

ABSTRACT

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Disaster Management – Announcement made by Hon'ble Minister for Revenue and Disaster Management - Establishment of Telemetric Rainguage Stations at Firka Level at an outlay of Rs.2.50 Crore and Pilot Project for Alerting System for Lightning at an outlay of 0.80 Crore from State Disaster Response Fund – Administrative Sanction - Orders - Issued.

Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Disaster Management Wing, D.M.II section

G.O(Ms) No.415

Dated: 24.10.2018

விளம்பி, ஐப்பசி 7, திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு 2049

Read:

- 1. Announcement made by Hon'ble Minister for Revenue and Disaster Management on the floor of Legislative Assembly, dated 27.06.2018.
- 2. From the Additional Chief Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration, RC.Letter No. NC1(2)/3578/2018, dated: 13.08.2018 and 27.08.2018.

ORDER

The Hon'ble Minister for Revenue and Disaster Management made the following announcements on the Floor of the Legislative Assembly on 27.06.2018 among other things as follows:-

7. இடி <u>மற்றும் மின்னல் குறித்த முன்னெச்சரிக்கை வழங்கும் முன்னோடி திட்டம்</u> உருவாக்குதல்

"இடி, மின்னல் தாக்குதலால் மனிதர்கள் மற்றும் கால்நடைகளுக்கு ஏற்படும் சேதத்தை தடுத்திடும் நோக்குடன், புனேவில் உள்ள இந்திய வானிலை மையம் மற்றும் ஆராய்ச்சி நிலையங்கள் உதவியுடன் மாநில பேரிடர் நிவாரண நிதியிலிருந்து ரூ.0.80 கோடி செலவில் இடி, மின்னல் குறித்த முன்னெச்சரிக்கை வழங்கும் முன்னோடித் திட்டம் 2018–2019 ஆம் ஆண்டில் செயல்படுத்தப்படும்."

14. குறுவட்ட அளவில் தொலையளவு மழைமானிகள் நிறுவுதல்

"மாநிலம் முழுவதும் பெய்யும் மழையளவை துல்லியமாக கணக்கிட்டு, அதன் அடிப்படையில் வானிலை முன்னறிவிப்புகளையும் அறிவுரைகளையும் வழங்கிடும் நோக்கில், தமிழ்நாட்டில் உள்ள 1,189 குறுவட்டங்கள் (Firkas) ஒவ்வொன்றிலும், விவசாயிகள், பயனாளர்கள் மற்றும் உபயோகிப்பாளர்களுக்கு முன்னறிவிப்புகள் மற்றும் அறிவுரைகள் உடனடியாக வழங்க தொலைத்தொடர்பு முறையில் (Telemetric) இயங்கிடும் மழைமானிகளை நிறுவிடும் பொருட்டு முதற்கட்டமாக

2013–2019–ஆம் நிதியாண்டில் மாநில பேரிடர் நிவாரண நிதியிலிருந்து ரூ.2.50 கோடி நிதி ஒதுக்கீடு செய்யப்படும்."

- 2. In the letters second read above, the Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration has stated that in pursuance of the announcement made by the Hon'ble Minister for Revenue and Disaster Management, the scope of establishing the network of rain gauge stations at firka level and arrangements needed for collection of data on daily basis, processing and communicating to the farmers and other stakeholders were examined in detail in comparison with the methodology adopted by other States and it was observed that the Government of Maharashtra has taken up the installation of a combination of Telemetric Rain Gauge Stations and Telemetric Weather Stations over 12,000 locations in the State under Public Private Partnership on a Build, Own and Operate (BOO) Model and the Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration has suggested that the Government of Maharashtra's choice appears to be advantageous from the view points of upfront investment, maintenance cost of data processing and cost of man power.
- 3. The Additional Chief Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration has therefore requested the Government to accord administrative approval for the establishment of Telemetric Rain Gauge Stations at Firka Level at an outlay of Rs.2.50 crore and Pilot Project for alerting System for Lightning at an outlay of 0.80 crore under State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF).
- 4. The Government, after careful consideration and based on the approval of State Executive Committee, accept the proposal of the Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration and accord administrative approval towards the establishment of Telemetric Rain Gauge Stations at Firka Level at an outlay of Rs.2.50 crore and Pilot Project for alerting System for Lightning at an outlay of 0.80 crore under State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) on the following terms:
 - a) To take up the installation of telemetric rain gauges in 1186 firkas or in locations where rain gauge density is sub optimal on a Public Private Partnership basis in BOO Mode (Build, Own and Operate)
 - b) To take up installation of lightning alert system in 32 districts @ 1 per district on public private partnership basis in BOO mode (on a pilot basis) with technical collaboration of Indian Institute of Tropical Meteorology (IITM), Pune.
 - c) For the preparation of DPR and Terms of reference by availing funds from Tamil Nadu Infrastructure Development Board
 - d) To engage Tamil Nadu Urban Infrastructure Financial Services Limited for providing transaction advisory services for preparing the DPR, Request for Proposal (RFP) and evaluation and selection of the firm since the above firm has been engaged in a similar project for Greater Chennai Corporation areas also.
 - e) To make changes in the location of the Rain Gauge Stations on basis of spread or other administrative exigencies.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.54078/Finance (Revenue)/2018, dated:24.10.2018.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

ATULYA MISRA, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Revenue and Disaster Management (O.P.II) Department, Chennai - 600 009. SF/SC.

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