ABSTRACT

Schemes – State Scheme – Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) – Implementation of Scheme – Sanction of funds and prescribing Guidelines for the year 2019-2020 – Approved – Orders Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS.1) Department

G.O.(Ms.) No.80

Dated: 27.06.2019

Read:


ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, orders along with detailed Guidelines were issued for the implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) for the year 2018-2019.

2. In the Budget Estimate for the year 2019-2020 the Government have provided a sum of Rs.587.50 Crore for the implementation of the Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) for the year 2019-20.

3. In pursuance of the above, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has sent necessary proposal along with draft guidelines for implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme during the year 2019-2020 and requested the Government to issue necessary orders.

4. The Government have carefully examined the proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj in detail and decided to accept the same. Accordingly, the Government issue orders as follows:-

(i) Administrative Sanction is accorded for a sum of Rs.587.50 Crore (Rupees five hundred and eighty seven crore and fifty lakh only) for the implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) during 2019-2020. Out of which, initially
25% (i.e) a sum of Rs.146,875 Crore (Rupees One hundred and forty six crore eighty seven lakh and fifty thousand only) is released.

(ii) Detailed guidelines for implementation of Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme for the year 2019-2020 (MLACDS) is annexed to this order.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4(i) above shall be debited to the following heads of account:

4515 - 00 - Capital Outlay on other Rural Development Programmes - 789 Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes - State’s expenditure – JB Execution of other Schemes under member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme under Special Component Plan - 416 Major Works – 01 – Major Works.

Old (DPC 4515-00-789-JB-1606) Rs.30,84,37,500/-
New (DPC 4515-00-789-JB-41601)

4515 - 00 - Capital Outlay on other Rural Development Programmes - 796 Tribal Area Sub-Plan - State’s expenditure – JC Execution of other Schemes under member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme - 416 Major Works – 01 – Major Works.

Old (DPC 4515-00-796-JC-1609) Rs.1,46,87,500/-
New (DPC 4515-00-796-JC-41601)

4515 - 00 - Capital Outlay on other Rural Development Programmes – 800 Other expenditure – State’s expenditure – JF Execution of other Schemes under member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme - 416 Major Works – 01 – Major Works.

Old (DPC 4515-00-800-JF 1602) Rs.1,14,56,25,000/-
New (DPC 4515-00-800-JF-41601)

Total Rs.1,46,87,50,000/-

6. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is authorized to draw the amount sanctioned in para 4(i) above and disburse the same to the District Collectors [except Chennai] and Commissioner Greater Chennai Corporation.
This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.29989/DS(RR)/19, dated 27.06.2019.

(By Order of the Governor)

HANS RAJ VERMA
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
All Members of Legislative Assembly
(through the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj).
The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15.
The Principal Secretary to Government, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, Chennai – 9.
The Secretary, Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat, Chennai – 9.
All District Collectors (except Chennai).
All Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies
(through the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj).
The Commissioner, Corporation of Chennai, Chennai-3.
The Director of Town Panchayats, Chennai-108.
The Member Secretary, State Planning Commission, Chennai-5.
The Director, Local Fund Audit Department, Chennai-108.
The Principal Accountant General, Chennai – 18/35.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (Secretariat), Chennai – 9.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai – 35.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Chennai – 5.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (North), Chennai – 1.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Madurai.
All Treasury Officers.
The National Informatics Centre, Chennai-9.

Copy to
The Principal Secretary/Secretary-II to the Hon’ble Chief Minister, Chennai-9.
The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon’ble Minister for Municipal Administration, Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme, Chennai-9.
The Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary to Government, Chennai-9.
The Senior Principal Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai-9.
Finance (BG-I/BG-II/RD) Department, Chennai – 9.

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ANNEXURE

GUIDELINES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF
MEMBER OF LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY CONSTITUENCY DEVELOPMENT
SCHEME (MLACDS) - 2019-2020

Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme (MLACDS) is being implemented in Tamil Nadu in order to identify and execute the essential infrastructure gaps in the assembly constituencies. The MLAs identify infrastructure gaps in their constituencies and propose the works to be executed under the scheme. This scheme is implemented both in rural and urban areas. From the year 2017-18 onwards, the fund allocation under the scheme had been increased from Rs.2 Crore to Rs.2.50 Crore per constituency per annum.

