

32. MISCELLANEOUS

32.9 Certain Village Panchayats declared as Heritage Towns to apply for grant from Town and Country Planning Development Fund

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (C2) Department

G.O. (Ms) No. 5

Dated : 19.1.2007

Read :

1. Director of Town and Country Planning Letter Roc. No.10028/2005(2), UP-1 dated 6.12.2005.
2. Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Lr. No.115143/05/PRI 3(4) dated 12.1.06, 4.5.06 & 18.9.06.
3. Commissioner of Hindu Religious and Endowment Department Letter No.37842/2006/K4 dated 29.8.2006.

ORDER

The Director of Town and Country Planning in his letter first read above has sent a proposal to Government to declare the following places as heritage towns as has been done earlier for 38 heritage towns in G.O. Ms. No.163 Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department dated 6.7.1993 and G.O. (Ms) No.191 Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department dated 18.7.1994.

Sl. No.	Name of the Places	Name of the District
1.	Nava Thiruppathi places (i) Thenthiruperai (ii) Perungulam (iii) Alwarthirunagari (iv) Thirukkalur (v) Kurumbur	Thoothukkudi
2.	(i) Parikkal (ii) Thirukkoilur (iii) Srimushnam	Villupuram Cuddalore
3.	Edaikkattur	Sivagangai
4.	Pilliarpatti	Sivagangai
5.	Kalaiyarkoil	Sivagangai
6.	Sethukkarai	Ramanathapuram
7.	Manappadu	Thoothukkudi
8.	Thiruvanthipuram	Cuddalore
9.	Thiruvakkarai	Villupuram
10.	Tharamangalam	Salem

The Commissioner of Hindu Religious and Endowments Department has recommended the proposal of the Director of Town and Country Planning except Sl.No.10 i.e., Tharamangalam Town Panchayat. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also recommended the proposal of the Director of Town and Country Planning deleting Tharamangalam Town Panchayat (in SL.No.10) and Tirukoilur and Srimushnam Town Panchayats (in Sl.No.2) in the proposal.

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2. The Government have carefully examined the proposals of the Director of Town and Country Planning as recommended by the Commissioner of Hindu Religious and Endowments Department and the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj and have decided to accept the same and declare the following places as heritage towns. The Government accordingly declare the following Village Panchayats as Heritage Towns so as to make them eligible to apply for the grant of Rs.50/- lakhs (Rupees fifty lakhs only) from the Town and Country Planning Development Fund, for the Heritage improvement Projects.

Sl. No.	Name of the Places	Name of the District
1.	Nava Thiruppathi places (i) Thirukkalur (ii) Kurumbur	Thoothukkudi
2.	Parikkal	Villupuram
3.	Edaikkattur	Sivagangai
4.	Pilliarpatti	Sivagangai
5.	Kalaiyarkoil	Sivagangai
6.	Sethukkarai	Ramanathapuram
7.	Manappadu	Thoothukkudi
8.	Thiruvanthipuram	Cuddalore
9.	Thiruvakkarai	Villupuram

3. The Director of Town and Country Planning is requested to take follow up action in the matter and also send a report on the action taken in the matter to Government.

(By order of the Governor)

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