

ABSTRACT

Disaster Management – Covid-19 - Outbreak of Epidemic Covid-19 - Institutional quarantine of passengers, accommodating asymptomatic positive patients in Covid Care Centre and creation of new Covid Care Centre at Tiruchirappalli, Thanjavur, Thiruvannamalai Cuddalore and Sivaganga Districts – Sanction a sum of Rs.4,09,41,436/- (Rupees Four crore nine lakhs forty one thousand four hundred and thirty six only) from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT [D.M.II] DEPARTMENT

G.O. (Ms) No.356

Dated: 16.07.2020 சார்வரி– ஆடி 1, திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு, 2051 Read:

- From the Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, letter No.33-4/ 2020-NDM-I dated 14.03.2020 and 28.03.2020.
- From the District Collector, Tiruchirappalli, letter No.G6/8232/2020 dated 01.07.2020.
- From the District Collector, Thanjavur, letter No.DM1/9879/2020, dated: 25.06.2020.
- From the District Collector, Thiruvannamalai, letter No.DM1/8160/2020, dated: 01.07.2020.
- From the District Collector, Cuddalore, letter No.A1/8163/2020, dated: 27.06.2020.
- From the District Collector, Sivagangai, letter, No.NC1/5681/2020 dated 04.07.2020.
- From the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Revenue Administration, Letter No.OC.1/563/ 2020, dated 06.07.2020.

ORDER:

In the letter first read above, the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs (Disaster Management Division) has been informed that the Central Government keeping in view of the spread of COVID-19 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) and the list of norms of assistance for containment of COVID-19 in India, eligible from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) has

also been communicated. 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 letter seventh read above, the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Revenue Administration has stated that, the District Collectors of Tiruchirappalli, Thanjavur, Thiruvannamalai, Cuddalore and Sivaganga has sent proposals for the proposed expenditure towards the Institutional Quarantine of Passengers, Accommodating asymptomatic positive patients in Covid Care Centre and creation of new Covid Care Centre as follows:-
 - (a) The District Collector, Tiruchirappalli has stated that as the number of COVID-19 positive cases are continuously increasing day-by-day in Tiruchirappalli District and that as the Government Hospital has a capacity of 500 beds only, Covid Care Centres were established as detailed below:-

SI. No.	Place	Beds ready	Expected COVID affected persons from (01.07.2020 to 31.07.2020)
1.	Bharathidasan University, Kajamalai Complex, Tiruchirappalli. (from24.06.2020)	200	800
2.	Government Engineering College, Sethurapatti, Srirangam. (To be converted as Corona Treatment Centre from 01.07.2020)	600	2400
3.	Yathri Nivas, Srirangam. (from 28.06.2020)	200	600
11	Total	1000	3800

(b) The Collector, Tiruchirappalli has reported that Government Engineering College, Sethurapatti, Srirangam is proposed to be converted as Corona Treatment Centre from 01.07.2020 and cost for the 600 beds have already been paid from the amount sanctioned vide G.O.Ms.No.309, Revenue Department dated 19.06.2020 as detailed below:-

SI. No.	Expenditure	Total Amount (in Rupees	Remarks
1	One Time Expenditure for Bed Facility	2928.50 X400= 11,71,400	Amount calculated based on the rates as adopted by TNMSC.
2.	One Time Expenditure and recurring Expenditure (for 7 days for 3800 persons)	3697X3800= 1,40,48,600	The Collector has requested for 3800 persons but as per Trend and Projection report of the H&FW Dept dated 01.07.2020 the projected case for Tiruchirappalli District is 2438 only hence the amount may be sanctioned for 2438 persons only 3697 X2438 = 90,13,286.
	TOTAL	1,52,20,000	Therefore the amount is restricted to 11,71,400+90,13,286=1,01,84,686.

[The Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Revenue Administration recommended that a sum of Rs.1,01,84,686/- to the District Collector, Tiruchirappalli].

(c) The District Collector, Thanjavur has stated that as the number of COVID-19 positive cases are continuously increasing day-by-day in Thanjavur District due to arrival of persons from other States, other Countries, Chennal and other areas, it is necessary to take immediate steps to accommodate them in Government Quarantine Centres and also to provide treatment to COVID positive persons. In this regard, the District Collector, Thanjavur has requested a sum of Rs.1,16,50,000/- (Rupees One crore sixteen lakhs fifty thousand only) for establishment of Covid Care Centres, Institutional Quarantine of Passengers arriving from other States/Countries and accommodating asymptomatic positive patients in Covid Care Centre for a period of 14 days from the date of their arrival apart from rental charges for Generator and other utilities at 11 Check-posts for the month of July, 2020 as detailed below:-

