ABSTRACT

Greater Chennai Corporation - Construction of Rail Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.2 near Korukkupet Railway Station in Divisions - 42 and 47, Zone - IV at an estimated cost of Rs.70.00 crore - Administrative Sanction - Accorded - Orders - Issued

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Municipal Administration and Water Supply (MC.1) Department

G.O (Ms) No.150 **Dated 18.07.2025**

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Read:-

From the Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation Letter Br.D.C.No.83/485/ 2025, Dated 16.05.2025.

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ORDER:

The Hon'ble Minister for Finance and Environment and Climate Change, during the Budget speech for the year 2025-26 on the floor of the Legislative Assembly, among others, has announced as follows:

"To address the growing traffic congestion in Chennai due to the significant increase in vehicular movement, several infrastructure projects are being implemented..... Similarly, a railway flyover at Korukkupet will be developed by Greater Chennai Corporation, in collaboration with the Ministry of Railways at an estimated cost of Rs.70 crore, benefiting over one lakh people in the area".

2. The Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation in his proposal read above has stated that the Railways have sanctioned this Rail Over Bridge (ROB) project at Korukkupet and included it in their works programme 2023-24. This Rail Over Bridge will be executed jointly by Railways and Greater Chennai Corporation on 50:50 cost-sharing basis. The Railway portion of the work will be executed by the Railways and the approach portions will be executed by the Greater Chennai Corporation. The length of the Rail Over Bridge is 590 meter, including the Railway portion length of 64m. The width of the Rail Over Bridge is 8.40m. The two lane Rail Over Bridge starts at Thyagappa Street, 60m from Ennore High Road junction, crosses the Railway lines at 30 degree skew and ends at Kannan Street. About 840 Sq.m of private land and 2295 Sq.m of Railway land is required for this project.

3. The Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation has also stated that, to fast-track the construction and ensure a better design, this project is being taken up under the Design, Engineering, Procurement and Construction (DEPC) method. Accordingly, Detailed Feasibility Report (DFR) with block cost estimate for Rs.70.00 crore as per 2024-25 Schedule of Rates (SoR) has been prepared.

4. The Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation has requested orders of the Government for the following:

- Approval of the estimated cost of Rs.70.00 crore for the construction of Rail Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.2 near Korukkupet Railway Station in Divisions - 42 and 47, Zone - IV of Greater Chennai Corporation.
- Administrative sanction for construction of Rail Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.2 near Korukkupet Railway Station in Divisions - 42 and 47, Zone - IV at an estimated cost of Rs.70.00 crore.
- Sanction of 50% of the cost under Infrastructure and Amenities and the balance 50% of the cost under Government Grant.

5. The State Infrastructure and Amenities Promotion Committee at its 23rd meeting has approved to sanction 75% of the project cost for the above proposal i.e., Rs.52.50 crore under Infrastructure and Amenities fund, vide its minutes dated 17.06.2025.

6. The Government, after careful examination of the proposal of the Commissioner, Greater Chennai Corporation accord Administrative sanction for the construction of Rail Over Bridge in lieu of existing Level Crossing No.2 near Korukkupet Railway Station in Divisions - 42 and 47, Zone - IV of Greater Chennai Corporation at an estimated cost of Rs.70.00 crore with 75% of the project cost, i.e Rs.52.50 core under Infrastructure and Amenities (I&A) fund and the balance 25% of the project cost of Rs.17.50 crore to be met from Greater Chennai Corporation's own funds.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department, vide efile No.2057/Finance (Infra-III)/2025, Dated 17.06.2025.

// BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR //

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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