



ABSTRACT

Elimination of Insanitary Latrines and Rehabilitation of Manual Scavengers in Tamil Nadu - Appointment of Commissioner of Municipal Administration as State Level Nodal Agency to conduct survey and verification activity - Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND WATER SUPPLY (MA2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms) No.42

Dated: 27.03.2013

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Read:

1. From the Secretary, Department of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, D.O. Lr.No. 19014/04/2013 - SCD-IV, dated 22.02.2013 and 26.02.2013.
2. From the Director of Town Panchayats, Lr.Roc. No.5596/2012/F1, dated 25.02.2013.
3. From the Commissioner of Municipal Administration Lr.Roc.No. 6468/2013/J2, dated 04.03.2013.

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ORDER:

In the letter first read above, the Government of India have requested the GOTN to take the following immediate preparatory action for starting the survey of manual scavengers:

- a) Designate a suitable Nodal Department at the State Level;
- b) Orient all the District Collectors, District Level Officers of concerned Departments; Commissioners/CEOs of Municipalities /Cantonment Boards, about the survey and their role therein.
- c) Setup Survey Committees at the State, District and Town levels.
- d) Assess the number of 'Self-declaration Centres' required to be set up in each statutory town, with their locations.

- e) Assess the numerical requirement of enumerators, supervisors and Data Entry Operators, identify them and make arrangements for their appointment for the survey.
- f) Identify and nominate persons (average 3 persons) to become Master Trainers, and send them for their training at SCOPE Complex, Lodhi Road, Delhi on 06.03.2013. On their return, these Master Trainers would be responsible for providing training to the data entry operators, enumerators and supervisors etc. in your State/UT. More details about the training programme of master trainers would be sent shortly.

The Government of India have also issued the Guidelines for Survey on Manual Scavengers In Statutory Towns.

2. In this regard, the Commissioner of Municipal Administration and Director of Town Panchayats have sent a action plan and the methodology and need for the survey on Manual Scavengers, to the Government and requested the Government to appoint the Commissioner of Municipal Administration as the State Level Nodal Agency to conduct the survey and verification activity.

3. After careful examination of the proposal of Commissioner of Municipal Administration and Director of Town Panchayats, the Government hereby appoint the Commissioner of Municipal Administration as the State Level Nodal Agency to conduct the survey and verification activity to eliminate insanitary latrines and Rehabilitation of Manual Scavenging in Tamil Nadu. The Commissioner of Municipal Administration is directed to conduct the survey as per the guidelines issued by the GoI and send an action taken report to GoI periodically.

4. The Commissioner of Municipal Administration is also directed to instruct the NIC to develop suitable software in this regard.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

K. PHANINDRA REDDY
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Commissioner of Municipal Administration, Chennai - 5.
The Director of Town Panchayats, Chennai -108.
The Secretary, Department of Social Justice and Empowerment,
Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India,
New Delhi - 110 001.
The Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department,
Secretariat, Chennai-9.
The National Information Centre, Chennai-9.

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Chennai - 9.

The Municipal Administration and Water Supply (OP2) Department,
Chennai-9.

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