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CHEHNAI - 600 01 Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department - Announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister under Rule, 110 of Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly -Enhancement of Lumpeum amount and Special Monthly Pension to the Panchayat Secretaries - Orders - Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Rai (E5) Department

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Dated: 25.11.2016

Read:

Grant - 600 (Ma)No.22, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (E6) Department, dated 14.02.2011.

G.O.(Ma)No.42. Department, dated 24.03.2015.

(3) From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Letter Rc.No.74340/2013/E4, dated 24.02.2016.

Hon'ble Chief Minister's Announcement under Rule,110 of Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly, dated 29.08.2016

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, among others orders were issued for sanction of lumpsum amount of Rs.50,000/- to Village Panchayat Secretaries while retiring on superannuation. In the Government order second read above, orders were issued for enhancement of Special Monthly Pension from Rs.700 /- to Rs.1,000 /- per month to the Panchayat Secretaries working in Village Panchayats

- 2. The Hon'ble Chief Minister has announced on the floor of Assembly on 29.08.2016 under Rule 110 of Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly that the Lumpsum amount being paid to the Panchayat Secretaries on retirement will be enhanced from Rs.50,000 /- to Rs.60,000 /- and Special Monthly Pension will be enhanced from Rs.1,000 /- to Rs.1,500/- to the Village Panchayat Secretaries.
- 3. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that based on seniority 20% of the vacancies in the post of Junior Assistant are being filled up from the post of Panchayat Secretaries every year by transfer of service. Though the Panchayat Secretaries are absorbed as Junior Assistants in the 20% of the vacancles every year, some of them retire as Panchayat Secretaries. A Special monthly pension of Rs.1000/- and lump sum amount of Rs.50,000/-is being paid to the persons who retire as Panchayat Secretaries. They were granted this benefit on par with employees of Nutritious Meal Programme / Anganwadi employees.

- 4. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has further stated that the Hon'ble Chief Minister has announced the enhancement of lump sum amount and Special Monthly Pension to the Anganwadi and Nutritious Meal Programme Staff from Rs.50,000/- to Rs.60,000/- and from Rs.1,000/- to Rs.1,500/-respectively in the Assembly on 19.02.2016 under Rule 110. Considering the work load and responsibilities of Village Panchayat Secretaries, the above benefits may be extended to the Panchayat Secretaries too.
- 5. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that the expenditure towards Salary to the Panchayat Secretaries is met from a separate account i.e. Account No.VII, for which funds apportioned from SFC grant. Therefore, the above amount may also be met from the same SFC grant, thereby causing no financial burden to the Government. Considering the above facts, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has requested the Government to extend the above benefits to the Panchayat Secretaries on par with Nutritious Meal Programme staff and issue necessary orders.
- 6. After careful examination of the proposal of Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, the Government enhance the existing of lump sum amount of Rs.50,000/- to Rs.60,000/- and special monthly pension from Rs.1000 to Rs.1500/-per month to the Village Panchayat Secretaries on par with the Anganwadi and Nutritious Meal Programme staff and the above amount should be met from Account No.VII for which funds apportioned from SFC grant.
- 7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.63002/Fin(RD)/2016, dated 25.11.2016.

(By Order of the Governor)

Hans Raj Verma, Principal Secretary to Government.

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai – 600 015. All District Collectors. (Except Chennal District) The Director of Local Fund Audit, Chennal - 600 108 The Accountant Ocheral (A&E), Chemial - 000 010. The Accountant General (Audit -I/ II), Chennai - 600 018. The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, Chennal - 600 015. All District Treasury Officers. Copy to: The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennal - 600 009. The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Finance and Personnel and Administrative Reforms, Chennai - 600 009. The Finance Department, Chennal - 600 009. The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for Municipal Administration and Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme, Chennai - 600 009. Stock File.

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