ABSTRACT

Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme – Announcement made by Hon'ble Minister (MA, RD and Impn. of Spl. Programme) on the floor of the Legislative Assembly on 16.03.2020 - Construction of 100 Threshing Floors at a total cost of Rs.5.43 crores under MGNREGS for the year 2020-21 – Permission accorded – Orders- Issued.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ (CGS.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms.)No.125 **Dated: 18.07.2020**
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Read:

1. Announcement made by Hon'ble Minister (MA, RD and Impn. of Spl. Programme) on the floor of the Legislative Assembly on 16.03.2020.
2. From the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Lr.No.18270/2019/MGNREGS-II-2, dated 13.04.2020.

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ORDER:

The Honourable Minister for Municipal Administration, Rural Development and Implementation of Special Programme has made the following announcement under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme on the floor of the Legislative Assembly on 16.03.2020:

> "விவசாய விளைபொருட்களை உலர வைக்கவும், மதிப்பூட்டுவதற்கும், விவசாயிகளின் வருவாயினை இரட்டிப்பாக்கும் நோக்கிலும், 2020–21 ஆம் நிதியாண்டில் ஊரகப் பகுதிகளில் 100 கதிரடிக்கும் களங்கள் தலா 5 இலட்சத்து 43 ஆயிரம் ரூபாய் மதிப்பீட்டில் மொத்தம் 5 கோடியே 43 இலட்சம் ரூபாய் மதிப்பீட்டில் கட்டப்படும்".

2. Based on the above announcement, the Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj in the reference 2nd read above has sent a proposal stating that the Revised Schedule I of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Act 2005, various new common infra-structure facilities can be taken up under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MGNREGS). *Further, Para 7.3 –: "Works focusing on Agriculture and Allied Activities" - Sl. No.* III. Category C of ***Annual Master Circular 2019-20*** of Mahatma Gandhi NREGA permits the construction of Threshing Floor under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme. Hence, it is proposed to construct 100 Threshing Floors at Government Poromboke / Panchayat Lands at an unit cost of Rs.5.43 lakhs and at a

total cost of Rs.5.43 crores under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS during the year 2020-21 to help the farmers in rural areas for threshing and drying of food products like rice, Ragi, corn, cereals and other grains. The above work has been proposed in the Labour Budget for the FY 2020-21 and the Government of India has approved Labour Budget of 27 Crore persondays under Mahatma Gandhi NREGS to Tamil Nadu for the financial year 2020-21.

3. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has also stated that the Government of India have notified the wage rate for the Financial Year 2020-21 as Rs.256/- per day in respect of Tamil Nadu. Accordingly, the wage rate for the year 2020-21 approved in G.O. (Ms.) No.82, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department, Dated: 30.03.2020 and Rural Schedule of Rates approved in G.O. (Ms.) No. 86, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department, Dated: 13.04.2020 shall be adopted. In case of any revision made in Rural Schedule of Rates, in future, the same shall be adopted. The detailed guidelines issued vide G.O.(Ms).No.138, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS1) Department dated 24.09.2018 and G.O.(Ms).No.93, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS1) Department dated 24.07.2019 shall be adopted and referred for Planning, selection of Work, technical specifications for execution of Threshing Floor and Non Negotiable items without any change. In addition to this, the following guidelines shall also be adopted.

Selection Criteria

- Resolution shall be obtained in Grama Sabha for all the selected works and it shall be entered work wise in Register No.2 of Mahatma Gandhi NREGA of the village Panchayat concerned.

Non-Negotiable Items:

- Estimate creation, Administrative sanction and Technical sanction shall be done in SECURE software.

4. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has further stated that the unit cost of Threshing floor based on the Model Estimate will be Rs.5.43 lakhs. The Labour cost is borne 100% by the Government of India and the material cost is shared at the ratio of 75:25 by the Government of India and the State Government. The fund requirement and the central and state share for the construction of Threshing floor is given below:

(Rupees in Crores)

Description	Material Component (89.32%)			Labour Component (10.68%) (Central Share 100%)	Total
	Central Share (75%)	State Share (25%)	Total		
Cost of construction of 100 Threshing Floors 100 Nos. x Rs. 5.43 Lakhs= Rs. 543.00 Lakhs (**Rs.5.43 Crores**)	3.64	1.21	4.85	0.58	5.43

5. The Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj has therefore requested the Government to accord permission for the Construction of 100 Threshing Floors at a total cost of Rs.5.43 crore under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme during the financial year 2020-21 and to adopt the guidelines issued vide G.O.(Ms.) No.138, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department, Dated 24.09.2018 and G.O. (Ms) No.93, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department, dated 24.07.2019 regarding the construction of Threshing Floor for the year 2018-19 and 2019-20.

6. The Government, after careful examination, have decided to accept the proposal of Director of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj and accord permission for the construction of 100 Threshing Floors at a total cost of Rs.5.43 crore under Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme during the year 2020-21 by adopting the detailed guidelines issued vide G.O.(Ms.) No.138, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS.1) Department, Dated 24.09.2018, subject to the condition that the financial sanction shall be approved after getting the release of Central Share.

7. This order is issued with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.22358/ RD/2020, dated: 18.07.2020.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

HANS RAJ VERMA
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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