

Abstract

Covid -19 - Sanction of Ex-gratia Rs.1000/- to registered left out Denotified Communities and Ulema and other Employees Welfare Boards - Orders - Issued

REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT (DM-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.211

Dated:27.04.2020

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Read:

- 1) G.O. (Ms) No.189, Revenue and Disaster Management Dept., dated 11.04.2020
- 2) From the Director of MBC and DNC., Lr. No. F1/ 1662/ 2020, dated 20.04.2020.
- 3) From the Director of Minorities Welfare Lr.No. A6/633/2019, dated 20.04.2020.
- 4) From the Principle Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration, Agenda Notes, dated.23.4.2020

ORDER:

In the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs (Disaster Management Division) Letter No.33-4/2020/NDM-1, dated 14.3.2020, it has been informed that the Central Government keeping in view the spread of COVID-19 Virus in India and the declaration of COVID-19 as pandemic by the World Health Organization (WHO), by way of a special one time dispensation, has decided to treat it as a notified disaster for the purpose of providing assistance under SDRF. The list of norms of assistance for containment of COVID-19 Virus in India, eligible from SDRF has also been communicated by Government of India. 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 G.O. (Ms) No.189, Revenue and Disaster Management Dept., dated 11.04.2020 sanctioned was accorded for Rs.86.05 Crores (Rupees Eightly Six Crores and Five Lakhs only) to 8,60,536 affected people due

to the 21 days of lockdown announced to control spread of COVID 19 as tabulated below:

SI.No.	Board	No. of members
1	Fishermen Welfare Board	4,85,000
2	Craker labourers	1,20,000
3	Traders Welfare Board	46,979
4	Tribal Welfare Board	45,000
5	People involved in Folk Art and Culture	37,385
6	Poosaries Welfare Board	33,627
7	Scavenger Board	30,780
8	Cine Workers Board	21,679
9	Tamil Nadu Narikuravar Welfare Board (TNNWB)	13,798
10	Khadi Welfare Board	9,042
11	Transgenders Welfare Board	6,553
12	Puthirai Vannan	3,826
13	Ulema and Other Employees Welfare Board	3,771
14	De-notified Communities we!fare Board (DCWB)	3,096
	TOTAL	8,60,536

3) The Principal Secretary and Commissioner of Revenue Administration has stated that the Director of MBC and DNC Welfare has requested additional sanction in respect of Denotified Communities welfare Board (DCWB) and mentioned that excess sanctions were made in respect of Tamil Nadu Narikuravar Welfare Board (TNNWB) as tabulated below:

	Original request		Revised request		Difference	
No. of embers	Amount sanctioned	No. of members	Amount requested	No. of members	Amount to be sanctioned	
3,096	30,96,000	33687	3,36,87,000	30,591	3,05,91,000	
13,798	13798000	12670	1,26,70,000	(-) 1,128	(-) 11,28,000	
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Hence, it has been requested by the Director of MBC&DNC Welfare to sanction additional amount of Rs.3,05,91,000/- (Rupees Three Crores, five lakhs and Ninety one thousand only) from the SDRF, so as to enable

to sanction the ex-gratia amount of Rs.1000/- to all the eligible registered members of Denotified Communities Welfare Board without any omission

4) The Principal Secretary and Commissioner of Revenue Administration has also stated that the Director of Minorities Welfare has requested additional sanction as tabulated below:

Name of the Board.	Total No. of eligible registered members	Total fund required (Rs.)	Amount already sanctioned in GO (in Rs.)	Additional fund requested now (in Rs.)
Ulema and Other	14622	1,46,22,000	37,71,000	1,08,51,000 (10,851
Employees Welfare Board	. *		(3,771 members)	members)

Hence, it has been requested by the Director of Minorities Welfare to sanction additional amount of Rs.1,08,51,000/- (Rupees One Crore Eight Lakh and Fifty One thousand only) from SDRF, so as to enable to sanction the ex-gratia amount of Rs.1000/- to all the eligible registered members of Ulema and other Employees Welfare Board without any omission.

