

20/12/22



ABSTRACT

Forests - Announcement - Hon'ble Chief Minister - Rs.25.00 lakhs to be paid as ex-gratia to the kin of the Forest Department employees viz. Anti-Poaching Watchers / Forest Watchers / Forest Guards / Foresters / Forest Range Officers, who lose their lives while controlling forest fire under the Chief Minister's Public Relief Fund (CMPRF) - Orders issued.

Environment, Climate Change and Forest (FR.14) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.208

Dated: 13.12.2022

சுபகிருது, கார்த்திகை-27

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2053

Read:

1. Announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister during the Collectors, Police and Forest Officers Conference held on 12.03.2022.
2. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Chennai-15. Letter Ref.No.PV1/ 9605/2022, Dated: 11.08.2022.

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ORDER:

The Hon'ble Chief Minister made the following announcement during the Collectors, Police and Forest officers conference held on 12.03.2022:-

"வனத்துறையின் வீரர்கள் வனத்தீயினைக் கட்டுப்படுத்தும்போது துரதிருஷ்டவசமாக உயிரிழக்க நேர்ந்தால், முதலமைச்சர் பொது நிவாரண நிதியிலிருந்து அவர்களுக்கு 25 இலட்சம் ரூபாய் வழங்கப்படும்"

2. Accordingly, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests was asked to send a proposal for providing compensation of Rs.25.00 lakhs as ex-gratia payment to the kin of those Forest Department employees who may lose their lives in line of duty while battling forest fire viz. Anti-Poaching Watchers / Forest Watchers / Forest Guards / Foresters / Forest Range Officers. The objective of the scheme is to provide financial security to the families of deceased employees who may lose their lives in line of duty while battling forest fire.

3. After carefully examining the proposal, the Government orders that the compensation for an amount of Rs.25.00 lakhs (Rupees Twenty five lakhs only) shall be paid from the Chief Minister's Public Relief Fund (CMPRF) to the kin of those Forest Department employees viz. Anti-Poaching Watchers / Forest Watchers / Forest Guards / Foresters / Forest Range Officers, who may lose their lives while battling forest fire.

4. This order shall come into force from the date of issue.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.46151/ Finance (CMPRF) / 2022, Dated: 08.11.2022.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

SUPRIYA SAHU
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

~~The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Forest Force), Chennai-32.
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai-18
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-35.~~

Copy to

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-9.
The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Forests), Chennai-9.
The Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to Government,
Environment, Climate Change and Forest Department, Chennai-9.
Finance (CMPRF) Department, Chennai-9.
Environment, Climate Change and Forest (FR.7) Department, Chennai-9.
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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

V.S. Swarn
Section Officer 13/12/2022
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