



## **ABSTRACT**

Disaster Management – Containment of Outbreak of pandemic COVID-19 – Sanction a sum Rs.62,72,000/- under Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority Fund (TNSDMA) to the District Collector, Thanjavur towards the COVID Care centres and other related activities - Orders - Issued.

### **Revenue and Disaster Management [D.M.II] Department**

**G.O.(Ms) No.759**

**Dated 10.12.2020**

சார்வரி, கார்த்திகை 25,  
திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு 2051

**Read:**

1. From the MHA, GOI (DMD) letter No.33-4/2020-NDM-I Dated: 14.03.2020 and 28.03.2020.
2. G.O.Ms. No. 161 Revenue and Disaster Management Department DM Wing, DM II Section, Dated: 19.03.2020.
3. G.O.Ms. No. 171 Revenue and Disaster Management Department DM Wing, DM II Section, Dated: 24.03.2020.
4. G.O.Ms.No.309 Revenue and Disaster Management Department DM Wing, DM II Section, Dated: 19.06.2020.
5. G.O.Ms. No. 356 Revenue and Disaster Management Department DM Wing, DM II Section, Dated: 16.07.2020.
6. G.O.Ms. No. 392 Revenue and Disaster Management Department DM Wing, DM II Section, Dated: 27.07.2020.
7. From the District Collector, Thanjavur Letter No.Rc.9879/2020 / DM1, Dated: 26.08.2020 and 05.10.2020.
8. From the Additional Chief Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration letter No.OC-I/563/2020-1 dated 27.10.2020.

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### **ORDER:**

In the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs (Disaster Management Division) Lr.No.33-4/2020/NDM-1, dated 14.3.2020, it has been informed that the Central Government keeping in view of the spread of COVID-19 Virus in India and the declaration of COVID-19 a pandemic by the World Health Organization (WHO), by way of a special onetime dispensation, has decided to treat it as a notified disaster for the purpose of providing assistance under State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF). The list of norms of assistance for containment of COVID-19 in India, eligible from SDRF has also been communicated by the Government of India vide it's Letter Nos. 33-4 / 2020 – NDM-I Dated: 14.03.2020 and 28.03.2020. The Government of Tamil Nadu vide its Notification No.118 dated 14.03.2020, (G.O.Ms.No.95, Health and Family Welfare (P1) Department, dated 13.3.2020) have declared that Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19) as a notified disease in the State of Tamil Nadu.

2. In the reference 8<sup>th</sup> read above the Additional Chief Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration has stated that the District Collector,

Thanjavur had requested to sanction an amount of Rs. 5.00 crore additionally towards various activities relating to containment of COVID-19 and that he was requested to furnish the utilization certificate for the amount of Rs.6.48 crore already sanctioned in the Government orders read from second to sixth read above. Accordingly, the District Collector, Thanjavur had furnished utilization certificate for the above sanctioned amount as detailed below:

Sl.No	G.O reference	Amount sanctioned (Rupees)	Details of utilization certificate / Expenditure details furnished
1.	G.O.(Ms) No.161, Revenue and Disaster Management Department [DM II] Section, dated 19.03.2020.	5,00,000	Fully utilized
2.	G.O.(Ms) No.171, Revenue and Disaster Management Department [DM II] Section, dated 24.03.2020	3,00,00,000	
3.	G.O.(Ms) No.309, Revenue and Disaster Management Department [DM II] Section, dated 19.06.2020	50,00,000	
4.	G.O.(Ms) No.356, Revenue and Disaster Management Department [DM II] Section, dated 16.07.2020	93,43,250	utilization certificate not yet furnished
5.	G.O.(Ms) No.392, Revenue and Disaster Management Department [DM II] Section, dated 27.07.2020	2,00,00,000	It is reported that out of Rs.2.00 crore as on 05.10.2020 an amount of Rs.1.65 crore has been spent.
Total		6,48,43,250/-	

3. The Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration has further stated that the District Collector, Thanjavur has also reported that.