5)Further, the Labour and Employment Department has stated that the Director of Industrial Safety and Health has reported that the number of Cracker labourers registered under E.S.I scheme was conveyed as 1,20,000 based on the information received from E.S.I. Corporation initially and the details of the workers employed in Fire Works factories and the current data base of the E.S.I. Corporation is verified for the registered workers as on date and the actual number of workers registered under E.S.I. Corporation is 59,100 only. He has further stated that the ex-gratia of Rs.1,000/- could be disbursed only to 59,100 workers and Rs.5,91,00,000/- could be utilized. and the unutilized portion of the sanctioned amount i.e. Rs.6,08,64,000/- could be utilized for some purpose.

6) In pursuant to the G.O. Ms. No.380, Revenue Department, dated 27.10.2015, G.O. Ms. No.246, Revenue Department, dated 03.08.2017 and Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs (Disaster Management Division) Letter No.33-4/2020/NDM-1, dated 14.3.2020 and 28.03.2020. The Principal Secretary and Commissioner Revenue Administration has requested to sanction an additional amount of Rs.3,05,91,000/- (Rupees Three Crores, Five Lakhs and Ninety one thousand only) for the left out 30,591 registered members under Denotified communities welfare board and additional amount of Rs.1,08,51,000/- (Rupees One Crore Eight Lakh

and Fifty One thousand only) for the left out 10,851 registered members under Ulema and other Employees Welfare Board may be sanctioned under SDRF as requested by the Director of MBC&DNC and Director of Minorities Welfare towards who were (Registered members under concerned welfare boards) affected due to the 21 days of lockdown announced to control spread of COVID-19.

- 7. The Government after careful examination accept the proposal of the Principal Secretary/Commissioner of Revenue Administration and based on the approval of State Executive Committee accord sanction the following amount from **State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF)** as detailed below:
 - i) Rs. 3,05,91,000/- (Rupees Three Crores, Five Lakhs and Ninety one thousand only) for the left out 30,591 registered members under Denotified communities welfare board from State Disaster Response Fund to the Director of MBC&DNC.
 - ii)Rs.1,08,51,000/- (Rupees One Crore Eight Lakh and Fifty One thousand only) for the left out 10,851 registered members under Ulema and other Employees from State Disaster Response Fund

Further

- i) The Director of Backward classes and Minorities directed to **surrender** the difference amount of Rs.11,28,000 (Rupees eleven lakhs and twenty eight thousand only)
- ii) The Labour and Employment Department directed to **surrender** Rs.6,08,64,000 (Rupees six crores eight lakes and sixty four thousand only) towards unutilised portion of the amount sanctioned to Tamil Nadu Crackers Labour Welfare Board.
- 8. The above expenditure sanctioned in Para 7 above shall be debited to the following head of account :-

2245 Relief on Account of Natural Calamities 80 General - 800 other expenditure State's Expenditure-AH Disaster Preparedness /Preventive measures to contain the outbreak of Corona Virus (Covid 19) - 309 Grants-in-Aid - 09 Others

(Old DPC 2245 80 800 AH 0998) (IFHRMS DPC 2245 80 800 AH 30909)

9. Necessary additional funds Rs.4,14,42,000/- will be provided in RE/FMA 2020-21. Pending of such funds, the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration is authorised to draw and

disburse the amount. The expenditure shall be brought to the notice of Legislature by specific inclusion in Supplementary Estimate 2020-21. The Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration is requested to send necessary proposal for inclusion of this expenditure in Revised Estimate 2020-21 and also send necessary explanatory note for inclusion of this expenditure in Final Supplementary Estimate 2020-21 at appropriate time.

10. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its UO.No.238/DS(B)/2020, dated:27.04.2020 with additional sanction ledger No.0021(Twenty One)

(By order of the Governor)

ATULYA MISRA ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY

To

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

The Director, Disaster Management,

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The Principal Secretary, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and MW Department, Chennai -09

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