



ABSTRACT

Town Panchayats Administration - Thirteenth Finance Commission Grants for the year 2011-2012 - Release of Rs.211.73 lakhs as balance grant of first instalment of General Basic Grant to the Town Panchayats for the year 2011-2012 - Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND WATER SUPPLY (TP2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(D) No. 411

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Dated: 24.10.2011

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1. G.O. (D) No. 187, M.A. & W.S. Department, dt. 03.06.2011.
2. The Joint Director, Finance Commission Division, Government of India letter No.F.12(3)/FCD/2010, dated 12.08.2011.
3. The Principal Secretary to Government, Finance (FC.IV) Department, D.O. letter No.71138/FC.IV/210, dated 25.08.2011.
4. From the Director of Town Panchayats, letter Roc. No. 6704/2011/E2, dated 06.09.2011.
From the Director of Town Panchayats letter Roc. No. 8986/2011/B5, dated 12.08.2011.

ORDER:

In the Government Order first read above, the Government have sanctioned and released a sum of Rs.3594.00 lakhs to Town Panchayats as first instalment of General Basic Grants recommended by Thirteenth Finance Commission for the year 2011-2012.

2. In the letter second read above, the Government of India has conveyed the approval for the payment of Rs.311.93 crores (Rs.176.31 crores - Rural Local Bodies + Rs.135.62 crores - Urban Local Bodies) as 1st instalment general basic grant for Rural Local Bodies and Urban Local Bodies of this State for the year 2011-12 based on the recommendations of the 13th Finance Commission.

3. In his letter fourth read above, the Director of Town Panchayat has stated that the 1st instalment of general basic grant for Urban Local Bodies during 2011-12 as per the recommendation of the 13th Finance Commission, is Rs.135.62 crores. Out of which Rs.128.07 crores had already been released to Urban Local Bodies. The percentage of allocation of funds to Town Panchayats from out of Urban Local Bodies allocation is 28.061%. Based on this, Rs.211.73 lakhs is to be released to Town Panchayats as balance grant of 1st instalment for the year 2011-12. Hence the Director of Town Panchayat has requested the Government to release a sum of Rs.211.73 lakhs (Rupees two crores eleven lakhs and seventy three thousand only) being the balance grant of 1st instalment for the year 2011-12 under Thirteenth Finance Commission General Basic Grant and the Director of Town Panchayats be authorized to draw and disburse the amount.

4. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of Director of Town Panchayat, sanction and release a sum of Rs.211.73 lakhs (Rupees two crores eleven lakhs and seventy three thousand only) towards the balance General Basic grant of 1st instalment for the year 2011-2012 under Thirteenth Finance Commission Grant.

5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 4 above shall be debited to the following head of account.

Basic Grant:

“3604-00 Compensation and Assignments to Local Bodies and Panchayat Raj Institutions – 193 – Assistance to Nagar Panchayats / Notified Area Committees or equivalent thereof – II State Plan – JD – Grants to Town Panchayats as per the recommendations of Thirteenth Finance Commission Controlled by Director of Town Panchayats – 09 – Grants-in-aid-01- Grants for current Expenditure. (DP Code: 3604 00 193 JD 0913)

6. The Director of Town Panchayats is authorized to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para 4 above to all Town Panchayats based on 2001 Census population (75% of the grants) and fiscal collection (25% of the grant) as already decided by the High Level Committee. The Director of Town Panchayats is also requested to furnish the Utilisation Certificate for the amount sanctioned in para 4 above to the Government early, so as to furnish the same to Government of India. The Government also direct that the recommendations of the 13th Finance Commission to be strictly adhered to while utilizing the grant recommended by it.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.49998/MAWS/2011, dated: 30.09.2011.

//BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR//

S. KARUTHIAH PANDIAN
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To:

✓ The Director of Town Panchayats, Chennai-108.
The Pay and Accounts Officer (North), Chennai – 1.
The Accountant General, Chennai – 9/18. (By Name)

Copy to:

The Finance (MAWS / FC.IV) Department, Chennai – 9.
The Private Secretary to Secretary to Government,
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department,
Chennai-9.
The Municipal Administration and Water Supply(OP.II/Bills) Department,
Chennai-9.
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//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

M. P. Pushya 24/10/14
SECTION OFFICER

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24/10/14