



ABSTRACT

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

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.5) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(D) No.293

Dated: 04.11.2019

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Read:

1. Government letter No.12786/FR.5/2019-1, dated 02.08.2019.
2. The Advisor, Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (CS.I Division), New Delhi F. No.3(1)/12/2002-CS (M), dated 27.09.2019.
3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden letter No.WL3/47494/2019, dated 04.10.2019.

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.74.87 lakh for implementation of Management Action Plan for the Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Ramnad in 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 2019-2020.

2. The Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change in their letter second read above have sanctioned an amount Rs.57.37 lakh for implementation of Management Action Plan for Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Ramnad area of Tamil Nadu during the year 2019-2020. The Government of India has sanctioned Rs.57.37 lakh for the scheme which will be shared on 60:40 basis by the Government of India and Government of Tamil Nadu. The Government of India share is Rs.34.422 lakh and the remaining amount of Rs.22.948 lakh is the State Government share. Further the Government of India has also conveyed approval to carry forward the unspent amount of Rs.0.048 lakh from 2018-2019 .The Government of India has now released a sum of Rs.34.374 lakh @ 60% as Central share in a single installment after adjusting unspent balance of Rs.0.0480 lakh. Further, the Government

of India has also informed that the amount of Rs.34.374 lakh will be drawn by the Drawing and Disbursing Officer, Ministry of Environment and Forest, New Delhi and disbursed to Forest department, Tamil Nadu, office of Wildlife Warden, Gulf of Mannar Marine National Park, Mandapam Road, Collectorate Post, Ramanathapuram 623503 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. In the letter third read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden has requested to sanction a sum of Rs.57.37 lakh (Government of India share Rs.34.374 lakh + Unspent balance of 2018-2019 Rs.0.0480 lakh + State share of Rs.22.948 lakh) to implement the scheme during 2019-2020 and also requested to release State share of Rs.22.948 lakh and to utilize Rs.0.0480 lakh unspent balance of 2018-2019 to implement the scheme during 2019-2020.

4. The Government after careful consideration accord Administrative Sanction for a sum of Rs.57,37,000/- (Rupees Fifty seven lakh and thirty seven thousand only) and release a sum of Rs.22,94,800/- (Rupees twenty two lakh ninety four thousand and eight hundred only) as State share pertaining for 2019-2020 and also permit the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden to utilize the unspent amount of Rs.0.048 lakh for implementation of Management Action Plan for Conservation and Management of Mangroves in Ramnad area of Tamil Nadu during the year 2019-2020. The Central share of Rs.34.374 lakh has already been released by the Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi directly to the implementation agencies account.

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

(IFHRMS D.P. Code No.4406 02 110 UM 41601)

(Old D.P. Code No.4406-02-110-UM-1600)

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

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 letter 2nd read above should be followed strictly.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.53124/Fin(AHD&F) department/2019 dated 29.10.2019.

(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, Ramanathapuram,

The Pay and Accounts Officer (South) (Through PCCF & 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.

/FORWARDED BY ORDER/

B. Subochana
SECTION OFFICER

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5/11/19