



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Cancellation of Project Development and Management Consultant (PDMC) services for AMRUT 2.0. - Sanction Accorded – orders issued

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DC) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.2036/2024/LSGD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 26-10-2024

1 G.O.(Rt)No.1276/2023/LSGD dated 19-06- 2023

Read

2 G.O.(Rt)No.1452/2023/LSGD dated 15.07.2023

³ Decision Number 9.7.3 of 9th State Level High Powered Steering Committee of AMRUT 2.0 held on 02.08.2024

4 Letter No. SMMU/81/2022-UP't-02 dated 24.08.2024 of the Mission Director, AMRUT

ORDER

As per G.O read as 1st paper above, sanction has been accorded for modification of RFP for the PDMC services for following 8 activities under AMRUT 2.0 and as per G.O read as 2nd paper above, addendum to the RFP for the Project Development and Management Consultant (PDMC) has been approved.

- i) Preparation of DPRs for 24X7 Water supply projects for the selected wards/ DMAS in the 10 Urban Local Bodies."
- ii) Action Plan for Reduction of Non-Revenue Water (below 20%) in the 10 Urban Local Bodies
- iii) Preparation of digital base maps for the existing, proposed, and executed sewer networks in the entire area of Thiruvananthapuram ULB.
- iv) Preparation of Aquifer Management Plan for 6 AMRUT 1.0 cities.
- v) IEC activities and community mobilization.
- vi) Preparation of the Micro water supply projects in 9 AMRUT cities.
- vii) Preparation of DPRs for Sewerage & Septage projects in 9

AMRUT 1.0 cities & Action plan for the 100% coverage of sewerage and septage facilities of the Cities.

viii) Progress Monitoring of 93 Urban Local

2. As the majority of activities under the scope of the Project Development and Management Consultant (PDMC) were either initiated or completed, based on the recommendation of 12th State-level Technical Committee (SLTC), as per the decision read as 3rd paper above, 9th State Level High Powered Steering Committee of AMRUT 2.0 has decided that PDMC services are no longer necessary due to reduced project scope. However, limited activities remained can be executed through alternative methods as follows:-

- Preparation of the Urban Aquifer Management Plan for AMRUT 1.0 cities by inviting bid from accredited agencies of Central Ground Water Authority (CGWA).
- IEC activities are to be arranged separately through consultants.
- KWA has to arrange Activities 1, 2, & 3 through design and build type contracts/through WASCON/ through consultants as per requirement only.
- The Committee decided to cancel the current PDMC tender.
- The Committee directed the Mission Director AMRUT to allocate necessary funds for these purposes from the Administrative & Other Expenses (A&OE) fund.
- The Committee authorized the Mission Director AMRUT to invite bids for the selection of consultants for the IEC activities and also towards the preparation of the Urban Aquifer Management Plan in AMRUT 1.0 cities.
- The Committee instructed the Mission Director to include the best practice documentation of AMRUT 1 .0 under the scope of works of IEC.

3. Accordingly Mission Director, AMRUT has requested to accord sanction based on the decisions of 9th SHPSC of AMRUT 2.0.

4. Government have examined the matter and are pleased to cancel the Project Development and Management Consultant (PDMC) services for AMRUT 2.0 as they are no longer necessary due to reduced project scope and cancel the current PDMC tender. Sanction is also accorded to execute the following activities through alternate methods as follows:

- Preparation of the Urban Aquifer Management Plan for AMRUT

1.0 cities by inviting bid from accredited agencies of Central Ground Water Authority (CGWA).

- IEC activities are to be arranged separately through consultants.
- KWA has to arrange Activities 1, 2, & 3 through design and build type contracts/ through WASCON / through consultants as per requirement only.

5. Sanction is accorded to utilize the Administrative & Other Expenses (A&OE) fund for this purpose. Mission Director AMRUT is authorized to invite bids for the selection of consultants for the IEC activities and Urban Aquifer Management Plan in AMRUT 1.0 cities and include the best practice documentation of AMRUT 1.0 under the scope of works of IEC

(By order of the Governor)
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