

## **ABSTRACT**

Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme – 2015-16 – On Account payment of part of  $2^{nd}$  quarter of Central Assistance of Rs.1071.6672 Crore released by the Government of India for the year 2015-16 under MGNREGS – Sanction accorded – Orders – Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department

G.O.(Ms)No.114

Read:

Dated:31.08.2015

- 1. G.O.(Ms) No. 55, RD&PR (CGS-1) Department, dated 13.4.2015
- 2. G.O.(Ms) No. 91, RD&PR (CGS-1) Department dated 18.6.2015
- 3. Government of India letter No.J-12034/1/2015-MGNREGA-VI Sl.No.64, dated 25.8.2015
- 4. From the DRD&PR letter No.24281/2015/ MGNREGS- Accounts, dated 26.8.2015.

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## **ORDER:**

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, in the letter third read above, has stated that in the Central Empowered Committee on Labour Budget meeting, the Empowered Committee has scrutinized and approved the Labour Budget proposal of 37.29 Crore Person days for the State of Tamil Nadu 2015-16. In Government of India letter No J-11060/14/15-MGNREGA-VI Sl.No.18, dated 6.4.2015 and letter No.12034/1/2015-MGNREGA-VI.Sl.No.37,dated:16.6.2015, Government of India has released grants-in-aid totaling Rs.2028.9049 Crore to Tamil Nadu as part of first tranche of Central Assistance and balance of first quarter of Central assistance for implementation of the MGNREGA for the financial year 2015-16. Accordingly, orders have been issued in G.O.(Ms)No.55, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS-1) Department, dated 13.4.2015 and G.O.(Ms)No.91, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS-1) Department, dated 16.6.2015 sanctioning permitting the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj to draw the above amount of Rs.2028.9049 Crore and transfer the amount to the State Employment Guarantee Fund Account of Tamil Nadu.

2. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that as the balance available in the State Employment Guarantee Fund account

is insufficient to meet the wages requirement for the remaining months in the second quarter and the material component requirements of the State, proposals were sent to Government of India seeking additional funds to the tune of Rs.1315.53 Crore.

- 3.The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has further stated that the Government of India vide letter No J-12034/1/15- MGNREGA-VI SI.No.64, dated 25.08.2015 have issued orders releasing funds to the tune of Rs. 1071.6672 Crore as part of 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of Central Assistance for implementation of the MGNREGA for the year 2015-16 on condition that the State Government must transfer these funds along with the State share to the State Employment Guarantee Fund for programme implementation within 3 days of receipt of funds failing which the State Government would be liable to pay a penal interest of 12% for the period of delay beyond the specified period.
- 4. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has therefore requested the Government to sanction a sum of Rs.1071.6672 Crore as part of  $2^{nd}$  quarter of Central Assistance for the year 2015-16 as detailed below under the following head of account:

(in Rupees)

SI. No.	Head of Account	Part of 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter of Central Assistance for 2015-16
1	2505 - Rural Employment-01-National Programmes-789-Special Component Plan for Scheduled Castes-JH Mahatma Gandhi Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme under Special Component Plan-09-Grants-in Aid 03- Grants for specific Schemes (DPC-2505-01-789-JH-0931)	310,78,34,880.00
2	2505- Rural Employment-01- National Programmes-796-Tribal Area Sub-Plan-JA Mahatma Gandhi Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme under Tribal Sub-Plan-09-Grants-in Aid 03- Grants for specific Schemes (DPC-2505-01-796-JA-0930)	10,71,66,720.00
3	2505- Rural Employment-01- National Programmes-800 Other Expenditure-Schemes in the Twelfth Five Year Plan –II State Plan -JA Mahatma Gandhi Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme-09-Grants-in Aid 03- Grants for specific Schemes (DPC-2505-01-800-JA-0939)	750,16,70,400.00
	TOTAL	1071,66,72,000.00

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also requested the Government to permit the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (FAC), Chennai-15 to draw and transfer the amount to the State Employment Guarantee Fund of Tamil Nadu. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that necessary funds have been provided in the B.E for 2015-16.

5.The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, accord sanction for a sum of Rs.1071,66,72,000/- (Rupees One Thousand Seventy One Crore Sixty Six Lakh and Seventy two Thousand Only) towards part of second quarter of Central assistance under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme for the year 2015-16 subject to the condition that the overall expenditure under the Demand should not exceed the vote on account.

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para 5 above shall be debited to the following head of account:

(in Rupees)

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	TOTAL	1071,66,72,000.00

- 7.The Government permit the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (FAC) to draw and transfer the amount sanctioned in para 5 above to State Employment Guarantee Fund Account of Tamil Nadu.
- 8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide it's U.O. No.49057/Fin(RD)/2015, dated: 27.8.2015.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

GAGANDEEP SINGH BEDI SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15 All District Collectors (except Chennai District) (through Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15) All Project Directors, DRDAs (through DRD & PR, Chennai-15) Copy to:

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The Accountant General, Chennai-18
The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-35
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