



## **ABSTRACT**

Collaboration project between Electronics Corporation of Tamil Nadu Limited (ELCOT) and Centre for Development of Advanced Computing (C-DAC) to provide a new Operating system and enhanced e-Governance services – Memorandum of Understanding – Approved – Orders – Issued.

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### **Information Technology (e-Gov.I) Department**

G.O.Ms.No.11

Dated: 20.06.2008

Read:

1. From the Managing Director, ELCOT, Letter No.SWG/198/CDAC/2007, dated 27.08.2007.
2. From the Managing Director, ELCOT, Letter No.ELCOT/MD/1218/2008-09, dated 4.5.2008.

### **ORDER:**

The Managing Director, ELCOT in his letter first read above has stated that the Government of India have sanctioned a project titled National Resource Centre for Free/Open source software (NRCFOSS) which is being handled by Centre for Development of Advanced Computing (C-DAC) with Anna University – KB Chandrasekar Research foundation (AU-KBC). ELCOT which has now ventured into development of software solutions for various Government Departments using open source platform have proposed to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with C-DAC for the purpose of undertaking research and development initiatives in the field of Open source software, e-Governance etc., in Government and academic sectors.

2. The Managing Director, ELCOT in his letter second read above has sent a revised draft Memorandum of Understanding and requested the Government to approve the proposal for entering into Memorandum of Understanding with C-DAC.

3. The Government, after careful consideration, approve the Memorandum of Understanding to be entered between ELCOT and C-DAC for a period of 5 years for the purpose of undertaking Research and Development initiatives in the field of Open source software, e-Governance etc. in Government and academic sectors.

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4. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.36754/Fin(BPE)/08, dated 18.6.2008.

(By order of the Governor)

C. CHANDRAMOULI,  
Secretary to Government.

To  
The Managing Director, ELCOT, Chennai-35.  
The Director,  
Centre for Development of Advanced Computing(C-DAC),  
Block-II,6/13, Park Avenue, Keshava Perumal Puram, Chennai-28.  
The Special Secretary, Finance Department, Chennai-9.  
The Deputy Director General, National Informatics Centre, Chennai-90.  
The Director, Tamil Nadu e-Governance Agency, Chennai-35.  
The Accountant General (Audit), Chennai-18.  
The Principal Accountant General, (Accounts & Entitlements) Chennai-18.  
The Accountant General, Chennai-9.  
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-9.  
The Finance (Ind/BG.I/BG.II) Department, Chennai-9.

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All Departments of Secretariat, Chennai-9.  
The Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-9.  
Private Secretary to Secretary, Information Technology Department,  
Chennai-9.  
Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, Chennai-9.  
National Informatics Centre (for hosting the G.O. in the Tamil Nadu  
Government web site)  
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// Forwarded : By Order //

Section Officer.