



ABSTRACT

Industries – Department of Geology and Mining - Announcement of 2018-2019 – Permission to Purchase 18 vehicles (Bolero Jeeps) and sanction of 5 posts of drivers – Accorded - Orders - Issued.

Industries (E.1) Department

G.O. (Ms.) No.7

Dated: 09.01.2020

**விகாரி – மார்கழி, 24
திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு, 2050**

Read:

- 1) G.O.(Ms.)No.140, Industries (E.1) Department, Dated: 26.09.2014.
- 2) G.O.(Ms.)No.109, Industries (E.2) Department, Dated: 18.05.2015.
- 3) G.O.(D)No.128, Industries (E.1) Department, Dated: 15.06.2018.
- 4) From the Director of Geology and Mining, Letter Rc.No.4634/PM2/2018, Dated: 24.07.2018.
- 5) G.O.(Ms.)No.82, Industries (E.1) Department, Dated: 07.03.2019.

ORDER:

During the budget session of 2018-2019, the Hon'ble Minister (Law, Courts and Prisons), while moving the demand for Industries on the floor of the Assembly has made the following announcement:-

“புவியியல் மற்றும் சுரங்கத்துறையில் தற்போது உள்ள ஈப்பு வாகனங்கள் மிகவும் பழுதடைந்த நிலையில் உள்ளதால், மாவட்ட அளவில் களப்பணி ஆய்வு மற்றும் கனிம நிர்வாகத்தினை திறன்பட செயல்படுத்த, தலைமையகத்திற்கு 5 புதிய ஈப்பு வாகனங்களும், மண்டல அலுவலகம், பறக்கும்படை மற்றும் மாவட்ட அலுவலகங்களுக்கு 20 புதிய ஈப்பு வாகனங்களும் என மொத்தம் 25 புதிய ஈப்பு வாகனங்கள் ரூபாய் 2 கோடி செலவில் வாங்கப்படும்.”

2) In order to implement the announcement, the Director of Geology and Mining has requested the Government to sanction Rs.2 crore towards the purchase of 25 vehicles (Rs.8.00 lakh x 25) and also requested to sanction 12 new driver posts, along with the cost as salary of driver and fuel to the tune of Rs.46,78,000/- as follows:-

(P.T.O)

Table: A

Sl. No	Category	Directorate / Districts	No. of Vehicles allotted (Replacement of Condemned Vehicle)	No. of Driver post already Sanctioned	Vehicle now proposed	No. of Drivers to be posted from TEXMO for new vehicles
1	Offices for which vehicles are to be replaced	I. Directorate	5	5	5	Nil
		II. Districts (Vehicle to be condemned)				
		1. Coimbatore	1	1	1	Nil
		2. Kancheepuram	1	1	1	Nil
		3. Pudukottai	1	1	1	Nil
		4. Ariyalur	1	1	1	Nil
		5. Tiruchirappalli	1	1	1	Nil
		6. Erode	1	1	1	Nil
		7. Tiruvallur	1	1	1	Nil
8. Salem	1	1	1	Nil		
2	Offices for which vehicles are to be newly allotted	III. Vehicles are to be Newly allotted				
		1. Perambalur	Nil	Nil	1	1
		2. Thiruvarur	Nil	Nil	1	1
		3. Chennai	Nil	Nil	1	1
		4. Kodaikkannal Technical Cell	Nil	Nil	1	1
		Regional Joint Director Office				
		1. Madurai	Nil	Nil	1	1
		2. Tiruchirappalli	Nil	Nil	1	1
		3. Salem	Nil	Nil	1	1
		4. Villupuram	Nil	Nil	1	1
		IV. Regional Flying Squad				
		1. Madurai	Nil	Nil	1	1
		2. Salem	Nil	Nil	1	1
		3. Villupuram	Nil	Nil	1	1
		4. Tiruchirappalli	Nil	Nil	1	1
		Grand Total				

3) Earlier in the G.O. second read above, sanction was accorded for the creation of Regional Flying Squads in Madurai, Salem and Villupuram in the Department of Geology and Mining with 3 Assistant Directors, 3 Assistant Geologists, 3 Special Revenue Inspectors (Mines) totaling 9 posts and 3 vehicles and 3 drivers have been ordered to be utilized from the sanction already accorded in the G.O. 1st read above.

