



ABSTRACT

Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program - supported by World Bank – An amount of Rs.1.00 Crore (Rupees One crore only) towards implementation of Tamil Nadu Operation Research Program in the second year activities of Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program –Sanctioned - Orders- Issued.

HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (EAPI-1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms.)No.323

Dated: 16.07.2021
Thiruvalluvar Aandu – 2052
Pilava, Aani – 32

Read :

1. G.O.(2D) No.141, Health and Family Welfare (EAP1-1) Department, Dated: 05.09.2019.
2. G.O.(2D) No.19, Health and Family Welfare (EAP1-1) Department, Dated: 04.02.2020.

Read also:

3. From the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program, letter Ref. No.2881/TNHSRP/PMU/ 2020, Dated: 24.08.2020 and 10.06.2021

ORDER:

The Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program has informed that Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program is a World Bank supported project implemented by Department of Health and Family Welfare (DoH&FW) of Tamil Nadu Government on Program for Results (P for R) basis. The program claims at achieving SDG 3 target by ensuring health lives and promising wellbeing for all at all ages in Tamil Nadu. The total budget of the program is 287 million US\$ over a period of 5 years which will supplement the overall budget of Government of Tamil Nadu in Health Department of 4,990 million US\$ in next 5 years to achieve the results. The loan agreement was signed on 04.06.2019 and the effectiveness date is declared as 29.07.2019. In the Government Order first read above, the Administrative sanction of the project was accorded. The Goal of the Project is to improve quality of care, strengthen management of non-communicable diseases and injuries, and reduce inequities in reproductive and child health services in Tamil Nadu. The project is being implemented and the first-year activity carried out from July 2019 to March 2020. In first year, all the disbursement linked results were achieved and disbursement claimed to the World Bank of USD 5,20,23,500 and the budget allotted for the first year activity was sanctioned in the Government Order second read above.

2. The Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program has forwarded the proposal approved by the State Empowered Committee headed by the Chief Secretary towards implementation of Tamil Nadu Operation Research Program

in the second year activities of Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program as detailed below:-

- i) One of the disbursements linked indicators in Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program is to prepare Tamil Nadu Operational Research Programme guidelines and adopt it during the year-1 of the project. The Operational research guidelines was developed and approval was obtained in GO.(Ms). No:162, Health and Family Welfare (EAPI-1) Department, dated 31.03.2020 and Indian Institute of Technology (Madras) will be functioning as the Nodal agency for implementation of operation research program. An MOU would be signed between the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program and Director Indian Institute of Technology (Madras). From the second year onwards, there would be an annual call for research proposals and selected proposals would be funded. The disbursement eligible to the Government for this activity is USD 3.0 million per year.
- ii) With the above background, the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program has proposed to release One Crore to the Director, Indian Institute of Technology (Madras) for implementing the Operation Research Program as per the cost details below:

Activities	Recurring	Non-Recurring
Operational Research	0.925 crore	-
Administrative charges to IIT(M)	0.075 crore	-
Total	1.0 Crore	-

3. The Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program has therefore requested the Government to sanction a sum of Rs.1.00 Crore to the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program, who will in turn release it to the Director, Indian Institute of Technology (Madras) for implementing of Tamil Nadu Operation Research Program and issue necessary orders in this regard.

4. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health Systems Reform Program have decided to accept the same and issue following orders:-

- i. Sanction is accorded for an amount of Rs.1.00 Crore (Rupees One Crore only) to Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program towards the implementation of Tamil Nadu Operation Research Program in the second year activities as follows:-

Activities	Recurring
Operational Research	0.925 crore
Administrative charges to IIT(M)	0.075 crore
Total	1.0 Crore

- ii. The Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health Systems Reform Program is permitted to transfer the funds to the Director, Indian Institute of Technology, (Madras) for utilizing the funds towards awarding of Research proposal.

- iii. The Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program is permitted to draw the amount sanctioned in para 4(i) above.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 (i) above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

2210 – Medical and Public Health – 01 Urban Health Services – Allopathy
– 110 Hospitals and Dispensaries – Externally Aided Project – PG –
Tamil Nadu Health Systems Reforms Project – 309 Grants in Aid -
03 Grants for Specific Schemes

(2210 01 110 PG 30903)

6. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O. No.27124/Finance (Health-2) Department, Dated: 12.07.2021.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**J.RADHAKRISHNAN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

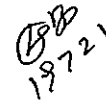
To
The Project Director,
Tamil Nadu Health System Reform Program, Chennai-6.
The Principal Accountant General (A&E), Chennai-18.
The Principal Accountant General(Audit), Chennai-18.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (South), Chennai-35.

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The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Medical and Family Welfare)
Department, Chennai-9.
The Finance (Health –II) Department, Chennai-9.
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