



ABSTRACT

Schemes - State Scheme – Energisation of Street Lights with Solar Power for the year 2012-13 - continuation of the Scheme – Sanction and release of a sum of Rs.10.13 Crore from the State Government Account – Orders – Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj(SGS-3) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.14

Dated: 04.02.2015

Read:

1. G.O.(Ms) No.67, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj(SGS-3) Department, dated 02.08.2012.
2. G.O.(Ms) No.51, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj(SGS-3) Department, dated 19.05.2014.
3. From the Principal Secretary /Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (Training) and Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Roc.No.28710/2012/PRIV-3, dated 31.07.2014.

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, orders were issued for the implementation of Energisation of Street Lights with Solar Power in Village Panchayats during 2012-13 at the project cost of Rs.52.83 Crore. Subsequently, based on the proposals of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj and request of the Chairman and Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency (TEDA), orders were issued in the Government Order second read above reducing the project cost to Rs.39.62 Crore, from 52.83 Crore for the Energisation of Street Lights with Solar Power for the year 2012-13. The Funds are provided as below:

From the State Finance Commission Grant of Village Panchayats	-	Rs.21.35 Crore
From the State Government Account	-	Rs.10.13 Crore
From the Infrastructure Gap Filling Fund vested with District Collectors for the year 2013-14	-	Rs. 8.14 Crore
Total	-	Rs. 39.62 Crore

2. In his letter third read above, the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (Training) and Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated, that a sum of Rs.21.35 Crore has already been drawn from the State Finance Commission Grant due to Village Panchayats for the year 2014-15 and Rs.8.14 Crore was drawn from the Infrastructure Gap Filling Fund (IGFF) vested with District Collectors for the year 2013-14 and requested to release the balance amount of Rs.10.13 Crore for the implementation of Energisation of Street Light with Solar Power for the year 2012-13.

3. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (Training) and Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj accord sanction for release of a sum of Rs.10.13 Crore (Rupees ten crore and thirteen lakhs only) from the State Government Account apart from the amount already sanctioned viz., a sum of Rs.21.35 Crore under State Finance Commission grant of Village Panchayats and a sum of Rs.8.14 Crore under infrastructure Gap Filling Fund for the implementation of Energisation of Street Lights with Solar Power for the year 2012-13.

4. The amount sanctioned in para 3 above shall be debited to the following Head of the Account :

"2515 – 00 other Rural Development Programmes – 198 Assistance to Gram Panchayats – 1 Non Plan – AD Solar Energy Street lights in Village Panchayats – 09 Grants in Aid – 03 Grants for Specific Schemes."
(DPC 2515 – 00 – 198 – AD – 0930).

5. Necessary additional funds will be provided in Final Modified Appropriation 2014-15. Pending provision of such funds in Final Modified Appropriation 2014-15 the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is authorised to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in Paragraph 3 above. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj should include the additional expenditure while sending the proposal to Government for inclusion in Final Modified Appropriation 2014-15 without fail. However this expenditure shall be brought to the notice of Legislature by specific inclusion in the supplementary estimates 2014-15. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj shall send necessary draft explanatory notes to Government in Finance(RD) Department for inclusion of the expenditure in Supplementary Estimates 2014-15.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.2735/RD/2015, dated 30.01.2015 and ASL No.2373(Two Thousand Three Hundred and Seventy Three).

(By Order of the Governor)

Gagandeep Singh Bedi.
Secretary to Government.

To
The Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Chennai-9.
The Secretary to Government, Information Technology
Department, Chennai-9.

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj,
Chennai-15.

The Chairman and Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency,
Chennai-6.

All District Collectors.(Except Chennai)

All Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies
(through Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj).

The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-5.

Copy to:

The Additional Chief Secretary / Secretary-1 to the
Hon'ble Chief Minister, Chennai-9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister for
Electricity and Prohibition Excise, Chennai-9.


The Senior Personal Assistant to the Hon'ble Minister for
Municipal Administration, Rural Development, Law,
Courts and Prisons, Chennai-9.

The Finance (RD/FC.IV/BGI/BGII) Department, Chennai-9.

The Accountant General, Chennai-9/18/35.

All District Treasury Officers.

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