, Medical Works	42,50,000/-	10,62,500/-	10,62,500/-	21,25,000/-
6.	Secretariat Main Building, Garage Block, ILH Block, Chennai - 9.	Handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD North, Presidency Division.	1,17,00,000/-	29,25,000/-	29,25,000/-	58,50,000/-
7.	Rajiv Gandhi Government General Hospital (11 Blocks), Chennai - 600003.	Accessible Route, Accessible Reception, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Buildings Maintenance Division, Medical Works	6,00,00,000/-	1,50,00,000/-	1,50,00,000/-	3,00,00,000/-
8.	Government Stanley Hospital (8 Blocks), Chennai - 600 001	Accessible Route, Accessible Reception, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, Repaving and Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Buildings Maintenance Division-3, Medical Works	4,83,00,000/-	1,20,75,000/-	1,20,75,000/-	2,41,50,000/-
9.	Queen Mary's College (11 Blocks), Chennai - 4.	Accessible Route, Accessible Parking, ramps, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, lifts (5), Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Technical Education Division.	3,91,50,000/-	97,87,500/-	97,87,500/-	1,95,75,000/-
10.	Presidency College (17 Blocks), Chennai - 5.	Accessible Route, Accessible Parking, ramps, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, lifts (7), Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Technical Education Division	4,48,50,000/-	1,12,12,500/-	1,12,12,500/-	2,24,25,000/-

11.	Anna University, Main Campus (23 blocks), Chennai – 25.	Accessible Route, Accessible Parking, Accessible Reception, ramps, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, lifts (23), Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Technical Education Division	25,88,00,000/-	6,47,00,000/-	6,47,00,000/-	12,94,00,000/-
12	Madras Institute of Technology (5 Blocks), Chennai – 44.	Accessible Route, Accessible Parking, Accessible Reception, ramps, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, lifts (1), Re-flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Technical Education Division	5,02,00,000/-	1,25,50,000/-	1,25,50,000/-	2,51,00,000/-
13.	Connemara Public Library in Government Museum, Egmore, Chennai-600 008	Accessible Parking, Accessible Route, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, Re- flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD North, Presidency Division.	35,20,000/-	8,80,000/-	8,80,000/-	17,60,000/-
14.	Government Arts College for Men, Nandanam, Chennai – 35.	Accessible Route, Accessible Parking, Accessible Reception, ramps, handrails, braille signage, tactile tiles, renovation in toilets, lifts (1), Re- flooring.	Executive Engineer, PWD, Technical Education Division	3,49,50,000/-	87,37,500/-	87,37,500/-	1,74,75,000/-
				57,12,74,499/-	14,28,18,625/-	14,28,18,625/-	28,56,37,250/-

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

“4235 – Capital outlay on social security and welfare – 02 – Social Welfare – 101 – Welfare of Differently Aabled Persons Central Sector Schemes – SA – Scheme for Implementation of Persons with Disabilities Act. [SIPDA] – 416 – Major works – 01 Major works. [IFHRMS DPC 4235-02-101-SA-41601]”

The Government also permit the Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled / State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities to distribute the amount sanctioned in para 4 above subject to the following terms and conditions issued by the Government of India:-

- (i) The implementing agencies (Public Works Department, Chennai, University of Madras & Directorate of Technical Education) to submit the final Utilization Certificate for the entire grant along with a project completion report within six months after completion of the work/project as stipulated in the proposal. Unutilized money, if any, is to be refunded to the Ministry. In case the work/project is not completed within the stipulated time frame and further time is sought to complete the same, the organization concerned has to intimate the Ministry and also explain the reason for the delay. If the project is not completed within the time frame/extended time frame, the organization concerned has to refund the grant forthwith.
- (ii) The implementing agencies shall furnish the progress report on 5th of every month on the project indicating both physical and financial achievements in relation to the approved project to the Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled, Chennai.
- (iii) The implementation agencies to furnish the before and after location specific photographs of buildings as and when required to the Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled, Chennai.
- (iv) All provisions of Harmonized Guidelines issued by the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs will be complied to, for ensuring full accessibility in buildings for which GIA released.
- (v) The work has to be allotted as per terms and conditions laid down in General Finance Rules (GFR)/ Codal Procedure/ CVC Guidelines in the matters of contract/financial transactions.
- (vi) All other terms and conditions laid down in General Financial Rules (GFR), 2017 would be applicable.
- (vii) The implementing agencies will prominently display details of grant in aid received, purpose thereof, events organized and list of beneficiaries, wherever applicable on their websites.
- (viii) The item of work in the project sanctioned cannot be diverted to any other programme without prior approval of Government of India.
- (ix) The concerned Head of the departments have to furnish a "Certificate" that, all the barrier free structures as specified in the approved budget estimates have been made in the buildings.

The Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled/ State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities is requested to monitor the execution of work. The funds allocated under this scheme should not be diverted to any other programmes without prior approval of Government of India

The Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities is authorized to incur the expenditure sanctioned in paragraph 4 above and execute the same through Public Works Department as per the existing guidelines.

This order issue with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.39987/ Finance Department, dated 29.09.2021.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**R.LALVENA,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

Director for Welfare of the Differently Abled/
State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Chennai-5.
Accounts Officer, Chennai-9/18/35.
Accountant General (A&E), Chennai-18.
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Public Works Department, Chennai-9.
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08/10/21
SECTION OFFICER