Out of the allocation of Rs.2.50 Crore per MLA, under Member of Legislative Assembly Constituency Development Scheme, an allocation of Rs.1.50 Crore should be earmarked for 'tied component' which is to be mandatorily earmarked for priority works specified below. Out of the remaining 'un-tied component' of Rs.1 Crore, the Members of Legislative Assembly can choose any work of their choice not falling within the 'negative list'. The detailed guidelines are given below:

1. WORKS TO BE TAKEN UP UNDER "TIED COMPONENT" OF Rs.1.50 CRORE:

   As stated above, Rs.1.50 Crore shall be spent on works prescribed under "Tied Component".

   1.1 Rs.25 lakh for infrastructure to schools: In 2019-20, in order to provide infrastructure facilities to Schools (Corporation / Municipality / Panchayat Union / Government Schools only) a sum of at least Rs.25 Lakh per MLA shall be earmarked under the tied component. The infrastructure facilities will include toilet facilities (especially separate toilets for girls, boys and staff) drinking water supply, Compound wall to Schools, construction of buildings for classrooms, libraries and laboratories in schools.

   1.2 Rs.20 lakh for Reverse Osmosis (R.O.) System to schools: In 2019-20, in order to ensure pure and hygiene drinking water to the school students, a sum of at least Rs.20 Lakh shall be earmarked under the tied component for installation of Reverse Osmosis (R.O.) System to the Schools (Corporation / Municipality / Panchayat Union / Government Schools only).

   1.3 Rs.20 lakh for Anganwadi / Kitchen shed / Baby Friendly Toilets / Water Supply to Anganwadi: In order to provide infrastructure facilities to the Anganwadi centres and Noon Meal Centres in rural and urban areas, an amount of atleast Rs.20 lakh shall be allocated for the Construction of Anganwadi Buildings, Noon Meal Centres, Noon Meal Kitchen Sheds, Anganwadi Baby friendly toilets, Supply of Drinking water to Anganwadies and also modernizing the Anganwadi Kitchen Sheds with Gas connection, etc.
1.4 **Rs.30 lakh for Drinking Water supply:** In order to mitigate the water supply scarcity, especially in summer, water supply works particularly augmentation of existing source like provision of individual power pump works, mini power pump works, Construction of Over Head Tanks, New Bore Well, Deepening of Bore well, New Hand pumps, Enhancing of motor capacity, Construction of Open Well, Deepening of existing Open Well etc., shall be taken up. Each MLA shall allot at least Rs.30 lakh for water supply works.

1.5 **Rs.55 lakh for the Other Tied works:** The MLA can choose one or more of the following works Under the tied component, according to his/her choice, for an amount not exceeding Rs.55 lakh which is the remaining amount of the total tied component amount of Rs.1.50 crore after allotment of Rs.95 lakh towards the works indicated against para 1.1, 1.2, 1.3 and 1.4 of guidelines.

a) **In Rural Areas:**

1. Installation of Solar Street lights in rural areas/ Roof top solar power in Government buildings. (Subsidy provision available from the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, GOI should be claimed and remitted to concerned scheme account without fail).

2. Up-gradation of gravel/WBM Roads to BT standard.

3. Renewal of badly worn-out BT roads (laying of BT layer only by filling up of potholes, if necessary).

4. Laying of Cement Concrete Roads / Paver Blocks in Streets and Lanes.


6. Provision of Infrastructural facilities to Government Special Schools for the differently abled and Government Orphanages.

7. Construction of bridges.


9. Provision of compound wall / fencing in the burial grounds belonging to Public Wakf registered with Wakf Board. Since the Wakf Board does not have any Engineering wing, this work may be entrusted to the Local Bodies concerned.

10. Construction of integrated sanitary complex for women and men.


12. Construction of building for physical fitness centre/Gymnasium along with purchase of required equipments which will be the asset of concerned Local Body.
b) **In Urban Areas:**

1. Installation of Solar Street lights / Roof top solar power in Government Buildings / LED Street lights in Urban Areas. (Subsidy provision available from the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, GOI should be claimed and remitted to concerned scheme account without fail).
2. Up-gradation of gravel / WBM Roads to BT standard.
3. Renewal of badly worn-out BT roads (laying of BT layer only by filling up of potholes, if necessary).
4. Laying of Cement Concrete Roads.
6. Provision of Infrastructure facilities to Government Special Schools for the differently abled and Government Orphanages.
7. Construction of bridges.
8. Provision of infrastructure and compound wall facilities to burial grounds / cremation grounds.
9. Provision of Concrete Pavements with storm water drains, if so required.
10. Formation of new Public Parks
13. Purchase of Jetrodding Machines, hydraulically operated sewerage machines.
14. Provision of compound wall / fencing in the burial grounds belonging Public Wakf registered with Wakf Board. Since the Wakf Board does not have any Engineering wing, this work may be entrusted with the Local Bodies concerned.
15. Construction of building for physical fitness centre/Gymnasium along with purchase of required equipments which will be the asset of concerned Local Body.

