



ABSTRACT

Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) – Decision taken in the Steering Committee meeting on 30.04.2013 – Payment of Rs.29.76 lakhs to National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu State Centre for salary of Programmers, Travel and Other Contingencies for e-Governance activities for a period of one year - Ratified – Orders issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department.

G.O.(Ms) No. 91

Dated: 24.07.2013

Read:

Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Letter
Rc.No.25738/ 2013/ MGNREGS.II-2 dated 16.05.2013.

ORDER:

In the letter read above, the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that the National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu is providing e-Governance support to the Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department for the past 20 Years. Many Application Software have been developed and implemented for Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department. At present, National Informatics Centre is involved in the following e-governance activities for the Department:

- Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme Daily Attendance Online Monitoring System, Cluster wise Monitoring of Attendance, support for Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme Software implementation.
- Providing technical support and centralized Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme software implementation support for District level and Block level Data Entry Operators (<http://www.nrega.nic.in>) including electronic-Fund Management System implementation.
- Geographic Information System Application for Road works and Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme works using Maps digitized by Anna University which is under progress.
- Other e-Governance support activities like Support for Video Conference and Internet connectivity to Director of Rural Development is being provided by National Informatics Centre.
- The System Requirement Study, Designing, Hosting, Server Maintenance, Database Maintenance, Internet Bandwidth for Network Connection, Video Conference and Email Services are provided by National Informatics Centre free of cost.

2. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that in order to meet out the expenditure salary of Programmers, Travel and Other Contingencies expenditure for a period of one year, National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu had requested the total amount of Rs.29.76 Lakhs for the same. Based on the request of National Informatics Centre an amount of Rs. 29.76 Lakhs has been released to the National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu.

3. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has further stated that the expenditure of Rs.29.76 Lakhs, to National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu has been ratified by the first Steering Committee meeting held on 30.04.2013.

4. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has therefore requested the Government to ratify the payment of Rs.29.76 lakhs to National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu State Centre for the salary of Programmers, Travel and Other Contingencies for e-Governance activities for a period of one year and he has also requested the orders of the Government to make payment to the National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu for e-Governance support activities to the Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department every year from out of 6% Administrative Cost under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme fund based on the request made by National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu.

5. The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, direct that the action of Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj for having made payment of Rs.29.76 lakh to National Informatics Centre, Tamil Nadu State Centre for the salary of Programmers, Travel and Other Contingencies of e-Governance activities for a period of one year is ratified.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department by its U.O.No. 39041/RD/13 dated 20.07.2013.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

C.V. SANKAR,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai – 15,
All District Collectors (except Chennai) (Through the DRD & PR, Chennai – 15),
All Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies
(Through the DRD & PR, Chennai – 15),
The Accountant General, Chennai – 6/18/35.

Copy to:

The Secretary, Ministry of Rural Development,
Government of India, Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi – 110 114.
The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Municipal Administration,
Rural Development, Law, Courts and Prisons), Chennai – 9.
The Senior Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary to Government, Chennai – 9.
Finance (RD) Department, Chennai – 9.
The Senior Private Secretary to the Principal Secretary to Government,
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai – 9.
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