



ABSTRACT

Health and Family Welfare Department - Old Government Tiruvannamalai Medical College and Hospital, Tiruvannamalai – Unused building handed over to the Differently Abled Welfare Department, Tiruvannamalai for the establishment of Spinal Cord Injury Rehabilitation Centers – Permitted – Orders issued.

HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (H2) DEPARTMENT

G.D.(Ms) No.387

Dated: 26.09.2020
Sarvani, Purattasi 10
Thiruvalluvar Aandu 2051
Read:

1. From the District Collector and District Magistrate, Thiruvannamalai D.O. Letter No.P.C.Spl. No.6, dated 04.06.2019.
2. From the Director of Medical Education letter No.50559/P&D1/1/2019, dated 24.02.2019.

ORDER:

The District Collector, Tiruvannamalai in his letter first read above has stated that during his field visit and grievances day petitions, it has come to his knowledge that the persons affected with spinal cord injury are suffering without proper medical care. Based on this, the District Differently Abled Welfare Officer and himself has visited such persons at their residence and witnessed that most of them are in very pathetic condition with poor care and also stated that the main reason is apathy, lack of awareness among the family members and not treated well with much care. Only aged parents are taking care and they are not able to shift them for cleaning and medical care. All such persons are facing bed wet and chronic urinal track infections. As a result 4 to 5 persons are expiring every month. In Tiruvannamalai district, 306 persons are affected with spinal cord injury in which 67 persons are severely affected. By extending proper medical care with adequate guidance / training, etc., the life span of such person will be extended. For which a short term rehabilitation centre should be to set up with medical intervention, training and counselling through Differently Abled Welfare Department. Moreover, there is no dedicated institutions to care spinal cord injury persons in the district. The District Collector, Tiruvannamalai has therefore requested the Government to handover the unused building as marked in the sketch to District Differently Abled Welfare Officer for operating Short Term Spinal Cord Injury Rehabilitation Centre in the old medical college campus.

2. The Director of Medical Education in his letter second read above has stated that the establishment of the Spinal Cord Injury Rehabilitation Centre through the Differently Abled Welfare Department, will be beneficial to 306 persons those are affected with spinal cord injury in which 67 persons are severely affected. He has also given no objection to use the unused building (16076.00 sq.ft.) at old campus of the Government Medical College and Hospital, Tiruvannamalai, as the Medical College campus has been shifted to new premise, and these buildings were not in use for more than 4 years.

3. The Government after careful examination accept the proposal of the District Collector, Tiruvannamalai District in detail and decided to accept the same. Accordingly the Director of Medical Education is directed to take necessary steps to handover the unused building measuring 16076.00 sq.ft available constructed building i.e. Post Operative Ward (Ground Floor), Mini Operation Theatre (Ground Floor + 1) and General Ward (Ground Floor + 1) (unused building) in Old Government Medical College and Hospital, Tiruvannamalai to the District Differently Aabled Welfare Officer, Tiruvannamalai for the establishment of Spinal Cord injury rehabilitation Centre.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The District Collector, Tiruvannamalai.

The Dean,

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