



## ABSTRACT

Self Help Groups (SHGs) – Formation of 65,000 new Self Help Groups during 2011-12 – Sanctioned – Orders – Issued.

Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS-3) Department

G.O.(Ms)No.21

Dated: 28.03.2012.

Read:

1. G.O.(Ms) No.89, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj (CGS-3) Department, dated 16.11.2011.
2. From the Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women Limited, D.O. Letter No.2022/D1/2011, dated 03.12.2011.

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### ORDER:-

In the Government Order first read above orders were issued for sanction of a sum of Rs.87.50 lakhs (Rupees eighty seven lakhs and fifty thousands only) towards formation cost of 50,000 new Self Help Groups for the financial year 2011-12.

2. The Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women Limited in her letter second read above has stated that a proposal had been sent to Government for sanction of Rs.227.50 lakhs for formation of 65,000 active Self Help Groups for the year 2011-12, whereas the Government in the Government Order first read above have accorded sanction for a sum of Rs.87.50 lakhs being 50% of Revised Budget Estimate for the financial year 2011-12 towards formation of new Self Help Groups.

3. The Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women Limited has further stated that the Hon'ble Minister for Municipal Administration and Rural Development had announced in the floor of the Assembly during the budget session 2011 that 65,000 new Self Help Groups will be formed for the year 2011-12 and efforts would be taken to bring eligible poor women under the Self Help Group movement.

4. The Managing Director, Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women Limited has therefore requested the Government to sanction and release the balance 50% amount of Rs.87.50 lakhs which is already provided in the Revised Budget Estimate and an additional amount of Rs.52.50 lakhs to form additional 15,000 new self Help groups. She has also requested the Government to authorize the Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj to draw and disburse the amount of Rs.140 lakhs to Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women Limited by means of cheque.

5. The Government after careful consideration accord sanction for a sum of Rs.140.00 lakhs (Rupees one crore and forty lakhs only) (Rs.87.50 lakhs being the balance 50% amount of Revised Budget Estimate for the financial year 2011-12

towards the balance formation cost of 50,000 Self Help Groups and additional amount of Rs.52.50 lakhs towards formation cost of additional 15,000 new Self Help Groups) as stated in para 4 above.

6. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is authorised to draw and disburse the amount sanctioned in para '5' above to the Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women Limited by means of cheque.

7. The amount sanctioned in the Para 5 above shall be debited to the following head of account.

"2235. Social Security and Welfare-02. Social Welfare 103 – Women's Welfare – Schemes in the Eleventh Five Year Plan-II. State Plan - LO Assistance for formation of Self Help Groups -09 Grants-in-aid - 03 Grants for specific schemes. (DPC 2235-02 103 LO 0933).

8. The expenditure sanctioned in paragraph 5 above constitute an item of "New Instrument of Service". Necessary funds will be provided in Supplementary Estimates 2011-12. The Commissioner of Rural Development and Panchayat Raj is directed to send necessary notes to Government in Finance (RD) Department for inclusion of the expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates.

9. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No.101/JS(PM)/12, dated 27.03.2012.

(By Order of the Governor)

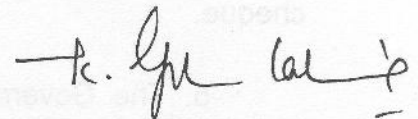
N.S. Palaniappan,  
Principal Secretary to Government.

To  
The Managing Director,  
Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women Limited,  
Chennai – 600 034.  
The Commissioner of Rural Development  
and Panchayat Raj, Chennai – 600 015.  
All District Collectors. )( )  
All Project Officers.(Mahalir Thittam).)(  
(through The Managing Director,Tamil Nadu Corporation for  
Development of Women Limited, Chennai – 600 034).  
The Accountant General (A&E/ Audit), Chennai – 600018.  
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//Forwarded // By Order//



Section Officer.

