

## Abstract

Tourism – Announcements 2013-2014 - State Plan Schemes – Providing of basic infrastructure facilities at Sivan Temple area at Thirupunavasal in Pudukottai District – Sanction – Orders – Issued.

## Tourism, Culture & Religious Endowments (T3) Department

G.O.(Ms.) No. 261

Dated:21.10.2013

Thiruvalluvar Year 2044, Vijaya, Ayppasi 4

#### Read:

- 1. Announcement made by Hon'ble Minister for Tourism, 2013-14.
- 2. From the Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Tourism, Chennai letter No.2154/PD2/2012, Dated: 14.5.2013.

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### **ORDER:**

While moving the demand for Tourism Department for the year 2013-14, the Hon'ble Minister for Tourism has made the following announcement in the Legislative Assembly.

"Hon'ble Chief Minister has ordered to provide basic infrastructure facilities at a cost of Rs. 10.58 crores in 14 important tourist places including Viralimalai, Thirumanancherri and Thirupunavasal in Pudukottai District."

2. In the letter second read above, the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Tourism has stated that the District Collector, Pudukottai has sent a proposal to implement the above announcement, with detailed plan and estimates at a cost of Rs.27.97 lakhs, for providing basic facilities at Sivan Temple area in Thirupunavasal, Avudaiyar Kovil Panchayat Union, Pudukottai District to carry out the following works:-

SI.	Work	Estimate
No.		Amount
		(Rs. in lakhs)
i	Widening the Thirupunavasal	17.95
	Temple Car Street road at	
	KM 0/0-0/740	
ii	Providing Cement Concrete	2.70
	road in Kalyana Mandapam	
	Road, Thirupunavasal	
iii	To pave Cement Concrete Road	7.32
	surrounding	
	Viruthapurishwarar Temple,	
	Thirupunavasal	
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- 3. The Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Tourism has further stated that Thiru. M.Rajanayagam, Member of Legislative Assembly for Aranthangi Constituency has already represented to provide basic facilities at Thirupunavasal Temple area. The Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Tourism has also stated that as per the request of the District Collector, Pudukottai creating the above basic facilities is essential for the pilgrims and tourists visiting Thirupunavasal Temple in Pudukottai. He has therefore requested that considering the tourism importance of Pudukottai District and the requisition made by the District Collector Pudukottai, a sum of Rs.27.97 lakhs (Rupees twenty seven lakhs and ninety seven thousand only) may be sanctioned from tourism funds, to execute the above mentioned works.
- 4. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Tourism have decided to accept it and accordingly issue the following orders:
  - i) Sanction is accorded to Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Tourism for a sum of Rs.27.97 lakhs (Rupees twenty seven lakhs and ninety seven thousand only), for providing the basic facilities, as mentioned at para 2 above, at Sivan Temple area in Thirupunavasal, Avudaiyar Kovil Panchayat Union, Pudukottai District.

- ii) The Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Tourism is authorised to draw the amount sanctioned above and permitted to disburse the same to the District Collector, Pudukottai, so as to execute the works through the Block Development Officer, Avudaiyar Kovil Panchayat Union.
- 5. The amount sanctioned at para 4 above shall be debited under the following head of account:-

"5452-Capital Outlay on Tourism-01-Tourist Infrastructure-101-Tourist Centres – Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan-II State Plan-KV Improvement of basic facilities in Tourist Centres – 16 Major Works" (DPC 5452 01 101 KV 1604)

- 6. Necessary funds will be provided in RE/FMA for the year 2013-2014. Pending provision of funds, the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Tourism is authorised to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned at para 4 above. The Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Tourism is requested to send necessary proposal for inclusion of the amount in RE/FMA 2013-2014 to Government in Finance (Edn-II) Department, without fail.
- 7. The Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Tourism shall ensure that necessary arrangements are made in Arulmigu Sivan Temple area at Thirupunavasal in Pudukottai District to visibly indicate that the above works were carried out through "STATE TOURISM DEPARTMENT FUNDS".
- 8. The Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Tourism shall send a report on the progress of above works and Completion Report / Utilisation Certificate to Government.
- 9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.56324/Edn-II/2013, dated:17.10.2013, with Additional Sanction Ledger No.1700 (One thousand seven hundred).

# (BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

# R. KANNAN PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

#### To

The Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Tourism, Chennai-2. The Commissioner of Rural Development, Chennai-15.

The District Collector, Pudukottai District.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-9.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-9.

(Through Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Tourism)

The Accountant General, Chennai-9/18.

## Copy to:

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai -9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Finance, Chennai -9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Tourism, Chennai -9.

The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary to Government, Chennai -9.

The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government,

Finance Department, Chennai -9.

The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government,

Tourism Culture & Religious Endowments Department, Chennai -9.

The Finance (Edn-II/BG-II) Department, Chennai -9.

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The Tourist Officer, Karaikudi.

The Block Development Officer,

Avudaiyar Kovil Panchayat Union, Pudukottai District.

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**Section Officer**