4) In the G.O. 5th read above, Administrative Sanction was accorded for the formation of Geology and Mining Office at Chennai, Perambalur and Thiruvavur wherein, among others, the Government have sanctioned 3 driver posts (consolidated) and also permitted for purchase of 3 Mahindra Bolero vehicles, one for each district by following due procedure.

5) Further, a proposal for the formation of Regional Flying Squad at Tiruchirappalli District, is under consideration of Government separately. The said proposal includes purchase of one vehicle and sanction of a driver post.

6) Taking into consideration of the above said position, this Department has decided to sanction 18 vehicles and 5 drivers (consolidated pay) as follows:

SI No	Office	Proposed by DGM		Condemn / New type	Agreed to sanction	
		Vehicles	Drivers		Vehicles	Drivers
1	Directorate	5	0	Condemn	5	0
2	Condemned district vehicles	8	0	Condemn	8	0
3	Formation of new offices at Thiruvavur, Perambalur, Chennai districts	3	3	New	0	0
4	Formation of new RJD offices (Madurai, Salem, Trichy, Villupuram)	4	4	New	4	4
5	Flying squad (Madurai, Salem, Villupuram)	3	3	New	0	0
6	New Flying squad (Trichy)	1	1	New	0	0
7	Geo Technical cell, Kodaikkanal	1	1	New	1	1
	Total	25	12		18	5

7) The Government, after careful consideration, hereby permit the Director of Geology and Mining to purchase 18 vehicles (Bolero Jeeps) by following due procedure and sanction of 5 drivers posts on consolidated pay of Rs.12,000/- per month. Accordingly, the Government hereby sanction a total sum of Rs.1,45,02,780/- (Rupees one crore, forty five lakh, two thousand seven hundred and eighty only) to strengthen the Office of the Headquarters of the Department of Geology and Mining, Regional Offices, Flying squads and District Offices and for the effective mineral administration as follows:-

A)	Vehicle Cost for 18 vehicles (18 x Rs.6,49,460/-)	Rs. 1,16,90,280
B)	Consolidated Salary for 5 Drivers per annum (5 x Rs.12,000/- x 12)	Rs.7,20,000
C)	Cost of Fuel & Lubricants	Rs.20,92,500
	TOTAL	Rs.1,45,02,780

8) The expenditure sanctioned in paragraph 7 above shall be debited in the following Head of Account:

"2853 - NON FERROUS MINING AND METALLURGICAL INDUSTRIES -
02 - Regulation and Development of Mines 101 - Survey and Mapping -
State's Expenditure - AA - Establishment of State Geological
Department - Headquarters Staff -

321 01 Motor Vehicle Purchase = Rs.1,16,90,280/-
IFHRMS DPC (2853 02 101 AA 32101)
Old (DPC = 2853-02-101-AA-21 14)

333 04 Contract Payment = Rs.7,20,000/-
IFHRMS DPC (2853 02 101 AA 33304)
Old (DPC = 2853-02-101-AA-33 19)

345 01 Petroleum and Lubricants = Rs.20,92,500/-
IFHRMS DPC (2853 02 101 AA 34501)
Old (DPC = 2853-02-101-AA-45 14)"

9) The expenditure sanctioned Rs.1,45,02,780/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Five Lakh Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty only) in para 7 above constitute an item of "New Instrument of Service" and the approval of the Legislature shall be obtained in due course of time by an inclusion in the Supplementary Estimates for the year 2019-2020. Pending approval of the Legislature, the expenditure may be initially met by drawl of an advance from the Contingency Fund. The Director of Geology and Mining is directed to calculate the actual amount required for the period upto next Supplementary Estimates and apply for sanction of the same as advance from the Contingency Fund to Finance (BG.I) Department directly in Form "A" appended to the Contingency Fund Rules, 1963 along with a copy of this order. Orders for sanction of an advance from the Contingency Fund will be issued from Finance (BG.I) Department. The Director of

Geology and Mining shall also send necessary draft explanatory notes for inclusion of this expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates for the year 2019-2020 at appropriate time without fail.

10) This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department, vide U.O. No.64572/Fin(Ind)/2019, dated 06.01.2020 and ASL No.2745 (Two thousand seven hundred and forty five)

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**N. MURUGANANDAM
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The Accountant General,
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The Pay and Accounts Officer /
District Treasury Officer concerned.

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