

## **ABSTRACT**

Schemes – Sanction of Additional Posts for Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Schemes (MGNREGS) – Implementation in all Districts except Chennai – Additional posts to strengthen the implementation of the Scheme at State, District and Block level - Sanctioned - Orders – issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department.

G.O. (Ms) No. 69

Dated: 15.06.2010

Read:

- (1) G.O. (Ms) No. 153, Rural Development and Pancyayat Raj (CGS.1) Department, dt. 20.10.2006.
- (2) G.O. (D) No. 115, RD & PR (CGS.1) Dept, dt. 2.7.2007.
- (3) G.O. (D) No. 174, RD & PR (CGS.1) Dept, dt. 15.10.2007.
- (4) G.O. (Ms) No. 51, RD & PR (CGS.1) Dept, dt. 28.3.2008.
- (5) G.O. (Ms) No. 52, RD & PR (CGS.1) Dept, dt. 28.3.2008.
- (6) G.O. (Ms) No. 53, RD & PR (CGS.1) Dept, dt. 28.3.2008.
- (7) G.O. (Ms) No. 84, RD & PR (CGS.1) Dept, dt. 4.8.2009.
- (8) Government of India, Ministry of Rural Development, NREGA Division, Letter No. J-11011/18/2007-NREGA, dated March, 2009.
- (9) Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Letter Roc.No.25172/2009/ NREGS.1 (1), dated 11.5.2010.

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## ORDER:

In the Government Orders first to seventh read above, additional posts were sanctioned for implementation of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS) in all Districts except Chennai. In the letter eighth read above Government of India have increased the administrative expenditure from 4% to 6% under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme.

2. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj in his letter ninth read above has proposed the following additional staff for strengthening the implementation of MGNREGS – Tamil Nadu.

- (1) Tamil Nadu is having 12,620 Village Panchayats and it is not feasible to have separate MIS staff in each and every Village Panchayat. However, since the MGNREGS works are in progress in all the Village Panchayats, the weekly expenditure must be entered through MIS for all the Village Panchayats every week. As per Government of India stipulation, the following MIS entries are to be made on-line for all Village Panchayats.
  - (1)Registration of name of workers
  - (2) Issue of Job Cards
  - (3) Demand of work
  - (4) Issue of NMRs
  - (5) Receipt of funds from District and disbursement to Village Panchayats
  - (6) Work Profile
  - (7) Payment of wages
  - (8) Registration of Complaints and redressal.

The present strength of the Computer Assistant cannot undertake the entire online workload and it is necessary to deploy one post of Computer Assistant at Block and District level.

- (2) With the increase in daily minimum wage from Rs.80/- to Rs.100/- and with the increased awareness about the Scheme among the public, the Scheme is expected to be carried out in all the Village Panchayats throughout the year. Therefore, it is necessary to sanction additionally one post of Deputy Block Development Officer and one post of Assistant to each Block and one post of Block Development Officer, one post of Assistant and one post of Junior Assistant at the District level to each over and above the existing sanctioned strength.
- (3) To cope up with the increased workload and to look after the scheme, it is necessary to create exclusively one post of Additional Director of Rural Development, one post of Block Development Officer and 2 posts of Assistant at the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj office.
- (4) At present there is one post of Overseer sanctioned for every 8 Village Panchayats. With the increase in minimum wages from Rs.80 to Rs.100 the workers turn out in MGNREGS-TN is more throughout the year. Therefore, it has been proposed that 2 (two) Overseer posts per Block may be additionally sanctioned in the 18 Districts of Tiruvallur, Kancheepuram, Vellore, Tiruvannamalai, Cuddalore, Villupuram, Thanjavur, Thiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Pudukottai, Tiruchirappalli, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Karur, Namakkal, Salem, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri, where the MGNREGS workload is heavier and 1 (one) Overseer post per Block in the remaining 13 Districts of Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Dindigul, Theni, Tirunelveli, Thoothukudi, Kanniyakumari, Erode, Coimbatore, Tiruppur and The Nilgiris. Totally 618 Overseer posts may be sanctioned.

