



ABSTRACT

Forests – Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) 2019-2020 (Round II) – State Innovation Fund – Assessing Human-Peafowl conflict and developing an action plan to reduce the conflicts in select zones of Tamil Nadu at a cost of Rs.17.48 lakh – Sanctioned – Orders issued.

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.5) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt) No. 134

Dated: 03.03.2020

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திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2051

Read:

1. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests letter No.J3/27063/2018, dated: 04.06.2019 and 01.08.2019.
2. From the Member Secretary, State Planning Commission, letter No.1600/PC/SPC/2019, dated 28.11.2019.

ORDER:-

In the letter 1st read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has stated that the proposal for assessing Human-Peafowl conflict and developing an action plan to reduce the conflicts in select zones of Tamil Nadu has been placed before the State Planning Commission for sanctioning a sum of Rs.17.48 lakh under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) – State Innovation fund for the year 2019-2020 (Round II) in order to reach the following objectives:-

1. Identification of high human-peafowl conflict zones in Tamil Nadu and assess the population of peafowl in identified conflict zones.
2. Evaluate the crop damages and economic loss of agriculture produce due to peafowls in select conflict zones.
3. To assess the effectiveness of searching devices used by farmers to protect the crops.
4. Prepare an action plan for a high conflict zone and propose appropriate management intervention.

2. In the letter 2nd read above, the State Planning Commission has recommended the above project at a cost of Rs.17.48 lakh for a period of one year under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) 2019-2020 (Round II). Therefore, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has requested to sanction a sum of Rs.17.48 lakh for assessing Human-Peafowl conflict and developing an action plan to reduce the conflicts in select zones of Tamil Nadu under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) – State Innovation Fund for the year 2019-2020 (Round II).

(P.T.O.)

3. The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests accord administrative and financial sanction for a sum of Rs.17.48 lakh (Rupees Seventeen lakh Forty Eight Thousand) for assessing Human-Peafowl conflict and developing an action plan to reduce the conflicts in select zones of Tamil Nadu under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) – State Innovation Fund for the year 2019-2020 (Round II) as annexed to this order.

4. (i) The expenditure sanctioned in para-3 above shall be debited to the following new head of account opened under Demand No.54.01:-

2406 – Forestry and Wildlife – 02 – Environmental Forestry and Wildlife – 110 – Wildlife Preservation – State’s Expenditure – AR – Assessing Human-Peafowl conflict and developing an action plan to reduce the conflicts in select zone under State Innovation Fund – 309 – Grants-in-aid – 03 – Grants for Specific Schemes.

(DPC: 2406-02-110-AR-0936)

(IFHRMS: 2406-02-110-AR-30903)

(ii) The expenditure shall be met from the State Innovation Fund by deducting under the following head of account:-

2406 – Forestry and Wildlife – 02 – Environmental Forestry and Wildlife – 902 - Deduct – Amount met from Reserve Fund – State’s Expenditure – JA – Deduct – Amount met from State Innovation Fund – 330 – Inter - Account Transfers – 01 – Inter – Account Transfers

(DPC: 2406-02-902-JA-3000)

(IFHRMS: 2406-02-902-JA-33001)

And Contra-debiting the following fund account:-

“J – Reserve Fund – (b) Reserve funds not bearing interest
8229 – 00 – Development Welfare Funds – 200 – Other
Development and Welfare Funds – BE – State Innovation Fund
(Old DPC: 8229-00-200-BE-0006) (Outgo)
(IFHRMS DPC: 8229-00-200-BE-80202) (Outgo)

5. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests is the Estimating, Reconciling and Controlling authority of the above new head of account.

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above i.e., Rs.17.48 lakhs has already been provided in the Second Supplementary Estimates of Demands for Grants for further Expenditure 2019-2020.

7. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests is authorized to draw and disburse the amount released in para-3 above. He is also requested to ensure that the amount released therein is utilized in full and to send the utilization certificate as soon as the work is completed.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 6048/Fin (AHD&F)/2020, dated 25.02.2020.

(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 Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-600 035
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai – 18.
The Resident Audit Officer, Chennai – 9.

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The Member Secretary, State Planning Commission, Chennai-5.
The Finance (AHD&F/ BGII) Department Chennai-9.
The Special Secretary (Forests), Chennai-9.
The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government,
Environment and Forests department, Chennai-9.
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**ANNEXURE TO G.O. (Rt) No.134, Environment and
Forests (FR.5) Department, dated: 03.03.2020**

S. No.	Items	Amount (in Rs.)
1.	Salary and Wages	
	1. Two field Biologists @ Rs.25,000/ month per person for 12 months	6,00,000
	2. Two Field Assistant @ Rs.15,000/ month for 10 months	1,50,000
2.	Equipment	
	1. Binocular, compass & GPS (2 each)	1,00,000
	2. Metal frames and nets for enclosure experiment (10 units)	1,50,000
3.	Travel	
	1. Travel expenses related to field visits (vehicle hiring, fuel and maintenance).	3,00,000
	2. Field station rent and maintenance	1,00,000
4.	Consumables (Stationery, printing of Action plan and final report)	70,000
5.	Contingency expenses	50,000
6.	Salim Ali Centre for Ornithology and Natural History's Institutional Charges (15 % of the budgeted amount)	2,28,000
	Total	17,48,000

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