SI. No.	Details	Amount (in Rs.)	Remarks
1.	Establishment of Covid Care Centre at Vallam (TNHB) for accommodating an estimated 1000 asymptomatic positive patients/persons.	74,13,000	It is submitted that the Collector, Thanjavur has requested for 1000 patients but as per Trends and Projection report of the H&FW Dept dated 01.07.2020 the projected case for Thanjavur District is 456 only. hence the amount may be sanctioned for 500 persons only 500X7412.50= 37,06,250 (Rates are as adopted by the TNMSC)

2	One Time Expenditure and recurring Expenditure 1597 X1000	15,97,000/-	It is submitted that the Collector, Thanjavur has requested for 1000 patients but as per Trends and Projection report of the H&FW Dept dated 01.07.2020 the projected case for Thanjavur District is 456 only. Hence the amount may be calculated for 456 persons only 456 X3697 = 16,85,832
3.	Charges for accommodating the passengers returned from Foreign Countries and other State Approximately 2000 passangers for 14 days. 2000X700	14,00,000/-	Rates are as adopted the amount may be recommended.
4.	Rental charges for Generators and other electrical utilities at Rs.3000/- per day for 30 days at 11 Check-posts.	9,90,000	May be recommended
5.	Rental Charges for Tent, Room, Mike- sets, Labour cost and sanitizing at Rs.5000/- per day for 30 days at 11 Check-posts.	16,50,000	May be recommended

The following amount recommended for the District Collector, Thanjavur by the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Revenue Administration as detailed below:-

SI. No.	Details	Recommended Amount (in Rupees)
1.	Establishment of Covid Care Centre at Vallam (TNHB) for accommodating 456 asymptomatic positive patients/persons. 500 X7412.50= 37,06,250	37,06,250
2	One Time Expenditure and recurring Expenditure for 456 patients/persons for 7 days 1597 X 1000	15,97,000

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	Total	93,43,250
5.	Rental Charges for Tent, Room, Mike-sets, Labour cost and sanitizing at Rs.5000/- per day for 30 days at 11 Check-posts.	16,50,000
4.	Rental charges for Generators and other electrical utilities at Rs.3000/- per day for 30 days at 11 Check-posts.	9,90,000
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(d) The District Collector, Thiruvannamalai has requested a sum of Rs.2,30,00,000/- (Rupees Two crore thirty lakhs only) being the expected expenditure for providing Food including Tea/Coffee, Snacks, etc., and Toiletries for the 15000 persons for 3 days who are expected to arrive from otherStates/Districts and to be accommodated in Quarantine centres as detailed below:-

SI. No.	Details	Amount (in Rupees)	Remarks
1.	Providing Food including Tea/Coffee, Snacks, etc., for the passengers who had arrived from other States/Districts and accommodated Special Camps for 15000 persons for 3 days. 15000 x 3 x 350= 1,57,50,000	1,57,50,000	As per the adopted rate Rs.250 for food charges for other Districts and the number of persons may be restricted to 500. Hence the amount may be restricted to 5000X3X250=37,50,000
2.	Providing Toiletries items for the passengers who had arrived from other States/Districts and accommodated in Special Camps for 15000 persons. 15000 x 350	52,50,000	As per the adopted rate the other miscellaneous charges per days is Rs.350.
3.	Conduct of sanitization work/ Special Camps and Transportation of Migrant Labourers through Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation. One bus for one day at Rs.10,500/- (As per G.O.(Ms.) No.36, Transport Department, dated: 06.02.2013)	20,00,000	Clarification awaited from Government.
		2,30,00,000	

In this regard, the following amount recommended to the Collector, Tiruvannamalai by the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration as follows:-

SI. No.	Details	Amount (in Rs.)
1.	Providing Food including Tea/Coffee, Snacks, etc., for the passengers who had arrived from other States/Districts and accommodated Special Camps for 5000 persons for 3 days. 5000 x 3 x 250= 37,50,000	37,50,000
2.	Providing Toiletries items for the passengers who had arrived from other States/Districts and accommodated in Special Camps for 15000 persons . 15000 x 350	52,50,000
		90,00,000/-

(e) The District Collector, Cuddalore has stated that persons are arriving from other States/Districts and from Chennai and surrounding areas to Cuddalore and they are being kept in 12 Government Quarantine Centres. The quarantine persons are provided with food and basic amenities till the medical tests are received. In this regard, he has stated that from 01.06.2020 to 28.06.2020 2550 persons were kept in quarantine. Further, for persons who had tested positive for COVID, they were taken to the Government Hospital and are being quarantined for 14 days. He has therefore requested a sum of Rs.56,40,000/- for providing Food and other basic facilities for two months for 300 persons as detailed below:-

SI. No.	Details	Numbers	Amount (in Rs.)
1.	For providing Food including Tea/Coffee, Snacks, etc., for the 300 persons for two months at the rate of Rs.230/- per person.	300 x 60 x 230	41,40,000
2.	For providing basic facilities.		15,00,000
		Total	56,40,000

A sum of Rs.0.50 crore recommended to the District Collector, Cuddalore by the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Revenue Administration.

