

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

ABSTRACT

Forests – Wildlife – Scheme for the Conservation and Management of Coral Reefs in the Gulf of Mannar, Ramanathapuram District during 2007-2008 – Release of Central Assistance - Orders – Issued.

Environment and Forests (FR.V) Department

G.O.(D) No.267

Dated:13.9.2007

Read:

1. Government Letter No.11879/FRV/2007-1, dated 22.5.2007
2. From the Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests New Delhi Letter No.N.3(2)/2/2002-CS (CR dated 27.7.2007.
3. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden Letter No.WL3/48860/2007 dated 6.8.2007.

ORDER:

In the reference first read above, the proposal of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden for seeking Central Assistance of Rs.32.52 lakhs for taking up certain works for the Conservation and Management of Coral Reefs in the Gulf of Mannar was forwarded to the Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests for approval and release of funds as a Centrally Sponsored Scheme during 2007-2008.

2. The Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests in their letter second read above have conveyed their administrative approval for a sum of Rs.21.52 lakhs and released Rs.17,20,800/- for the above said scheme during 2007-2008. Further the Government of India have adjusted Rs.1,000/- towards unspent amount during 2006-2007 from the total amount sanctioned.

3. The Government therefore accord administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.21.52 lakhs (Rupees Twenty one lakhs and fifty two thousands only) and release a sum of Rs.17,21,800/- (Rupees Seventeen lakhs twenty one thousand and eight hundred only) i.e.,(Rs.17,20,800/- + Rs.1,000/- of unspent amount) towards the expenditure on the items of works as detailed in the Annexure to this order for the Conservation and Management of Coral Reefs in the Gulf of Mannar during 2007-2008.

4. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests shall ensure that the expenditure in this regard does not exceed the sanction amount and to send the Utilization Certificate to Government of India in time.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

“4406 Capital Outlay on Forestry and Wildlife - 01 Forestry - 101 –Forest Conservation, Development and Regeneration – Schemes in the Eleventh Five Year Plan – III Centrally Sponsored – SA Scheme of establishment of Gulf of Mannar Biosphere Reserve 16. Major works. (D.P. Code 4406 01 101 SA 1606).

6. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests may be authorized to incur the expenditure through the letter of credit.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.56757/AH&F/U, dated 5.9.2007.

(By Order of the Governor)

R.Rajagopal
Secretary to Government

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15.

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests &

Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai -15.

The Secretary to Government of India,

Ministry of Environment and Forests, New Delhi-110 003.

Concerned Treasury Officer.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-600 035.

The Accountant General-I/II, 361, Anna Salai, Chennai-18.

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Planning Development and Special Initiative Department, Chennai-9.

The Finance(AH&F/ BG II) Department, Chennai-9.

The Finance Adviser,

Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Chennai-15.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Forests), Chennai-9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Finance), Chennai-9.

// Forwarded: By Order //

Section Officer

ANNEXURE

to G.O.(D) No.267, Environment and Forests (FR.V) Department, Dated:13.9.2007

S. No	Item of Works	Amount (Rs. In Lakhs)
1	Providing infrastructure developmental works for the Museum cum Interpretation centre under construction under this scheme in the campus of the Wild Life Warden office at Ramanathapuram such as formation of approach Road, protection wall, drawing pipeline for Drinking water, Street light, racks for spedmens and book during 2007-2008.	5.00
2	Engaging one ad-hoc Curator for the museum cum interpretation centre for 12 months @ Rs.8000/- per month for the year 2007-2008.	0.96
3	Fuel for 3 FRP boats for 12 months during 2007-2008	2.88
4	Fuel for the new boat purchased during 2006-2007	1.68
5	Addressing the problems of Coral Reef miners	5.00
6	Data base management	5.00
7	Monitoring of the works	1.00
	Total	21.52
	Minus Unspent balance amount during 2006-2007	0.01
	Grand Total	21.51

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