

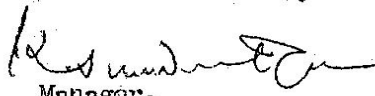
Endorsement

Copy of G.O. 616 dated 30-3-73 of R.D. and L.A., is communicated to all establishment clerks, section heads and departmental Heads.

2. Copy to Commissioner's table and F.A. to Commissioner's table.
3. Copy to P.C. to Commissioner. (Spare 5 copies)

S.D.R. Lonin,
For Commissioner.

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Manager.

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Government of Tamil Nadu
Abstract

Municipal Administration-Directorate of Municipal Administration-
strengthening of-creation of Regional Directorates-orders-issued.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND LOCAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.616

dated 30th March 1973
Read the followings:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.12, R.D. and L.A., dated 5-1-70
2. From the Director of Municipal Administration,
Letter No.34989/70 OP1 dated 27-6-70, 28-7-70
and 18-3-71.
3. From the Director of Municipal Administration,
Letter L.Dis.No.83020/71 OP1 dated 2-12-71
4. G.O.Ms.No.20, R.D. and L.A., dated 5-1-72

ORDER

The Director of Municipal Administration is in charge of inspection and Superintendence of the operations of the Municipal councils in the state. In the recent past, the total number of Municipalities have increased appreciably consequent on the conversion of large number of Town Panchayats as Municipalities. The number of selection Grade and special Grade Municipalities have also increased owing to the reclassification of Municipalities. The developmental activities in the Municipalities have also expanded considerably involving heavy financial transactions and also large increase in the volume of planning work. All the Municipalities therefore require not only frequent and effective supervision but also proper guidance. The growing complexity of the administrative problems and the volume of increasing planning work involved in the execution of various developmental activities particularly in selection and special grade Municipalities require the close and constant attention of the Director of Municipal Administration. He should therefore be able to maintain direct and intimate contact with these Municipal commissioners. The Director of Municipal Administration has also been entrusted with the responsibility of successfully implementing the various statewide Municipal service rules which have been recently introduced. The Government have therefore had under consideration the question of creating Regional Directors with sufficient financial and administrative powers delegated to them with a view to streamline the Municipal administration and also afford effective assistance to the Director of Municipal Administration so that he may concentrate his undivided attention to the more important aspects of the Municipal administration. The Government have now decided that two Regional Directors of Municipal Administration in the cadre of special grade Municipal commissioner with headquarters in the districts with necessary complementary staff should be created. It has also been decided that the joint Director of Municipal Administration, Madras will also be in charge of one region consisting of districts near about Madras city.

2. In furtherance of the above decision, the Government pass the following orders:--

(1) Sanction is accorded to the creation of two temporary posts of Regional Directors in the cadre of Municipal commissioner, special Grade on a scale of pay of Rs.575-25-600-40-1000 with a special pay of Rs.250/- per mensem for a period of one year from the date of appointment.

(2) Sanction is also accorded to the employment of the following temporary staff on the scale of pay noted against each to each of the two Regional Offices for a period of one year from the date of appointment.

1. Superintendent	One	(Rs.350-15-500-20-600)
2. Assistants	Two	(Rs.250-10-300-15-450)
3. Junior Assistants	Two	(Rs.210-5-245-10-325)
4. Typist	One	(Rs.210-5-245-10-325 plus a special pay of Rs.15/- or Rs.25/- as the case may be).
5. Record clerk	One	(Rs.140-3-155-4-175-5-210)
6. Peons	Three	(Rs.130-3-160-4-180-5-195)
7. One watchman	on a consolidated pay of	Rs.100/-P.M.

The above staff will be under the administrative control of the Director of Municipal Administration and will form part of the Directorate of Municipal Administration. The joint Director of Municipal Administration should utilise the ministerial staff of superintendent, Assistants, Junior Assistant and Typist sanctioned in G.O.Rt.No.813, R.D. and L.A., dated 27-4-70 and continued from time to time for his new assignment.

(3) The Regional Directors as well as the other complimentary staff sanctioned will be eligible for the usual allowances admissible to them under the orders in force.

(4) The temporary posts of Regional Directors will be temporary additions to the Municipal Commissioners Special Grade in the Tamil Nadu Municipal Commissioners' service. The Director of Municipal Administration is requested to send draft adhoc rules for the temporary posts.

(5) The joint Director of Municipal Administration shall also be incharge of a region and exercising the powers of the Regional Director in the region comprising municipalities in chingloput, North Arcot and Dharmapuri Districts.

(6) The two Regional Offices shall be located with head quarters at Madurai and at Salem. The Regional Director at Madurai shall have jurisdiction over all the Municipalities (excluding Municipalities in selection and special grades) in Tirunelveli, Kanyakumari, Ramanathapuram, Madurai and Tiruchirapalli Districts. The Regional Director at Salem shall have jurisdiction over all the Municipalities (excluding Municipalities in selection and special Grades) in Salem, Coimbatore Nilgiris, South Arcot and Thanjavur Districts.

3. Under sub-Section(1) of section 38 of the Tamil Nadu District Municipalities Act, 1920, (Tamil Nadu Act V of 1920) as subsequently amended, the Governor of Tamilnadu appoints the joint Director of Municipal Administration and the Regional Directors for the purpose of inspecting and superintending the operations of the Municipal councils in their jurisdiction established under the said Act except selection grade and special Grade Municipalities. The inspection and superintending the operations of the Municipal Councils in Selection Grade and special Grade shall continue to vest with the Director of Municipal Administration may however direct the Regional Directors to attend to specific items of work even in these two grades of Municipalities in matters of urgent importance or for other reasons. The Regional Directors will be touring officers within their jurisdiction. The joint Director of Municipal Administration will continue as State touring Officer.

officer.

4. The Director of Municipal Administration is requested to make immediate arrangements for the establishment of the regional offices.

5. The expenditure should be debited to the head *19. General Administration-C, Secretariat and attached offices-j. Civil Secretariats-2G. Director of Municipal Administration. The Director of Municipal Administration shall be the estimating and controlling authority.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department Vide its U.O.No.42718A/R.D. L.A., II/73-1 dated 29-3-73.

(By order of the Governor)

E.C.P.Prabhakar,
Secretary to Government.

To

Director of Municipal Administration, Madras-1
The Commissioners of Municipalities through Chairmen.

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