



ABSTRACT

Water Resources Department - Desilting Works to remove Shoals and desilting of Cauvery Delta at Trichy Region for 589 Nos of Desilting works at a cost of Rs.6290.50 lakhs and at Chennai Region for 58 Nos. of Desilting works for an amount of Rs.220.00 lakhs – Administrative Sanction accorded – Orders - Issued.

Public Works (W2) Department

G.O. (2D) No.57,

Dated:17.05.2021

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Read

1. G.O(D) No.205, Public Works Department, Dated 18.07.2019.
2. G.O(Ms) No.94, Public Works Department, Dated 07.04.2020.
3. G.O.(Ms) No.100, Public Works Department, dated 24.04.2020.
4. G.O(Ms) No.142, Public Works Department, Dated 26.05.2020.
5. From the Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai Lr.No.S(7)/46464/OT-II/TR2019 dated 10.05.2021.

ORDER:-

In the Government Order first read above, sanction was accorded for a sum of Rs.6095.40 lakhs for 281 numbers of Works of desilting / regrading / removal of shoals in Rivers, Odai, Surplus Course, Irrigation Channels and their Branches, Supply Channels and Drains in Namakkal, Erode, Karur, Trichy, Ariyalur, Thanjavur, Thiruvarur, Nagapattinam and Pudukkottai Districts.

2. In the Government Orders second and third read above, the Government have accorded Sanction for the work of "Desilting works to remove shoals and desilting/ regrading the bed in discrete stretches of Cauvery and its Tributaries, channels, canals, surplus courses & Drains in Trichy, Karur, Ariyalur, Thanjavur, Thiruvarur, Nagapattinam and Pudukkottai Districts numbering 393 works at an estimated cost of Rs.6724.75 lakhs and to group the 392 desilting works into 38 packages".

3. In the Government Order fourth read above, sanction was accorded for an amount of Rs.200.00 lakhs for carrying out desilting works in channels and drains in Cauvery Delta Region in Cuddalore District.

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4. The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai has forwarded the proposal of Chief Engineer, Trichy Region, Water Resources Department and stated that it is very difficult to provide irrigation due to siltation, shoals formation and presence of thorny bushes in Channels/ branch canals/ drains/ supply channels of tanks, in Cauvery Delta of Trichy Region. The Chief Engineer, WRD, Trichy Region has submitted the list of 589 Nos. of desilting works proposed to remove shoals, desilting/ regrading the bed in discrete stretches of Cauvery and its tributaries, Channels, Canals, Surplus courses, Drains in Trichy Region for an amount of Rs. 6290.50 lakhs.

5. Further, the Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai forwarded the proposal of Chief Engineer, Chennai Region Water Resources Department and stated that due to siltation, shoals formation in Channels / branch canals / drains / supply channels of tanks in Cauvery Delta makes it difficult to provide irrigation in Chennai Region. Also, Cuddalore district is relatively non slope surface and excess flood from the nearby districts passes through this Channel in Cuddalore district which makes the great damage to the irrigation field. The Chief Engineer, Chennai Region Water Resources Department has submitted the proposal of 58 Nos. of Desilting Works in Chennai Region for an amount of Rs. 220.00 Lakhs.

6. The above proposed Desilting Works are to be completed before the release of water for irrigation from Mettur Dam and subsequently from Grant Anicut. Hence the Chief Engineers, Water Resources Department, Trichy Region and Chennai Region have requested to obtain the Administrative approval for Desilting works in Cauvery Delta to a total amount of Rs.6510.50 lakhs from the Government.

7. The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai has, therefore, requested the Government to accord necessary administrative sanction and fund allocation for 589 Nos. of Desilting works at Trichy region at the cost of Rs.6290.50 lakhs and 58 Desilting works of Chennai Region at the cost of Rs. 220.00 lakhs and an overall estimated amount of Rs. 6510.50 lakhs for the year 2021-2022.

8. The Government, have examined the proposal of the Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai and decided to accept it. Accordingly, sanction is accorded for taking up 589 Nos. of Desilting Works for removal of Shoals and Desilting works at Cauvery Delta of Trichy Region at the cost of Rs.6290.50 lakhs and 58 Desilting works of Chennai Region at the cost of Rs.220.00 lakhs and an overall estimated amount of Rs. 6510.50 lakhs (Rupees Sixty five crore ten lakhs and fifty thousand only) for the year 2021-2022, as detailed in the Annexure to this order.

