



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

LSGD - Package No. KR 11-11A under PMGSY in Pathanamthitta District - Revised administrative sanction and permission for release of expenditure on account of differences in cost of materials in the estimate and local market rate - accorded - Orders issued.

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DD) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.

3945/2017/LSGD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 08/12/2017

- Read: 1 GO(MS) No.43/2008/LSGD dated 16.02.2008.
2 GO(Ms) No.84/2008/LSGD dated 17/03/2008.
3 Judgment of Hon'ble High Court dated 20.03.2017 in the W.P (C) No. 6194/2017.
4 Letter No. 1874/A/2017/KSRRDA dated 17.05.2017 from the Empowered Officer, KSRRDA.

ORDER

As per the Government Orders read above, orders have been issued to allow the difference in cost of materials in estimate amount and local marked rate to 54 works under PMGSY due to poor response from the part of competent contractors on tendering the works. As per the above orders, it was also specified that the difference in material cost will be met by the respective local bodies through which the road passes and proportionate deduction from their allocations for Road Development maintenance fund for the year 2008-2009 will be placed with the KSRRDA to settle the claims as and when they arise. But no such fund is made available with KSRRDA.

2. In the letter read above, the Empowered Officer, KSRRDA has reported that one of the roads under PMGSY in Pathanamthitta District i.e. Package No. KR. 11-11A was also included in the aforesaid 54 works. As such supplementary agreement was made with the contractor Shri. P.V. Sasidharan for completion of the above mentioned work with the condition to allow the difference in cost of materials in the estimate and prevailing local market rate. The work was completed on 18-01-2013 and difference in cost amount of Rs. 248093/- is not paid till date. As Government of India does not provide any fund due to tender excess, enhancement of rates etc., the Empowered Officer, KSRRDA has requested release the amount from the additional state share of PMGSY. The petitioner has filed W.P.(C)No. 6194/2017 before the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala for release of funds and as per the judgment read above, the Hon'ble Court has ordered to attain finality on the representation submitted by the contractor requesting to release the

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3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to accord revised administrative sanction for Package No. KR 11-11A under PMGSY in Pathanamthitta District including the difference in cost of materials over and above the estimated cost for the work. Sanction is also accorded for the release of an amount of Rs.2,48,093/- on account of difference in cost of materials over and above the estimated cost for the road work from the budget provision for the Year 2017-2018 earmarked for the component "Tender Premium above estimate amount " (എസ്റ്റിമേറ്റ് തുകയ്ക്ക് മുകളിൽ വരുന്ന ദർഹാസ് പ്രീമിയം) under the H/A 4515 - 00 - 800 - 98(03) as additional State share (P) under PMGSY.

By order of the Governor
MINIMOL ABRAHAM
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:- Chief Engineer,
 KSRRDA, Thiruvananthapuram.
 Advocate General, Ernakulam.(withC/L)
 Principal Accountant General(Audit/A&E), Kerala,
 Thiruvananthapuram.
 Finance Department(Vide UO No.Dev-2/115/2017-Fin dated
 11.07.2017.
 Planning & economic Affairs Department(Vide UO No.
 A2/1472017-PLGEA dated 22.11.2017.
 ✓ Director, IKM, Thiruvananthapuram.
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Reason: Approved

Section officer