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Abstract

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—PLAN SCHEMES—DELEGATION OF FINANCIAL POWERS OF THE HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS ON THE BASIS OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SECRETARIES COMMITTEE MEETING—SANCTIONED—ORDERS ISSUED

FINANCE (EXPENDITURE-B) DEPARTMENT

G. O. (P) No. 546/2012/Fin. Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 8th October, 2012.

Read:—G. O. (P) No. 350/2008/Fin. dated 6-8-2008.

ORDER

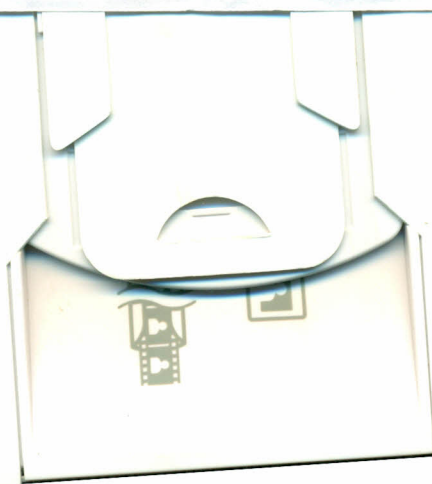
As per Government Order read above, Government have issued the present delegation of financial powers of Administrative Department and Heads of Departments. In this order financial powers are given only for non-plan activities.

2. As recommended in the Secretaries Committee meeting held on 19-5-2012, Chief Secretary has recommended delegation of powers to Head of Department for issuing Administrative Sanction for continuing/ongoing schemes.

3. The 'continuing scheme' is a scheme which was operational during the year immediately preceding and is continued during current year with the same components, scope, unit, cost, etc. for which a valid comprehensive Administrative Sanction is in existence and there is budget provision during the current year.

4. Government have accepted the above recommendations and are pleased to delegate the following financial powers to Heads of Departments :

GCPT. 4/4157/2012/1,000/DTP.



- (i) The Group I Heads of Departments (vide Appendix XXII of Store Purchase Manual) shall be delegated financial powers up to ₹ 1 crore and other Heads of Departments up to ₹ 50 lakhs for according Administrative Sanction for implementation of continuing Plan Schemes.
- (ii) If there are variations from the scheme operational during the immediately preceding year in terms of unit cost, selection of beneficiaries, coverage, pattern of financial assistance, creation of posts, etc. it will be taken as a 'new scheme' requiring a fresh Administrative Sanction to be issued by the Departmental Working Group or Special Working Groups, as the case may be.

By order of the Governor,

DR. V. P. Joy,

Principal Secretary (Finance).

To

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Accountant General (A&E), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.

All Departments in the Secretariat.

All Additional Chief Secretaries/Principal Secretaries/Special Secretaries to Government.

All District Collectors.

All Heads of Departments.

The Private Secretary to Chief Minister.

The Private Secretary to all Ministers.

The Private Secretary to Leader of Opposition/Chief Whip.

The Additional Secretary to Chief Secretary.

The Director of Public Relations.

The Director of Treasuries, Thiruvananthapuram.

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