9. The expenditure sanctioned in para 8 above shall be debited under the following head of account:-

"4700 Capital Outlay on Major Irrigation – 01 State's expenditure – 800 Other Expenditure – CA canals - 416 Major works 01 Major Works (4700 01 800 CA 41601)"

10. Necessary funds have been provided in B.E. 2021-2022. The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai-5 is authorized to incur the expenditure sanctioned in para 8 above.

11. The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai is hereby directed to ensure that;

i) desilting works are taken on a rotation basis and avoid desilting same channels at regular intervals, while neglecting other channels.

ii) correctness of Schedule of Rates for the works undertaken.

iii) Since desilting are being undertaken on a regular basis, the Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai is requested to furnish a report separately on the efficiency of the desilting works undertaken in consultation with Agriculture department.

12. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 114 / DS(SA) / PW.II / 2021, dated 13.05.2021.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

K. MANIVASAN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Engineer-in-Chief, Water Resources Department and Chief Engineer (General), Public Works Department, Chennai-5.

The Chief Engineer, Design Research and Construction Management Support, Water Resources Department, Chennai-5.

The Chief Engineer, Water Resources Department, Trichy/ Chennai Regions.

The Principal Accountant General(A&E/Audit-I E&RSA), Chennai-18.

The Resident Audit Officer, O/o the PAG(G&SSA), TN Sect., Chennai-9.

The Treasury Officer, Trichy / Cuddalore / Karur / Ariyalur / Thanjavur / Thiruvarur Nagapattinam / Pudukottai & Mayiladuthurai Districts.

Copy to:

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-9.

The Hon'ble Minister for Water Resources, Chennai-9.

The Finance(PWII) Department, Chennai-9.

The Agriculture Department, Chennai-9.

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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

17.5.2021
SECTION OFFICER
17.5.2021

**Annexure to G.O. (2D) No.57, Public Works (W2)Department,
dated: 17.05.2021**

DESILTING WORKS DISTRICT & DIVISION WISE ABSTRACT FOR THE YEAR 2021-2022					
TRICHY REGION, WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT					
Sl. No	Name of Division	Name of the District	No. of Works	Length in KM	Estimate Amount Rs. in Lakhs
1	Ariyaru Basin Division, Trichy	Trichy	43	97.70	385.00
	River Conservancy Division, Trichy		20	65.11	177.30
		Sub Total	63	162.81	562.30
2	River Conservancy Division, Trichy	Karur	10	60.60	160.00
		Sub-Total	10	60.60	160.00
3	River Conservancy Division, Trichy	Ariyalur	10	36.85	118.00
	Marudaiyar Basin Division, Ariyalur		23	86.80	583.00
		Sub Total	33	123.65	701.00
4	Cauvery Basin Division, Thanjavur	Thanjavur	62	529.93	589.55
	Cauvery Basin Division, (East) Mayiladuthurai		6	137.00	167.00
	Vennar Basin Division, Thanjavur		53	268.34	504.70
	Grand Anicut Canal Division, Thanjavur		44	185.22	375.65
	Agniyar Basin Division, Pattukkottai		20	48.65	413.15
		Sub Total	185	1169.14	2050.05

5	Cauvery Basin Division, Thanjavur	Thiruvarur	48	336.15	356.10
	Vennar Basin Division, Thanjavur		50	348.37	536.25
	Vennar Basin Division, Thiruvarur		75	594.63	711.90
	Agniyar Basin Division, Pattukkottai		1	3.20	30.00
Sub Total			174	1282.35	1634.25
6	Cauvery Basin Division, Thanjavur	Nagapattinam	49	175.30	136.25
	Vennar Basin Division, Thiruvarur		40	399.20	389.15
Sub Total			89	574.50	525.40
7	Cauvery Basin Division, Thanjavur	Mayiladuthurai	3	29.80	28.60
	Cauvery Basin Division, (East) Mayiladuthurai		23	431.05	545.30
Sub Total			26	460.85	573.90
8	Grand Anicut Canal Division, Thanjavur	Pudukkottai	3	11.75	13.50
	Agniyar Basin Division, Pattukkottai		6	13.79	70.10
Sub Total			9	25.54	83.60
Total			589	3859.44	6290.50
CHENNAI REGION, WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT					
Sl No	Name of Division	Name of the District	No. of Works	Length in KM	Estimate Amount Rs. in Lakhs
1	Coleroon Basin Division Chidambaram	Cuddalore	58	202.00	220.00
Grand Total					6510.50

(Rupees Sixty five crore ten lakhs and fifty thousand only)

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17.5.2021
Section Officer

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