



ABSTRACT

TNUDP III – Payments to consultants under TNUDP II towards preparation of City Corporate Plans – Permission to make payments from TNUDP III Fund – Revalidation of earlier orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND WATER SUPPLY (MA2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms).No.27

Dated: 3.02.2010

Read:

1. G.O. (Ms) No. 422, Municipal Administration and Water Supply (MA II) Department, dated 25.7.2000.
2. G.O. (D) No. 91, Municipal Administration and Water Supply (MA II) Department, dated 8.3.2002.
3. From the Commissioner of Municipal Administration Lr. No. 67481/WB3/05, dated 12.2.2007 and 24.4.2009.

ORDER:

In the G.O. first read above, orders were issued permitting the Project Director, TNUDP II, to engage consultants to prepare City Corporate Plans (CCP) for 9 Urban Local Bodies. In the G.O. second read above, orders were issued approving the award the assignment to prepare City Corporate Plans 20 Urban Local Bodies with 5 years Capital Improvement Programme.

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3. In the letter third read above, the Director of Municipal Administration has stated that the Manager, Operations, Mott Mac Donald in his letter dated 24.3.2009 addressed to the Secretary to Government, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department has requested for payment for the submission of Final Report on City Corporate Plans (CCP) for 7 town under CCPI and CCP II. In this connection, he has stated that M/s. Mott MacDonald was awarded with the assignment of preparation of City Corporate Plan (CCP) for the towns of Madurai, Dindigul and Kodaikanal under the first year programme of Tamil Nadu Urban Development Project-II in G.O.(Ms).No.422, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, dated 25.7.2000 (CCP I) and for the towns of Namakkal, Tiruchengode, Mayiladuthurai and Cuddalore under the II year programme of Tamil Nadu Urban Development Project-II in G.O.(D).No.91,MAWS, dated 8.3.2009 (CCPII), M/s. Mott MacDonald under the first year Programme under TNUDP –II (CCP I) prepared the CCP for Madurai Corporation, Dindigul and Kodaikanal Municipalities during 2000-01 and submitted

the final report to the then TNUDP-II in November 2004. The Consultancy firm was already paid 80% of the total consultancy cost of Rs.8,03,350/-. According to the terms of Payment, 20% of the total consultancy cost (Rs.1,60,670/-) has to be paid to the consultancy firm after acceptance of the Final Report on the CCP for Madurai, Dindigul and Kodaikanal towns by the Government. The Director of Municipal Administration has also stated that the final payment to be made to the Consultants who prepared the CCP under TNUDP - II, the Sub-Committee constituted under TNUDP III in its 4th meeting held on 9.1.2006 resolved that since the Government had accorded approval for the preparation of City Corporate Plans under the TNUDP-II, this matter might be taken up with the Government for revalidation of the G.O. to facilitate making the final payment to the consultants under the TNUDP-III, requesting the Government to pass orders revalidating G.O.(Ms).No.422, dated 25.7.2000 and to permit the Commissionerate of Municipal Administration Office to pay the final installment to the consultant from the TNUDP III funds. Similarly on submission for the Reports on the CCP for 4 towns namely Namakkal, Tiruchengode, Mayiladuthurai and Cuddalore, the Consultant was paid 30% of the total consultancy cost of Rs.19,99,200/- during 2002-2003, and the copies of the Draft Final Report and final Reports on CCP for the above mentioned towns, along with a request to pass order revalidating G.O.(D).No.91, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, dated 8.3.2002, enabling Commissionerate of Municipal Administration office to make payment to the Consultant.

4. . The Director of Municipal Administration has requested the Government to pass orders revalidating the orders issued in G.O.(Ms).No.422, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, dated 25.7.2000 and G.O.(D).No.91, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department dated 8.3.2002, as per the resolution passed in the Sub Committee Meeting held on 9.1.2006 enabling them to make payment to the Consultants from the TNUDP III fund.

5. The Government after careful examination and accept the proposal of Director of Municipal Administration and direct that the orders issued in G.O.(Ms).No.422, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, dated 25.7.2000 and G.O.(D).No.91, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department dated 8.3.2002, be revalidated so as to enable the Director of Municipal Administration to make payments to the Consultants from the TNUDP III fund. The Director of Municipal Administration is requested to ensure that all conditions prescribed for payment of final instalment are satisfied, before making final payment.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.60026/MAWS / 09, dated 01.11.2009.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**NIRANJAN MARDI,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

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The Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer,

Tamil Nadu Urban Infrastructure Financial Services Limited, Chennai-17.

The Pay and Accounts Officer (East), Chennai-5(2 copies)

The Accountant General, Chennai-18.

The Accountant General, Chennai-35.

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