- ❖ Out of the above sanctioned amount of Rs.6.48 crore upto September 2020 expenditure incurred for an amount of Rs.6.10 crore. Balance amount is sufficient to settle the pending dues received from various agencies.
- ❖ Expenditure incurred for an amount of Rs.1.65 crore from the imprest amount of Rs.2.00 sanctioned sixth read above.
- ❖ In Thanjavur District the following 3 COVID care centres are functioning:-

i.	Vallam Slum Clearance Board Quarters, Thanjavur Taluk	640 beds
ii.	Maharaja Samuthram Slum Clearance board Quarters, Pattutukotai Taluk	480 beds
iii.	Annai Technical College, Kumbakonam Taluk (Indian Medicine – 290 & Siddha – 100)	390 beds

- ❖ Besides the above, centres the following 2 COVID care centres have been established for future needs:-

i.	Sengipatti Govt Engineering College, Boodhalur Taluk	480 beds
ii.	Government Engineering College (Private), Kumbakonam Taluk	100 beds

- ❖ Also 2 isolation centres were functioning in the following areas:

i.	Periyar Maniammai university, Vallam.
ii.	Sastha Deemed-to-be University, Thirumalai Samuthiram

- ❖ In Thanjavur District passengers arriving from foreign countries, other Districts and Chennai are being accommodated in institutional quarantine centres food and basic amenities have also to be provided to the persons accommodated in COVID Care centres.
- ❖ In this connection an amount of Rs.4.00 crore is required for the months of October 2020 and November 2020.

4. The Additional Chief secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration has also stated that as on 28.09.2020, number of beds available in COVID Care Centers in Thanjavur District is 1,920 and out of those about 646 beds are occupied by the Asymptomatic positive cases and 1,274 beds are kept as vacant. Also, the proposal of the District Collector, Thanjavur has been scrutinized for State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) norms prescribed in MHA, GOI letter No.33-4/2020-NDM-I Dated: 14.03.2020 and 28.03.2020. The Additional Chief Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration has also stated that the following items of expenditure or eligible to sanction of funds



under Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority (TNSDMA) as detailed below :

			<b>(Amount in Rs.)</b>
Recurring expenditure for 1,300 persons per day for 60 days in COVID Care Centres			At present 640 persons are getting treatment in CCCs. In view of the above fund may be recommended for the above persons for 4 weeks.  640 persons X Rs.350/- per day X 7 Days X 4 Weeks
1,300 persons X 60 days X Rs.350			
III. Recurring expenditure (per day / per person)			
1.	<b>Food Charges</b> (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner, Morning & evening Tea/ Coffee, Snacks, Drinking water)	250.00	
2.	<b>Other Miscellaneous charges</b>		
a.	Sanitation (Sanitizer, Mask etc)	30.00	
b.	Cleaning & Disinfecting Charges	50.00	
c.	Institutional Charges including Electricity /Genset	20.00	
<b>Total cost</b>		<b>350.00</b>	
			<b>62,72,000</b>

5. The Additional Chief Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration has therefore requested to sanction an amount of Rs. 62,72,000/- (Rupees Sixty Two Lakhs and Seventy Two Thousand Only ) under Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority funds (TNSDMA) towards recurring expenditure for 640 persons who were accommodated in COVID CARE Centres in Thanjavur District.

6. The Government after careful consideration, accept the proposal of the Additional Chief Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration and based on the approval of the State Executive Committee accord sanction an amount of Rs. 62,72,000/- (Rupees Sixty Two Lakhs and Seventy Two Thousand Only ) under Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority Fund (TNSDMA) towards recurring expenditure for 640 persons who were accommodated in COVID CARE Centres in Thanjavur District as detailed below:

Sl. No	Amount requested by the District Collector, Thanjavur for 60 days	Amount recommended for 4 weeks														
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<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>62,72,000</b>														

7. The above sanctioned expenditure shall be met out from the Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority Account (TNSDMA) fund as ordered in the Government order sixth read above.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.42715/Finance(Revenue)/2020, dated: 09.12.2020.

**(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)**

**ATULYA MISRA  
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Additional Chief Secretary and Commissioner of Revenue Administration, Chepauk, Chennai-600 005.

The Commissioner, Disaster Management, Tamil Nadu Disaster Risk Reduction Agency, Chepauk, Chennai-600 005.

The District Collector, Thanjavur.

The District Treasury Officer, Thanjavuri.

The Accountant General, Chennai - 600 018.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (East/South/North), Chennai - 600 008/600 035/600 001.

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The Finance (Revenue/BG-I/BG-II) Department,  
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**//FORWARDED BY ORDER//**

  
**Section Officer** 10/12/20