## <u>The details of various posts proposed by the Commissioner of Rural</u> Development and Panchayat Raj is tabulated below:

| SI. | Office            | Name of the Post                 | Total No.of Posts |
|-----|-------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| No  |                   |                                  |                   |
| (1) | (2)               | (3)                              | (4)               |
| 1   | Director of Rural | Additional Director              | 1                 |
| 2   | Development       | Block Development Officer        | 1                 |
| 3   | and Panchayat     | Assistant                        | 2                 |
|     | Raj Office        |                                  |                   |
| 4   |                   | Block Development Officer        | 31                |
| 5   | District          | Assistant                        | 31                |
| 6   |                   | Junior Assistant                 | 31                |
| 7   |                   | Computer Assistant               | 31                |
| 8   |                   | Deputy Block Development Officer | 385               |
| 9   | Block             | Assistant                        | 385               |
| 10  |                   | Computer Assistant               | 385               |
| 11  |                   | Overseer                         | 618               |
|     |                   | 1,901                            |                   |

- 4. The Government, after careful examination have decided to accept the proposal of the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj and sanction the creation of 1901 additional posts in various categories as detailed below:
  - (i) One post of Additional Director of Rural Development, one post of Block Development Officer and 2 posts of Assistants in the Office of the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj.
  - (ii) 31 posts of Block Development Officers (One post for each District except Chennai)
  - (iii) 385 posts of Deputy Block Development Officers (One post for each block)
  - (iv) 416 posts of Assistants (at the rate of one post for each block and one post for each District except Chennai (385 blocks+31 Districts).
  - (v) 31 posts of Junior Assistants (one post for each District)
  - (vi) 416 posts of Computer Assistants at the rate of one post for each District and one post for each block (31 Districts and 385 Blocks)
  - (vii) 618 posts of Overseers at Block level, at the rate of two posts for each Block in the districts of Tiruvallur. Kancheepuram, Vellore, Villupuram, Thanjavur, Tiruvannamalai, Cuddalore, Thiruvarur, Nagapattinam, Pudukottai, Tiruchirappalli, Perambalur, Ariyalur, Karur, Namakkal, Salem, Dharmapuri and Krishnagiri and one post in each Block in the districts of Ramanathapuram, Sivaganga, Virudhunagar, Madurai, Theni. Tirunelveli. Thoothukudi, Kanniyakumari, Dindiaul. Coimbatore, Tiruppur and The Nilgiris.

- 5. The Government also order that,
  - (a) The posts of Overseers and Computer Assistants sanctioned shall be filled up through the Employment Exchange in accordance with the qualifications and the selection procedures already ordered. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj shall ensure that this is done expeditiously.
  - (b) The above posts shall be continued only upto the existence of this Scheme or the necessity of the posts ceases whichever is earlier.
  - (c) The salary and other related expenditure on account of these posts shall be met out of the administrative expenditure allowed under MGNREGS.
  - (d) The staff appointed against these posts shall also attend to such other Schemes as may be assigned to them from time to time.
- 6. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide its U.O.No.1153/FS/P/2010, dated 20.5.2010.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

K. ASHOK VARDHAN SHETTY, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj, Chennai-15.

All District Collectors except Chennai.

All Project Directors except Chennai.

The Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Rural

Development, Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi – 110 114.

The Accountant General, Chennai-6/18/35.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts. Chennai -15.

The Director of Local Fund Audit, Chennai – 108.

The District Treasury Officer of all Districts except Chennai.

## Copy to:

The Secretary to Chief Minister, Chennai – 9.

The Special Personal Assistant to Minister (Finance), Chennai – 9.

The Senior Personal Assistant to Deputy Chief Minister, Chennai – 9.

The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary, Chennai – 9.

The Secretary to Government, Personnel and Administrative Reforms / Finance Department, Chennai – 9.

The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (Training), Chennai – 15.

The Director, State Institute of Rural Development, Maraimalai Nagar, Kancheepuram District.

All Sections in Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai – 9.

Finance (RD / CMPC) Department, Chennai – 9.

The Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Chennai – 9.

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