



ABSTRACT

TENDERS –Publication of Notice Inviting Tender in the Newspapers –
Revision of financial norms for advertisement – Orders - Issued.

Finance (Salaries) Department

G.O.Ms.No.103

Dated: 11.04.2022

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Read:-

1. G.O.(Ms) No.108, Information & Tourism Department, dated 28.05.1999.
2. G.O.(Ms)No.392, Finance (Salaries) Department, dated 18.08.2009.
3. G.O.(Ms).No.307, Finance (Salaries) Department, dated 01.11.2011.
4. G.O.(Ms).No.243, Finance (Salaries) Department, dated.21.08.2017.
5. G.O.(Ms).No.374, Finance (Salaries) Department, dated.19.10.2020.

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ORDER:-

Articles 125 and 192 of Tamil Nadu Financial Code Volume-I, envisages inviting tenders to procure goods / services and works by public advertisement in prominent newspapers. The norms for publishing tender notices in newspapers were fixed and revised from time to time by the Government.

2. In the Government order first read above, orders were issued prescribing norms for publishing tender notices in newspapers by various public procurement entities in the State as detailed below:-

Details of Newspaper			Value of Procurement	
Area	English	Tamil	Goods/ Services	Works
District	-	2 (District edition)	Above Rs.5 lakh and upto Rs.10 lakh	Above Rs. 10 lakh and upto Rs. 25 lakh
State	1 (State Edition)	1 (All editions in Tamil Nadu)	Above Rs.10 lakh and upto Rs.25 lakh	Above Rs.25 lakh and upto Rs. 1 crore
South India	1 (South India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs. 25 lakh and upto Rs. 1 crore	Above Rs. 1 crore and upto Rs. 5 crore
All India	1 (All India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs. 1.00 crore	Above Rs. 5.00 crore

3. The Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Act, 1998 and the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000 were notified with effect from 01.10.2000. Consequently, orders were issued in the G.O. second read above, revising the financial norms for advertisement and publishing of tender notices in newspapers as follows:

Revised norms for tenders advertisements:-

Details of Newspaper			Value of Procurement	
Area	English	Tamil	Goods/ Services	Construction
District	-	2 (District-level editions only)	-	Above Rs. 25 lakh and upto Rs. 1 crore
State	-	2 (All editions in Tamil Nadu)	Above Rs. 10 lakh and upto Rs. 50 lakh	Above Rs. 1 crore and upto Rs. .5 crore
All India	1 (All India edition)	1 (All editions in Tamil Nadu)	Above Rs. 50 lakh and upto Rs.50 crore	Above Rs. 5 crore and upto Rs. 50 crore
	2 (1 being Business Daily) (All India edition) and Indian Trade Journal	1 (All editions in Tamil Nadu)	Above Rs. .50 crore	Above Rs. 50 crore

4. In the Government order third read above, orders were issued to amend para 3 of the Government order second read above so as to revise the financial norms for advertising notice inviting tenders in newspapers as detailed below:-

Details of Newspaper			Value of Procurement	
Area	English	Tamil	Goods/ Services	Works
District	-	2 (District edition)	Above Rs.5 lakh and upto Rs. 10 lakh	Above Rs.10 lakh and upto Rs. 25 lakh
State	1 (Tamil Nadu Edition)	1 (All editions in Tamil Nadu)	Above Rs. 10 lakh and upto Rs.25 lakh	Above Rs.25 lakh and upto Rs. 1 crore
South India	1 (South India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs. 25 lakh and upto Rs. 1 crore	Above Rs 1.00 crore and upto Rs.5 crore
All India	1 (All India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs. 1.00 crore	Above Rs. 5 crore
	Indian Trade Journal		Above Rs.50 crore	Above Rs.50 crore

5. In the Government order fourth read above, orders were issued to the existing norms for publication of tender notices in newspaper for low value procurement and also revision of the financial norms and the size of the advertisement as follows:

(i) Revised norms for advertisement of tender notice:-

Details of Newspaper			Value of Procurement	
Area	English	Tamil	Goods/ Services	Works
			Revised Norms	Revised Norms
District	-	1 (District edition)	Above Rs.10 lakh and upto Rs.25 lakh	Above Rs.25 lakh and upto Rs.50 lakh
State	1 (All editions in the State)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs.25 lakh and upto Rs.3 crore	Above Rs.50 lakh and upto Rs.3 crore
South India	1 (South India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs.3 crore and upto Rs.5 crore	Above Rs.3 crore and upto Rs.5 crore
All India	1 (All India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs.5 crore and upto Rs.75 crore	Above Rs.5 crore and upto Rs.75 crore
	Indian Trade Journal		Above Rs.75 crore	Above Rs.75 crore

(ii) The size of the advertisement shall be

- a) not exceeding 50 sq.cm., for all procurements upto Rs.10 crore; and
- b) upto 100 sq.cm., for all procurements above Rs. 10 crore;

(iii) all other conditions prescribed in the G.O.Ms.No.392, Fin (Salaries) Department, dated.18.8.2009, shall continue to apply and shall be followed scrupulously.

6. In the Government order fifth read above, orders were issued to the effect that "Low Value Procurement" means any procurement, which is less than rupees fifty lakhs in value for construction, which is less than rupees twenty lakhs in value for Vehicles and which is less than rupees twenty five lakhs in value for all other categories of procurement inclusive of consultancy for construction.

7. Consequent on the issue of orders enhancing the value of orders enhancing the value of "Low Value procurement", for Goods / Services / works, Government after careful consideration have decided to issue necessary amendment to the orders issued in the G.O fourth read above.

Accordingly, the Government issues the revised norms for advertisement of tender notices as follows:

Details of Newspaper			Value of Procurement	
Area	English	Tamil	Goods/ Services	Works
District	-	1 (District edition)	Above Rs.25 lakh and upto Rs.50 lakh	Above Rs.50 lakh and upto Rs.75 lakh
State	1 (All editions in the State)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs.50 lakh and upto Rs.3 crore	Above Rs.75 lakh and upto Rs.10 crore
South India	1 (South India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs.3 crore and upto Rs.5 crore	Above Rs.10 crore and upto Rs.20 crore
All India	1 (All India edition)	1 (All editions in the State)	Above Rs.5 crore and upto Rs.75 crore	Above Rs.20 crore and upto Rs.100 crore
	Indian Trade Journal		Above Rs.75 crore	Above Rs.100 crore

8. All other conditions prescribed in the Government Order second read above, shall continue to apply and shall be followed scrupulously.

9. The Director of Information and Public Relations shall apply the size of advertisement as ordered above scrupulously, while releasing advertisements of public procurement entities.

10. Necessary amendment to the Tamil Nadu Transparency in Tenders Rules, 2000, will be issued separately.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The Governor's Secretariat, Raj Bhavan, Guindy, Chennai-22.

All Heads of Departments.

All Collectors /All District Judges/All Chief Judicial Magistrates.

All Departments of Secretariat.

The Principal Accountant-General(A & E), Chennai-18.

The Principal Accountant-General (A &E),Chennai-18. (by name).

The Accountant-General (Audit-1), Chennai-35.
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The Accountant-General (Audit-II), Chennai-6.
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The Accountant General (CAB), Chennai-9.
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