



ABSTRACT

MGNREGS - Announcement made by the Hon'ble Minister (Municipal Administration and Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme) on the Floor of the Legislative Assembly on 04.06.2018 - Construction of 3708 nos of Baby friendly Anganwadi Toilets in existing Anganwadi Centres at a total cost of Rs.14.09 crore under MGNREGS during the year 2018-19 - Permission accorded - Guidelines approved - Orders issued.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ (CGS.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms) No.139

Dated: 24.09.2018

Read:

1. Announcement made by the Hon'ble Minister (Municipal Administration and Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme on the Floor of the Legislative Assembly on 04.06.2018.
2. From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Letter No.24559/2018/ MGNREGS-II-2, dated 18.04.2018 and 04.07.2018.

ORDER:

The Honourable Minister for Municipal Administration and Rural Development, Implementation of Special Programme had announced in the floor of the Legislative Assembly on 04.06.2018 as follows:

“மாண்புமிகு இதயதெய்வம் புரட்சித்தலைவி அம்மா அவர்களின் ஆசியுடன், மாண்புமிகு முதலமைச்சர் அவர்களின் ஆணைப்படி, ஊரகப் பகுதிகளில் ஏற்கனவே உள்ள அங்கன்வாடி மையங்களில் சமூக நலத்துறையுடன் ஒருங்கிணைந்து 2018-19 ஆம் நிதியாண்டில் 3,708 குழந்தை நேய கழிப்பறைகள், 14 கோடியே 9 இலட்சம் ரூபாய் மதிப்பீட்டில் கட்டப்படும்”.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has stated that the Revised Schedule-I of the National Rural Employment Guarantee Act, 2005 Paragraph 4 (1) IV Category-D: Rural Infra Structure provides "Rural Sanitation related works, such as, individual household latrines, school toilet units, Anganwadi Toilets either independently or in convergence with schemes of other Government Departments to achieve 'Open Defecation Free' status". The Rural Sanitation is one of the permitted work as per Sl.No.30 of Para 7.2.1 of "Restructuring list of permissible works" under the Annual Master Circular 2018-19. The construction of Anganwadi Toilet is coming under "D" – community Category Assets and permissible works as per Sl.No. 237 of the Restructured list of works by Government of India.

3. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that awareness about health hazards of open defecation need to be taught to the children and the habit of using toilets has to be encouraged from the pre-school level itself. The Project Officer, ICDS of Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department, has identified 3708 nos. of existing old but functional Anganwadi centers without toilets and requested to construct the baby friendly toilets in these 3708 Anganwadi centres. In G.O.(Ms).No.40, Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department dated 16.05.2018, sanction has been accorded for a sum of Rs.1,17,12,000/- being the contribution of Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department for the construction of 976 Anganwadi toilet in the existing Anganwadi Centres in convergence with Rural Development Department. Further, Government of India have sanctioned the total cost of Rs.57,12,000/- as the contribution of Social Welfare Department for the construction of 476 Anganwadi Toilets during the year 2018-19. The total contribution of Social welfare Department for the construction of Baby friendly Anganwadi Toilets will be Rs.1,74,24,000/-.

4. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has further stated that unit cost of baby friendly toilet to be built in an Anganwadi Centre is Rs.38,000/- out of which the Contribution of Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department will be Rs.4,699/- and the remaining amount of Rs. 33,301/- will be spent from MGNREGS funds as tabulated below:

Name of the Dept & Scheme	component	Amount (in Rupees)	Total
SW&NMP dept (ICDS)	cash	4,699	4,699
RD&PR dept(MGNREGS)	labour	4,479	33,301
	material	28,822	
	Total		38,000

74,106 person days will be generated in the construction of 3708 Baby friendly Anganwadi toilets.

5. The total cost for the construction of 3708 Anganwadi Toilets is Rs.14.09 crore including Rs.1.74 crore from Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department.

(Rupees in Crore)

Description	Material Component (86.56%)			Labour Component (13.44%) (Central Share 100%)	Grand Total
	Central Share (75%)	State Share (25%)	Total		
MGNREGS Fund: construction of 3708 Anganwadi Toilets 3708 x Rs.33,301 = Rs. 1234.80 Lakh (Rs. 12.35 Crore)	8.02	2.67	10.69	1.66	12.35
ICDS convergence Fund: (3708x4699=1.74 Crore)					1.74
Total Cost					14.09

6. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has therefore requested permission for construction of 3708 Baby Friendly Anganwadi Toilets in the existing Anganwadi Centres at a total cost of Rs.14.09 crore which includes Rs.12.35 crore from MGNREGS and Rs.1.74 crore from Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department during the year 2018-19 and to approve the Guidelines therefor.