(f) The Collector, Sivaganga has submitted proposal for Rs.4,49,98,863/- to release form SDRF (State Disaster Response Fund) to face expenditure of Covid-19 related activities in future he has the details of expenditure incurred by with the already allotted fund during the outbreak of Covid- 19 related activities. From the above proposals the following items may be recommended for Government. Fund requirement for quarantine of persons coming from other states for a period of 7 days from the date of their arrival:-

SI. No	Decano	Amount (In Rupees)	Remarks
1	Permanent Items a) Bed Items (Include Steel cot, Bed and Cotton pillow) 600 X 7412.50=	44,47,500	Amount Calculated as per the rates suggested by the Committee. May be recommended
2	b)Bed items & Toiletries (Include Cotton bed cover, pillow cover, blanket, disposable cover, Bucket, mug, bath kids. For 600 persons 600 X1247.00	7,48,200	Amount Calculated as per the rates suggested by the Committee. May be recommended
3	Food Charges and other miscellaneous charges	1,89,00,000	As per the rates adopted the food charges and other miscellaneous charges for 7 days is Rs.3697 600X3697=22,18,200 Hence amount may be restricted to Rs.22,18,200/-

The Following amount recommended to the District Collector, Sivaganga by the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Revenue Administration as follows:-

SI.No	Details	Recommended Amount (In Rupees)
1	Permanenet Items a) Bed items (Include Steel cot, Bed and Cotton pillow) 600 X 7412.50	44,47,500
2	 b) Bed items & Toiletries (Include Cotton bed cover, pillow cover, blanket, disposable cover, Bucket, mug, bath kids. For 600 persons 600 X 1247.00 	7,48,000
3	Food Charges and other miscellaneous charges (600 x 3697)	22,18,000
	Total	74,13,500

 The Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Revenue Administration has recommended the proposal of the District Collectors, Tiruchirappalli, Thanjavur, Thiruvannamalai Cuddalore and Sivaganga and requested to sanction an amount of Rs.4,09,41,436/- (Rupees Four crore Nine lakhs forty one thousand Four hundred and Thirty Six only) towards the institutional quarantine of passengers, accommodating asymptomatic positive patients in Covid Care Centre and creation of new Covid Care Centre as detailed below:-

SI.No	Name of the District	Amount Recommended (In Rupees)
1	Tiruchirappalli	1,01,84,686
2	Thanjavur	93,43,250
3	Tiruvannamalai	90,00,000
4	Cuddalore	50,00,000
5	Sivaganga	74,13,500
Total		4,09,41,436

4. The Government, after careful consideration, accept the proposal of the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration and based on the approval of the State Executive Committee, accord sanction a sum of Rs.4,09,41,436/- (Rupees Four crore Nine lakhs forty one thousand Four hundred and Thirty Six only) towards the institutional quarantine of passengers, accommodating asymptomatic positive patients in Covid Care Centre and creation of new Covid Care Centre as detailed below:-

SI.No	Name of the District	Amount Recommended (In Rupees)
1	Tiruchirappalli	1,01,84,686
2	Thanjavur	93,43,250
3	Tiruvannamalai	90,00,000
4	Cuddalore	50,00,000
5	Sivaganga	74,13,500
Total		4,09,41,436

5. The expenditure sanctioned in Para 4 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)

6. Necessary additional funds of Rs.4,09,41,436/- will be provided in RE/FMA 2020-21. Pending provision of such funds, the Principal Secretary/ Commissioner of Revenue Administration is authorized 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 draft explanatory note for specific inclusion

in the Supplementary Estimate 2020-21 to Finance (BG-I/Revenue)

Department without fail at an appropriate time.

 This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.285/DS(B)/Finance(Revenue)/2020, dated 15.07.2020 with Additional Sanction Ledger No.197 [One hundred and ninety seven].

(By order of the Governor)

ATULYA MISRA ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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

The Director, Disaster Management,

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

The District Collectors,

Tiruchirappalli, Thanjavur, Thiruvannamalai Cuddalore and Sivagangai.

The Accountant General, Chennai - 600 018.

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

The District Treasury Officers,

Tiruchirappalli, Thanjavur, Thiruvannamalai Cuddalore and Sivagangai.

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