



ABSTRACT

Irrigation – NABARD – IDF XVII - Modernisation of 10th Branch Canal and construction of Bye-Pass channel to feed Chunnambur Distributary and Modernisation of connected 12 tanks in Madurai District – Administrative Sanction for Rs.10,00,00,000/- – Sanctioned - Orders - Issued.

Public Works (W1) Department

G. O (Ms) No. 258

Dated:14.12.2011
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Read:

1. From the Chief Engineer (Plan Formulation), Water Resources Department Letter No. B/2000/NABARD/2011-2012, dated 11.04.2011.
2. From the General Manager, NABARD Letter No. NB.TN.SPD/199/RIDF-XVII (TAMIL NADU)/119 PSC/ 2011-12 dated: 30.09.2011.

ORDER:-

The Chief Engineer (Plan Formulation), Water Resources Department has sent the estimate for the work of Modernisation of 10th Branch Canal and construction of Bye-Pass channel to feed Chunnambur Distributary and Modernisation of connected 12 tanks in Madurai District for an amount of Rs.10.00 crores based on the schedule of rates 2010-2011 along with provision for escalation for the year 2011-2012 and he has requested to accord administrative sanction for the same under NABARD loan assistance in RIDF XVII. This proposal has been forwarded to NABARD for loan assistance.

2. The Chief Engineer (Plan Formulation) in his letter first read above has stated that the 10th Branch Canal off takes at L.S.47899m of Periyar Main Canal and runs for a total length of about 13 km and empties into Marudhur tank. The Chunnambur Distributary off takes from sluice no.1 of Marudhur tank and flows for a length of 11.52 km. This scheme contemplates the construction of a separate Bye pass channel from 10th Branch Canal to Chunnambur Distributary. It has also proposed to modernize the 10th branch canal and 12 tanks under Chunnambur distributary. No land acquisition is involved in this scheme since the bye pass channel runs through poramboke land.

3. The following components are proposed:

1. Modernisation of 10th Branch canal and Thiruvadhavur Distributary.
2. Construction of Bye pass channel.
3. Construction of head sluice in 10th Branch Canal.
4. Construction of regular in 10th Branch Canal.
5. Construction of canal drop @ L.S.0m and 465m of Bye pass Channel.
6. Modernisation of Chunnambur Distributary from LS 0 to 11000m.

7. Modernisation of 12 tanks which involved standardization of tank bund, reconstruction of sluices, improvements to supply channel and surplus course and construction of retaining wall wherever necessary.

4. In the letter 2nd read above, the NABARD has approved the 12 irrigation schemes at a cost of Rs.4781.00 lakh. Among these 12, the work of Modernisation of 10th branch canal and construction of Bye-Pass channel to feed Chunnambur Distributary and Modernisation of connected 12 tanks in Madurai District for an amount of Rs.10.00 Crore is also one of the schemes. NABARD has provided Rs. 950.00 lakh (95%) as the loan assistance and the balance amount of Rs. 50.00 lakh (5%) as state share.

5. The Government, after careful examination, decided to accept the proposal of the Chief Engineer (Plan Formulation), Water Resources Department and accord administrative sanction for the work of Modernisation of 10th branch canal and construction of Bye-Pass channel to feed Chunnambur Distributary and Modernisation of connected 12 tanks in Madurai District at an estimated cost of Rs.10,00,00,000/- (Rupees Ten crore only) with NABARD loan assistance of Rs. 950.00 lakh (Rupees Nine crore and fifty lakhs only) with the state share of Rs.50.00 lakh (Rupees Fifty lakh only) under RIDF XVII.

6. The expenditure towards the work sanctioned in para 5 above shall be debited to the following new head of account, opened under Demand No.40.01:-

"4701- Capital Outlay on Major and Medium Irrigation – 03 Medium Irrigation-Commercial – 345 – Medium irrigation schemes – Schemes in the Eleventh Five Year Plan –II –State Plan- KF- Modernisation of 10th branch canal and construction of Bye-Pass channel to feed Chunnambur Distributary and Modernisation of connected 12 tanks in Madurai district with Loan assistance from NABARD under RIDF XVII -16 Major works." (DPC 4701-03–345-KF-1608).

7. The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department is the Estimating, Reconciling and Controlling authority for the above new sub-head of account.

8. The Pay and Accounts Officer /Treasury Officers concerned are requested to open the above new Sub-Head of Account in their accounts.

9. The expenditure relates to the work sanctioned in para 5 above constitutes an item of "New Service" for which the approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. Pending approval of the legislature, initially this expenditure will be met by drawal of an advance from the Contingency Fund, orders regarding which will be issued by the Government in Finance (BG-I) Department separately. The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai-5 is directed to send a proposal to Government in Finance (BG-I) Department in the prescribed format, along with a copy of this order for sanction of advance from the Contingency Fund. Further, he is also requested to send necessary draft explanatory notes for the inclusion of the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates for the year 2011-2012 without fail at the appropriate stage.

10. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 212 / DS (B) / PWII / 2011 dated: 12.12.2011 and Additional Sanction Ledger No.1071 (One thousand and seventy one).

(By Order of the Governor)

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department, Chennai-5
The Chief Engineer, Water Resources Department, Madurai Region, Madurai-2.
The Chief Engineer, (Plan Formulation), Water Resources Department, Chennai-5.
The District Collector, Madurai.
The Principal Accountant General (A&E / Audit I), Chennai-18.
The Pay and Accounts Officer/Treasury Officer, Madurai.
The General Manager, NABARD, 105,106, Mahatma Gandhi Road,
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The Secretary II to Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai-9.
The Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Finance, Chennai-9.
The Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Public Works, Chennai-9.
The Legislative Assembly, Chennai-9.
The Finance (PW (II) / BGI/ BGII /Res II) Department, Chennai-9
All Irrigation Sections in Public Works Department.
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