7. The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, accord permission for Construction of 3708 Baby Friendly Anganwadi Toilets in the existing Anganwadi Centres at a total cost of Rs.14.09 crore which includes Rs.12.35 crore from MGNREGS and Rs.1.74 crore from the Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department during the year 2018-19 and approve the guidelines annexed to this order subject to the condition that the Financial sanction shall be approved after getting the release of Central share.

8. This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.36555/Finance (RD) / 2018, dated 26.07.2018.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**HANS RAJ VERMA
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO
GOVERNMENT**

To

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

All District Collectors (Except Chennai) (Thro' the Director of Rural
Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai – 15)

All Project Directors, District Rural Development Agencies
(Thro' the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj,
Chennai – 15)

The Accountant General, Chennai – 18.

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Social Welfare and Nutritious Meal Programme Department, Chennai-9.

The Pay and Accounts Office (South), Chennai – 35.

The Finance (RD) Department, Chennai – 9

Chief Minister's Office, Secretariat, Chennai-9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Municipal
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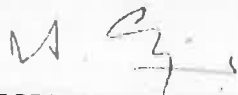
The Principal Private Secretary to Additional Chief Secretary to
Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj
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The Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (OP.2) Department,
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The National Informatics Centre, Chennai – 9.

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ANNEXURE**MGNREGS - Guidelines for the Construction of Anganwadi (Baby – Friendly)
Toilets****(G.O.Ms) No,139, RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ (CGS-1)
DEPARTMENT, DATED 24.09.2018)****Introduction**

A child-friendly Anganwadi shall have accessible baby friendly toilets, hand-washing facilities and access to potable drinking water. The anganwadi/school must teach children about appropriate hygiene practices. providing safe drinking water, improved sanitation facilities and hygiene education to Anganwadi Centres encourages the development of healthy behavior of the children.

Awareness about health hazards caused by open defecation needs to be explained and installed in the minds of children and the habit of using toilets has to be encouraged right from the beginning, at pre-school level itself. New Anganwadi centres are being constructed under MGNREGS with baby friendly toilets for children. But, most of the existing old Anganwadi centres do not have these Sanitation facilities. Hence, it is proposed to construct the baby friendly toilets for Anganwadi centres by ICDS Department.

Work Selection:

The list of old/existing Anganwadi Centres wherein toilets need to be constructed shall be obtained from the District Project Officer, ICDS of Social Welfare Department by the Project Director, DRDA concerned. After obtaining approval from the Grama Sabha, they shall be proposed under Rural Sanitation for the Financial Year 2018-19 in MGNREG Scheme.

Non-Negotiable Items:

1. Citizen Information Board shall be kept at the work site in 3x4 feet with all necessary information as per the framework given by the Government of India vide Ref No : k11023 /1 / 12017 – MGNREGA (IV), MORD, Dated 07.04.2017. The Anganwadi Toilets are proposed in the existing Anganwadi Centres and hence, the Citizen Information Board with wall writing shall be painted on the wall of the old Anganwadi Centre. Accordingly, unit cost of Rs.1000/- shall be included in the estimate as this is a community-type work.
2. Geo Tagging of the Assets shall be done for all 3 stages namely Before, During and After completion of the work.

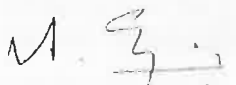
3. MGNREGS work file (Checklist / Contents) as per the instructions of Gol, vide Ref no: J11001017/6/12016 – MGNREGA (VII), MORD, Dt 21.12.2016 has to be maintained for all works.
4. The Rural Schedule of Rate finalised in G.O. Ms. No.56, RD&PR (CGS.1) Department, Dated 17.04.2018 shall be adopted. In case of any revision made in Rural Schedule of Rates(RSoR) in future, the same shall be adopted.

Technical Specifications:

1. The Anganwadi Toilets have to be constructed as per design and drawing.
2. Indian/rural toilet pans (Baby toilet pan of 420mm size)) should be used.
3. Height of hand washing facilities (taps, ladles, soap, etc. should be accessible for the Anganwadi children) shall be not be more than 450 mm from floor level of the toilet.
4. Distance between the footrests of squatting platform (pan) should not be more than 450mm.
5. Distance between centre of the squatting platform (pan) and wall should not be more than 420mm.
6. Height of door knobs and locks, generally, child friendly door with a provision for opening from inside and outside of the toilet should be preferred. Door latches may be provided at a height not more than 837mm from plinth level.
7. Rise of 150mm and tread of 300mm shall be provided for steps leading to Toilet.
8. Weight of the doors should be considerably light.
9. One foot height for water storing tub shall be maintained. Water tub should be easy to have access by children for cleaning and washing.
10. Paintings of pet animals/popular cartoon characters, inside the wall will create a friendly environment so that children are not afraid of using it and enjoy defecation in closed environment.

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