

#### **ABSTRACT**

Tamil Nadu Irrigation Agriculture Modernization Project (TNIAMP)- Water Resources Department – Procurement of Computers, Computer Peripherals & Accessories, Laptops, Printers and File Server for Functional Wings of Water Resources Department under sub component (A1) of Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building of TNIAMP at an estimated amount of Rs.89.00 Lakhs under World Bank funded TNIAMP- Administrative Sanction – Accorded- Orders –Issued.

Water Resources (WR1) Department

G.O.(D) No.130

Dated 27.5.2022 சுபகிருது, வைகாசி 13 திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2053

Read:

1. G.O. (Ms) No. 140, Public Works (WR1) Department. dated 22.5.2018

2. From the Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineer (General), Water Resources Department, Chennai Letter No.TNIAMP Cell/F 104/ Empowered Committee /2017, dated 20.01.2022.

## ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, block administrative sanction was accorded for a sum of Rs.2962 Crore for TN IAMP with a project period of 7 years from 2017 to 2024 (455.80 Million US Dollar including the fund assistance of 318 million US Dollar from the World Bank at the exchange rate of Rs.64.95 per US Dollar).

- 2. In the letter second read above, the Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineer (General), Water Resources Department, Chennai has stated that TNIAM project comprises of the following three main components:-
  - A. Irrigation and Water Management.
  - B. Agriculture Productivity Enhancement.
  - C. Project Management Support.

The Component (A) consists of following four interrelated sub-components:-

- A.1. Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building for Water Management.
- A.2. Irrigation Systems Modernisation.
- A.3. Participatory Irrigation Management and
- A.4. Convergence for Improved Service Delivery.

### The sub-component A1 will finance for

- Training for both within the Water Resources Department and allied agencies for strengthening the state's capacity of water resources planning and management.
- Technical assistance for studies of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) based modern technologies and river basin master plans
- Experts, consultants, equipment and operating expenses
- Improving Institutional Infrastructure to support data collection and analysis etc.

An amount of Rs.51.33 Crore has been sanctioned for sub-component A1.

- 3. He has also stated that an amount of Rs. 31.04 lakhs has been already spent for the procurement of computers for the TNIAMP Cell in the Office of the Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineer (General) Water Resources Department, Chennai based on the Administrative Sanction accorded vide G.O (Ms) No.119 Public Works (WR.1) Department, dated.26.08.2019. The following Water Resources Department Wings requires for Computers, Computer Peripherals & Accessories, Laptops, Printers and File Server:
  - i. Institute for Water Studies, Hydrology & Quality Control
  - ii. Design Circle
  - iii. Plan Formation
  - iv. Surface and Ground Water Resources Data Centre
  - v. Design Research and Construction Support
- vi. State Water Resources Management Agency
- vii. Joint Chief Engineer (Irrigation) and Joint Chief Engineer (General) Wings in the Office of the Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineer (General), Water Resources Department, Chennai.
- viii. All Regions of Water Resources Department
- 4. He has also stated that three proposals have been prepared for Procurement of Computers, Computer Peripherals & Accessories, Laptops, Printers and File Server for Functional Wings of WRD at an estimated amount of Rs.89.00 Lakhs under sub component (A1) of Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building of World Bank funded TNIAMP. The above said proposals have been prepared based on the actual requirement of facilities and as per the rates provided in Gem portal & local Market rates as per quotation is provided for the photocopier. The details of three proposals are as follows:-

SI. No	Description .	Estimate Amount (Rupees in Lakhs)
1	Procurement of Computers(16GB) with UPS for Design Circle, and Laptops for the functional Wings of Water Resources Department.	25.00
2		32.00
3	Procurement of File server and Computers(8GB) with UPS for the functional wings of Water Resources Department.	32.00
	Total	89.00

The proposals were placed before the Empowered Committee through circulation. The empowered committee approved the proposals on 19.01.2022.

- 5. The Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineer (General), Water Resources Department, Chennai has therefore requested the Government to accord administrative sanction for Procurement of Computers, Computer Peripherals and Accessories, Laptops, Printers and File Server for Functional Wings of Water Resources Department under sub component (A1) of Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building of TNIAMP at an estimated amount of Rs.89.00 Lakhs under World Bank funded TNIAMP as detailed at para 4 above.
- 6. Based on the approval of the Empowered Committee, the Government have decided to accept the proposal of the Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineer (General), Water Resources Department, Chennai and hereby accord administrative and financial sanction for Procurement of Computers, Computer Peripherals and Accessories, Laptops, Printers and File Server for Functional Wings of WRD under sub component (A1) of Institutional Strengthening and Capacity Building of TNIAMP at an estimated amount of Rs.89.00 Lakh (Rupees Eighty nine lakh only) under World Bank funded TNIAMP as detailed below:-

SI. No	Description	Estimate Amount (Rupees in Lakhs)
1	Procurement of Computers(16GB) with UPS for Design Circle, and Laptops for the functional Wings of Water Resources Department.	25.00
2	Procurement of Printers and other Computer peripheral Accessories for the functional Wings of Water Resources Department.	32.00
3	Procurement of File server and Computers(8GB) with UPS for the functional wings of Water Resources Department.	32.00
	Total	89.00

7. The expenditure sanctioned at para 6 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

"2701-Medium Irrigation – 80 General -004- Research Externally Aided Project - PD – Information and Technology under TNIAM Project–II - 376 Computers and Accessories - 01 Purchase"

(DPC:2701-80-004-PD 37601)

- Instrument of Services" and the approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. Pending approval of the legislature, the expenditure will be met by drawl of an advance from the Contingency Fund. Orders regarding which will be issued by Finance (BG-I) Department Separately. The Engineer-in-Chief and Chief Engineer (General), Water Resources Department, Chennai is directed to send necessary proposals to Government in Finance (BG-I) Department directly in Form 'A' appended to the Tamil Nadu Contingency Fund Rules, 1963 along with a copy of this order for sanction of an advance from the Contingency Fund. He is also directed to send necessary explanatory notes for inclusion of the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimate 2022-2023 to Finance (PW-II/ BG-I) Department at an appropriate time.
- 9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.1697/PW-II/2022, dated:24.5.2022 and Additional Sanction Ledger No. 0229 (Two hundred and twenty nine).

## (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

# SANDEEP SAXENA ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Principal Secretary and Project Director, TN IAM Project,

MDPU Office, Chennai-5.

The Engineer in Chief and Chief Engineer (General),

Water Resources Department, Chennai - 5.

The Principal Accountant General (Audit / A&E), Teynampet, Chennai-18.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Egmore, Chennai-8.

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

The Pay and Accounts Officer (North), Chennai-1.

Copy to:-

The Finance (PW.II/BG I/BG II/W&M I) Department, Chennai – 9. The Resident Audit Officer, Office of the Principal Accountant General

(General and Social Sector Audit), Secretariat, Chennai - 9.

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SECTION OFFICER