ABSTRACT

Forests - Budget Announcement – Establishment of Forest and Wildlife Museum at Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur at a cost of Rs. 20.00 lakhs – Sanctioned – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (FR.5) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(D) No.330

Dated: 27.09.2013

Read:


ORDER:

While moving the Demand in the Budget Session, Hon’ble Minister (Forests) has made the following announcement in the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly:

"..."
2. Based on the above announcement, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has sent a proposal for “Establishment of forest and Wildlife Museum” at a cost of Rs. 20.00 lakhs at Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai as detailed below:

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<td>1.</td>
<td>Preparation of racks and other display furniture</td>
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<td>Labeling, special lights arrangements for enhancing readability, fans etc.,</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>Collection and preparation of materials Herbarium, Xylarium, Entomological collection, Portraits, soil and rocks collection and Artifacts etc.,</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
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3. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests has therefore requested the Government to sanction a sum of Rs. 20.00 lakhs for establishment of Forests and Wildlife Museum at Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai.

4. The Government after careful consideration accept the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and accord to sanction a sum of Rs. 20.00 lakhs (Rupees Twenty lakhs only) for establishment of Forests and Wildlife Museum at Arignar Anna Zoological Park, Vandalur, Chennai.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to the following head of account:


(DPC 4406 02 111 JI 1607)

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para-4 above is an item of “New Instrument Service” and the approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. Pending approval of Legislature, the expenditure will be initially met from the Contingency Fund. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden shall apply for the sanction of Contingency Fund advance to Finance [BG-I] Department, in the
prescribed format along with the copy of this order. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden is also requested to send necessary draft explanatory notes for including the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates 2013-14 at the appropriate time.

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7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 50318/Fin(AH&F)/2013, dated 26.09.2013 and with Additional Sanction Ledger No.1350(One thousand three hundred and fifty).

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

MOHAN VERGHESE CHUNKATH
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai-15.
The Principal Accountant General (A&E), Chennai -18
The Pay and Account Officer (South) Chennai - 35
The Accountant General, 361 Anna Salai, Chennai – 18.
The Resident Audit Officer,
O/o/ Principal Accountant General, General and Social Sector Audit
Tamil Nadu Secretariat, Chennai – 9.

Copy to:-
The Principal Secretary.II to Hon’ble Chief Minster, Chennai-9
The Senior Personal Assistance to Hon’ble Minister (Forests), Chennai - 9
The Finance (AH&F/BG I/BG.II) Department, Chennai – 9.
The Senior Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Environment and Forests Department, Chennai-9
SF/SCs.

/FORWARDED BY ORDER/

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SECTION OFFICER

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