



ABSTRACT

Forests - Scheme of Raising and Maintenance of Teak Plantations in Padugai Lands of Tamil Nadu – Sanctioning a sum of Rs.855.30 lakh for 1st, 2nd and 3rd year maintenance of Teak Plantations during 2019-2020 - Orders issued.

Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department

G.O.(D)No: 179

Dated : 16.07.2019

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Read:

1. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD), Chennai-15, Letter Ref.No.J1/6071/2012, Dated 30.4.2012 and 16.05.2012.
2. G.O.(D)No.432, Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department, Dated: 11.02.2012.
3. G.O.(D)No.459 Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department, Dated: 16.12.2013.
4. Government Letter (Ms)No. 09, Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department, Dated: 27.01.2014.
5. Government Letter (Ms)No. 138, Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department, Dated: 22.12.2014.
6. G.O.(D)No.27, Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department, Dated: 22.1.2015.
7. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Department), Chennai-15, Letter Ref.No.J1/2753/2015, Dated: 23.10.2017 and 12.10.2018

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ORDER :

The Hon'ble Chief Minister made an announcement under rule 110 of Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Rules on 15.05.2012 that Teak Plantations will be raised in 19,075 ha. with an outlay of Rs.39.49 crores.

2. Accordingly in the letter first read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has sent a proposal for raising and maintenance of teak plantations in Padugai lands of Tamil Nadu at a cost of Rs.3949.46 lakh proposed for an area of 19,075 Ha for a project period of six years from 2012-2013 to 2017-2018. He has furnished the year-wise financial

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requirement and the total outlay for the implementation of the above scheme, as follows:-

| Sl. No. | Year | Physical Area in Ha. | Amount (Rs. in lakh) |
|----------------|-------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | 2012-2013 | 6475 | 608.65 |
| 2 | 2013-2014 | 6300 | 975.35 |
| 3 | 2014-2015 | 6300 | 1178.34 |
| 4 | 2015-2016 | Maintenance | 696.96 |
| 5 | 2016-2017 | Maintenance | 329.30 |
| 6 | 2017-2018 | Maintenance | 160.86 |
| Total | | 19075 | 3949.46 |

3. The Government have sanctioned amount towards the implementation of the scheme during 2011-2012 to 2014-2015, as detailed below :-

| Sl.No | G.O. No & Date | Amount Sanctioned |
|--------------|----------------------------|--|
| 1. | G.O.(D)No.432, 11.02.2012. | Sanctioned and launched the scheme of raising of Teak Plantations in Padugai lands of Tamil Nadu with an outlay of Rs.608.65 lakh during 2012-2013. |
| 2. | G.O.(D)No.459, 16.12.2013. | Sanctioned a sum of Rs.621.81 lakh for planting of Teak plantations in Padugai lands in 6300 ha. during 2013-2014 and a sum of Rs.353.54 lakh for the maintenance of plants raised during 2012-2013. (Total - Rs.975.35 lakh during 2013-2014.) |
| 3. | G.O.(D)No.27, 22.1.2015. | Sanctioned a sum of Rs.1178.34 lakh during the year 2014-2015. (i.e. Rs.276.32 lakh for raising the Teak Plantation in 1760 ha. of padugai Land, Rs.830.91 lakh for the first year maintenance of the Teak Plantation in 7163 ha. which were raised during 2013-2014 and Rs.71.11 lakh for the second year maintenance of the Teak Plantation in 3912 ha. which were raised during 2012-2013) |

4. In the letters seventh read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has sent a proposal for seeking financial sanction for a sum Rs.855.30 lakh towards 1st, 2nd and 3rd year maintenance of Teak Plantations in Padugai lands of Tamil Nadu, which was already spent and to be settled to the petty contractors.

5. The Government after careful examination, have decided to accept the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest and to sanction a sum of Rs. 855.30 lakh (Rupees Eight crore fifty five lakh thirty thousand only) for the maintenance cost already spent for Teak plantations in Padugai lands of Tamil Nadu for the year 2012-2013, 2013-2014 and 2014-2015, to be settled to the petty contractors.

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

“4406 Capital Outlay on Forestry and Wild Life - 01 Forestry - 105
Forest Produce – State’s Expenditure - JB. Teak Plantations -
416. Major works – Major works
(DPC: 4406 01 105 JB 1605)
(IHRMS DPC: 4406 – 01 – 105 – JB – 41601)

7. Necessary funds of Rs.855.30 lakh will be provided in Revised Estimates/Final Modified Appropriation 2019-2020 to meet the expenditure sanctioned/released in para 5 above. Pending provision of such funds, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests is authorized to incur the expenditure. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests is also directed to include the expenditure sanctioned above while sending the budget proposals for RE/FMA 2019-20 to Finance (AHD&F/BG.I) Department at an appropriate time without fail.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O. No.26816/AHD&F/2019, Dated: 11.07.2019 and ASL No.677 (Six Hundred and Seventy Seven).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**SHAMBU KALLOLIKAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests
(Head of Department), Chennai-15.
The Principal Accountant General(A&E),
Chennai-18.

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

The Pay & Accounts Officer / Treasury Officer concerned
(through Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD)
Chennai-15.

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Office of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Secretariat, Chennai-9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister,
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The Senior Private Secretary to Hon'ble Minister (Forests), Chennai-9.

The Senior Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government,
Environment and Forests Department, Chennai - 9.

The Finance (AHD&F / B.G.I/B.G.II) Department, Chennai-9.

G.O.(D)No.432, Environment and Forests (FR.6) Department, Dated: 11.02.2012.

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