



ABSTRACT

Centrally Sponsored Scheme – Backward Regions Grant Fund (BRGF) – Release of Rs.17.19 crore under Development Grant Fund Component of Backward Regions Grant Fund for the year 2011-12 to Dindigul, Nagapattinam, Sivaganga and Villupuram districts – Orders issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department

G.O. (Ms) No. 73

Dated: 16.08.2012.

Read:

Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15, Letter Roc.No.103478/10/TSC.2 dated 31.5.2012.

ORDER:

In the Letter read above, the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that the Government of India have released Rs.74.97 crores as central assistance against the proposed sum of Rs.117.74 crores under Backward Regions Grant Fund for 2011-2012. The State Government have released the same in Government Letter No.28139/CGS.1/2010, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, dated 7.12.2011, 9.12.2011 and 6.1.2012 as detailed below:-

Sl. No.	District	Special Component Plan for Scheduled Caste (SCPSC)	Scheduled Tribes Sub-Plan (STSP)	Non SCPSC / STSP	Total
(Rs. in Crores)					
1.	Tiruvannamalai	3.03	0.47	10.66	14.16
2.	Villupuram	4.75	0.37	12.23	17.35
3.	Cuddalore	2.39	0.04	6.17	8.60
4.	Dindigul	2.92	0.05	11.97	14.94
5.	Nagapattinam	2.04	0.02	4.82	6.88
6.	Sivagangai	2.13	0.01	10.90	13.04
Total					74.97

2. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has further stated that the Government of India have released the balance amount in respect of the following Districts as detailed below.

Sl. No.	District	Special Component Plan for Scheduled Caste (SCPSC)	Scheduled Tribes Sub-Plan (STSP)	Non SCPSC / STSP	Total
(Rs. in Crores)					
1.	Dindigul	1.08	0.02	4.42	5.52
2.	Nagapattinam	2.73	0.02	6.45	9.20
3.	Sivagangai	0.59	0.00	3.00	3.59
Total					18.31

Since a sum of Rs.7.87 Crores was only available in the Final Modified Appropriation 2011-12 under Backward Regions Grant Fund, sanction was accorded for the drawal and disbursement of the same as Development Grant for the year 2011-12 under Backward Regions Grant Fund (2nd installment) to the following 3 Backward Regions Grant Fund Districts as detailed below as per Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj proceedings No.103478/10/TSC.2, dated 29.3.2012.

Sl. No.	District	Special Component Plan for Scheduled Caste (SCPSC)	Scheduled Tribes Sub-Plan (STSP)	Non SCPSC / STSP	Total
(Rs. in Crores)					
1.	Dindigul	0.58	0.02	1.90	2.50
2.	Nagapattinam	1.03	0.02	2.95	4.00
3.	Sivagangai	0.37	0.00	1.00	1.37
Total					7.87

3. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that the Government of India have sanctioned a sum of Rs.6.75 crores for Villupuram District as Development Grant. Hence the Development Grant balance amount for the year 2011-2012 to be released to the following Districts as detailed below:

Sl. No.	District	Special Component Plan for Scheduled Caste (SCPSC)	Scheduled Tribes Sub-Plan (STSP)	Non SCPSC / STSP	Total
(Rs. in Crores)					
1.	Dindigul	1.50	0.00	2.52	3.02
2.	Nagapattinam	1.70	0.00	3.50	5.20
3.	Sivagangai	0.22	0.00	2.00	2.22
4.	Villupuram	2.00	0.00	4.75	6.75
Total					17.19

The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that Ministry of Panchayat Raj, Government of India have allocated a sum of Rs.117.74 crores for Central assistance as Development Grant under Backward Regions Grant Fund (BRGF) for the year 2011-12. The details of allocation of funds by Government of India are as follows:

(Rs. in crores)

Sl. No.	District	Actual allocation	Additional allocation	Total allocation
1.	Cuddalore	17.76	1.57	19.33
2.	Dindigul	18.70	1.76	20.46
3.	Nagapattinam	15.06	1.02	16.08
4.	Sivaganga	15.52	1.11	16.63
5.	Tiruvannamalai	19.27	1.87	21.14
6.	Villupuram	21.73	2.37	24.10
	Total	108.04	9.70	117.74