2. **WORKS TO BE TAKEN UP UNDER “UN-TIED COMPONENT” OF Rs.1.00 Crore:**

Any work not falling within the following ‘negative list / prohibited works’ can be taken up under the un-tied component of MLACDS. **Works falling under the tied component can also be taken up under un-tied component of Rs.1 Crore.** Construction of Bus passengers shelters is permitted under this component.

3. **NEGATIVE LIST/PROHIBITED WORKS:**

The following works under the ‘Negative list / prohibited works’ cannot be taken up under the MLACDS unless specifically included in the exceptions:
3.1 Construction of Office and residential buildings belonging to Central and State Governments including Public Sector undertaking, Co-operatives and societies.

**Exception:**

I. Construction of Direct Procurement Centres, Milk Producers' Co-operative Societies, Bulk Chilling Centres.

II. Construction of Maintenance sheds, Compound walls and concrete flooring, Crew rest room and toilet facilities for Bus depots of State Transport undertakings.

3.2 Assets for individual / family benefits

**Exception:**

Construction of new houses in Town Panchayats as per the Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojna (Grameen) norms.

3.3 All renovation, maintenance and repair works.

**Exception:** Repair of houses constructed under Government Schemes up to 31.12.2009 including houses constructed under Indira Awaas Yojana (IAY) / TAHDCO and Tamil Nadu Slum Clearance Board can be taken up not exceeding Rs.50,000/- per house. However, permission letter should be obtained from the TNSCB/TAHDCO before taking up the repair works.

3.4 Purchase of all movable items, equipments and furniture.

**Exception:**

(i) Provisions were made during 2016-17 for newly elected members of 15th Assembly and for the members re-elected who were members of 14th Assembly, to purchase Laptop or Desktop, Laser/Inkjet Printer and Broadband / Internet Data card connection as one time purchase according to needs. In this connection, wherever such Laptop or Desktop, Laser/Inkjet printer and Broadband/Internet Connection were not purchased till last year, in such cases purchase of the above items, may be considered during 2019-20, as per the provisions contained in the G.O.(Ms.) No.95, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS-1) Department, dated 18-8-2016, and following the guidelines therein.


(iii) Purchase of aids and appliances for differently abled persons as per the guidelines issued in G.O.(1D)No.405, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (SGS-1) Department, dated 17.08.2010 and Government Letter No.(1D)No.653, dated 31.12.2012 of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department for the value of Rs.5 lakh or above.

(iv) Purchase of CP chair for Polio and stroke attacked persons and purchase of Learning Kits for mentally challenged children in Government special schools.
(v) Purchase of physical exercise equipments for the physical fitness centre / Gymnasium belonging to local body which will be the asset of the concerned local body.

(vi) Purchase of equipments for installation of solar photovoltaic items in the existing Government buildings.

(vii) Purchase of Surveillance Cameras (CCTV-Closed Circuit Television) with allied equipments for the safety of public through District Collector / Superintendent of Police / Commissioner of Greater Chennai Corporation / Commissioner Greater Chennai Police following procurement codal procedures.

3.5 Any work in Government aided and self Financing Schools and Colleges.

3.6 All Works involving Commercial establishment / units.

3.7 Grants and loans, contribution to any Central and State / UT Relief Funds.

3.8 Acquisition of land or any compensation for land acquired.

3.9 Reimbursement of any type of completed or partly completed works or items.

3.10 All revenue and recurring expenditure.

3.11 Works within the places or religious worship and on land belonging to or owned by religious faiths / groups.

3.12 Desilting of Ponds, Ooranies, rivers, tanks, canals, channels and the like.

3.13 Gravel/WBM roads (roads up to BT standard alone should be taken up).

3.14 Installation of High Mast Lights.

4. An overall allocation of 22% of the total allocation under MLACDS should be made for areas predominantly inhabited by SC/ST persons in rural areas and for persons living in slums in urban areas.

5. The execution of works/ procurement of materials shall be undertaken strictly as per the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 and the Rules made during 2000 under it.

6. The Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is empowered to modify any of the above guidelines in consultation with the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj based on the exigencies that may arise from time to time in the implementation of the Scheme.

HANS RAJ VERMA
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