8.6 Purchase of two new jeeps for DRDA, Tirunelveli

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS-1I) Department

G.O. (D) No. 173

Dated: 30.3.2007

Read:

- 1 G.O.(2D) No.6, Rural Development (SGSY) Department, dated 29.1.2004
- 2 From the Government of India Ministry of Rural Development Lr.No.R-20015/2/2004-DRDA, dated 3.1.2005
- 3 From the Project Officer, DRDA Triunelveli Lr.No.A9/341/2005, dated 7.4.2006
- 4 From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Lr.No.24398/2005/ SGSY-I.1, dated 22.6.2006

ORDER

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has requested the Government to issue orders for the purchase of two new Jeeps after replacing the old Jeep Mahindra and Mahindra, (Diesel) No. TCZ 6650 and Standard 20 Van (Diesel) TNI-4924 for the office of the Project Officer, DRDA, Triunelveli.

- 2. The Government of India, in their letter 2nd read above, have delegated the power of approval for replacement of the existing vehicles by District Rural Development Agencies to the State Rural Development Secretaries, subject to the following conditions:
 - i) the expenditure for Procurement of vehicle shall be met from within 30% of the salary costs allotted towards contingencies. In case the expenditure exceeds this limit, the excess expenditure shall be met by the State Government.
 - ii) the proposal shall have approval of the Governing Body of the District Rural Development Agency.
 - iii) proposal shall be accompanied by condemnation certificate of the discarded vehicle issued by the competent authority.
- 3. The Project Officer, DRDA, Tirunelveli has reported that the expenditure for procurement of two vehicles will be met from within 30% of the contingencies during 2006-2007 for one vehicle and during 2007-2008 for another vehicle. He has reported that the Governing Body of the DRDA in its resolution dated 1.2.2006 has approved the proposal for purchase of two new Jeeps after replacing the existing two vehicles. He has also sent the condemnation certificate for the Jeep No. TCZ 6650 issued by the Director of Motor Vehicle Maintenance Organisation. The Government have already issued orders in the G.O.1st read above for condemnation of another vehicle, standard 20 van TNI.4924.
- 4. The Government after careful examination have decided to accept the proposal and accordingly permit the Project Officer, DRDA Triunelveli to purchase two new Jeeps, as per DGSD rates.

(By order of the Governor)

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