Accordingly, the Ministry of Panchayat Raj, Government of India have sanctioned and released a sum of Rs.100.03 crores as Central assistance as Development Grants under Backward Regions Grant Fund for the year 2011-2012. The details of funds released by Government of India and the details of works taken up by each district are as follows:

Sl. No.	District	Amount (Rs. in crores)	Works taken up
1.	Cuddalore	8.60	341
2.	Dindigul	20.46	1039
3.	Nagapattinam	16.08	479
4.	Sivaganga	16.63	374
5.	Tiruvannamalai	14.16	1000
6.	Villupuram	24.10	1046
	Total	100.03	4279

The State Government had provided a sum of Rs.90.00 crores only in Budget Estimate for both components i.e. Development Grants and Capacity Building to State Institute of Rural Development under Backward Regions Grant Fund for 2011-12. Further, the State Government had not provided a separate fund a sum of Rs.6 crores for Capacity Building under Backward Regions Grant Fund for 2011-12. From the above allotment of Budget Estimate of Rs.90.00 Crores, a sum of Rs.5.24 crores and Rs.1.92 crores had been released to State Institute of Rural Development for Capacity Building under Backward Regions Grant Fund for 2010-11 and 2011-12 respectively.

4. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that as ordered by Government of India, the Government of Tamil Nadu had released a sum of Rs.82.84 crores under Development Grants component of Backward

Regions Grant Fund for the year 2011-2012 against the Central release of Rs.100.03 Crores. The details of fund released to each district are given below:

Sl.No.	District	Amount (Rs. in crores)
1.	Cuddalore	8.60
2.	Dindigul	17.44
3	Nagapattinam	10.88
4.	Sivaganga	14.41
5.	Tiruvannamalai	14.16
6.	Villupuram	17.35
	Total	82.84

Hence, the Government was requested to release balance amount of Rs.17.19 crores which was already released by Government of India as Development Grants i.e., component of Backward Regions Grant Fund in the Revised Estimate/ Final Modified Appropriation for the year 2011-12, but balance amount of Rs.17.19 Crore has not been sanctioned in Final Modified Appropriation for the year 2011-12.

5. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has therefore requested the Government to release the balance amount of Rs.17.19 crores under Development Grant fund component of Backward Regions Grant Fund for the year 2011-12, so as to release the same to the 4 Backward Regions Grant Fund Districts (except Cuddalore and Tiruvannamalai Districts) to complete the works taken up for the year 2011-12.

6. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj have decided to accept and release a sum of Rs.17.19 crores (Rupees Seventeen Crores and nineteen lakhs only) under Development Grant Fund Component of Backward Regions Grant Fund for the year 2011-12 to Dindigul, Nagapattinam, Sivaganga and Villupuram districts.

7. The amount released in para 6 above shall be debited to the following Head of Account.

2515-00-Other Rural Development Programmes – 800. Other Expenditure – Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan –II State Plan KS-Implementation of Schemes under Backward Regions Grant Fund – 09 – Grants in aid . 03 – Grants for Specific Schemes.

(DPC-2515-00-800-KS-0931)

8. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is authorized to draw and disburse the amount to the District Collectors concerned as released by Government of India.

9. This order does not require the concurrence of the Finance Department vide G.O. (Ms) No.519, Finance (Salaries) Department, Dated 29.09.1997.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

N.S PALANIAPPAN,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj,
Chennai – 15.

The Collector, Dindigul district, Dindigul.

The Collector, Nagapattinam district, Nagapattinam.

The Collector, Sivaganga district, Sivaganga.

The Collector, Villupuram district, Villupuram.

The Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Dindigul.

The Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Nagapattinam.

The Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Sivaganga.

The Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Villupuram.

The Director,

State Institute of Rural Development,

Maraimalai Nagar,

Kancheepuram District.

Copy to:

Finance Department, Chennai – 9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister

(Municipal Administration and Rural Development),

Chennai – 9.

//Forwarded by order//

SECTION OFFICER

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Under Secretary to Government.