



ABSTRACT

Forests – Wildlife – Scheme for implementation of Management Action Plan for the Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Muthupet, Tamil Nadu during the year 2018-2019 to be implemented in 2019-2020 – Sanction and release of Central and State share - Orders issued.

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.5) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(D) No.285

Dated: 25.10.2019

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Read:

1. Government letter No.18634/FR.5/2017-1, dated 28.09.2017.
 2. The Advisor, Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (CS.I Division), New Delhi F.No.3(1)/11/2002-CS(M) dated 08.01.2019 and 31.01.2019.
 3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden letter No.WL3/52190/2018, dated 05.02.2019.
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ORDER:-

In the reference first read above, the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden seeking Central Assistance of Rs.59.395 lakh for implementation of Management Action Plan for the Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Muthupet Tamil Nadu was forwarded to the Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change for approval and release of funds as a Centrally Sponsored Scheme during 2018-2019.

2. The Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change in their letters second read above have sanctioned a sum of Rs.59.395 lakh, which will be shared on 60:40 basis by the Government of India and Government of Tamil Nadu. Out of which, Government of India share of Rs.35.637 lakh and remaining amount of Rs.23.758 lakh is State Government share for implementation of Management Action Plan (MAP) for Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Muthupet, Tamil Nadu during the year 2018-2019. The Government of India have now released a sum of Rs.33.161 lakh (Rs.14.979 lakh + Rs.18.182 lakh) i.e., 93% of Central share. The Government of India have also informed that the amount of Rs.33.161 lakh (Rs.14.979 lakh + Rs.18.182 lakh) will be drawn by the Drawing and Disbursing Officer, Ministry of Environment and Forests, New Delhi and disbursed to Forest Department,

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Tamil Nadu, Office of the Wildlife Warden, Gulf of Mannar Marine National Park, Mandapam Road, Collectorate Post, Ramanathapuram 623 503 by Electronic Clearing System (ECS) / RTGS as per the following details.

Bank Name	:	State Bank of India
Name of Account holder	:	Wildlife Warden, Ramanathapuram
Bank Account No.	:	38112314931
IFSC Code	:	SBIN0018191
Address	:	Bharathi Nagar Branch
		No.1/1144, Near D Block Bus Stop,
		Ramanathapuram

3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden in the letter 3rd read above, has requested the Government to sanction and release a sum of Rs.55.256 lakh (Government of India share Rs.33.161 lakh + State Government share Rs.22.095 lakh) for implementation of Management Action Plan for Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Muthupet, Tamil Nadu during 2018-2019 under Centrally Sponsored The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Scheme.

4. The Government after careful consideration accord administrative sanction and release a sum of Rs.59.395 lakh (Rupees Fifty Nine lakh thirty nine thousand five hundred only) and financial sanction for Rs.55.256 lakh (Government of India share Rs.33.161 lakh + State share Rs.22.095 lakh) under Centrally Sponsored Scheme. Out of this sanctioned amount of Rs.55.256 lakh, the Central share of Rs.33.161 lakh (Rupees Thirty Three lakh Sixteen thousand and hundred only) has already been released and credited to the implementing agency's account directly. Hence State share of Rs.22.107 lakh is now released for implementation of Management Action Plan for Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Muthupet, Tamil Nadu during 2018-2019 to be implemented in 2019-2020.

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

"4406 Capital Outlay on Forestry and Wildlife - 02
Environmental Forestry and Wildlife – 110 Wildlife State's
Expenditure - UM Conservation and Management of
Mangroves - 416 Major Works – 01 Major Works.

(Old D.P.Code 4406 02 110 UM 1608)"
(New D.P.Code 4406 02 110 UM 41601)".

6. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden is authorized to incur the above expenditure.

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7. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden shall ensure that the expenditure does not exceed the sanctioned amount and the Utilization Certificate shall be sent to Government of India / Government of Tamil Nadu in time. He is also to ensure that the terms and conditions laid down by Government of India in their letters 2nd read above should be followed strictly.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.19548/AHD&F/2019 dated: 23.10.2019.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

SHAMBHU KALLOLIKAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (HoD), Chennai-15.
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai -15
The Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change,
Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, Jorbagh Road, Aliganj, New Delhi-110 003.
The Wildlife Warden, Gulf of Mannar Marine National Park, Mandapam Road,
Collectorate Post, Ramanathapuram 623 503
The Treasury Officer Concerned.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (South) (Through PCCF and CWW)
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai – 18.
The Accountant General-I/II, 361, Anna Salai, Chennai-18
The Accountant General-I/II, 361, Anna Salai, Chennai-18(BN)
The Resident Audit Officer,
Office of the Principal Accountant General (General and Social Sector Audit)
Tamil Nadu Secretariat, Chennai – 9.

Copy to:

The Finance (AH&F/ BG II) Department, Chennai-9
The Financial Adviser,
Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15.
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/FORWARDED BY ORDER/

B. Subochana
SECTION OFFICER

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30/10/19