



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Industries Department –Training and Skill Development Programme – Proposal for meeting expenses as part of study Conducted by Handloom Expert Committee- Administrative Sanction accorded - Orders issued.

INDUSTRIES(C)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.446/2023/ID Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 20-05-2023

Read 1 GO(Rt)No.730/2022/ID dated 20/07/2022

2 Letter No.HL/522/2023-P2 dated 01.04.2023 from the Director of Handloom & Textiles

3 Minutes of Departmental Working Group Meeting of Industries held on 05/05/2023

4 e-anumathi AS No.AS/IND/23/27105

ORDER

As per Government Order read as Ist paper above, Handloom Expert Committee was constituted to study the problems in the handloom sector based on a survey of handloom workers in the State.

2) The Director of Handloom and Textiles as per the letter read as 2nd paper above has submitted a proposal for meeting expenses as part of study conducted by Handloom Expert Committee under the scheme for Training and Skill Development Programme.

3) The Director of Handloom and Textiles has reported that the terms of reference of the Handloom Expert Committee includes infrastructure facilities, modernisation of looms, designs, research and development, market brand building, working capital assistance, training and capacity building, potential for value additions in the sector, centrally sponsored schemes, promotion for private entrepreneurs, need based government schemes and to conduct a feasibility study on the formation of a Textile Hub at Balaramapuram in view of the upcoming Vizhinjam Port. It is also reported that to fetch the data for the above programmes, the

Handloom Expert Committee has to conduct meetings with Government institutions, handloom societies, textile institutions and visit neighbouring States extensively. Hence to meet the expenses on account of TA, DA, sitting fees, accomodation etc, an amount of Rs. 3 lakh is estimated.

4) The Director of Handloom and Textiles has requested to sanction an amount of Rs.3 lakh for the proposal for meeting expenses as part of study Conducted by Handloom Expert Committee under the scheme for Training and Skill Development Programme.

5)There is a Budget provision of Rs.290 lakh for the year 2023-2024 under the head of account 2851-00-103-74(P) for the Scheme Training and Skill Development Programme.

6)The Departmental Working Group Meeting of Industries Department held on 05/05/2023 considered the proposal for meeting expenses as part of study Conducted by Handloom Expert Committee under the scheme for Training and Skill Development Programme and recommended for issuing Administrative Sanction for an amount of Rs.3lakh from the head of account 2851-00-103-74(P) for the proposal.

7) Government have examined the recommendation of the Working Group and are pleased to accord Administrative Sanction for the proposal for meeting expenses as part of study Conducted by Handloom Expert Committee under the scheme for Training and Skill Development Programme for an amount of Rs. 3,00,000/-(Rupees Three lakh only) debiting the expenditure under the head of account 2851-00-103-74(P) from the current year's budget provision.

(By order of the Governor)
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SECRETARY

To

The Director of Industries and Commerce, Thiruvananthapuram

The Director of Handloom and Textiles, Thiruvananthapuram

Chief Executive Officer, K-Bip, Thiruvananthapuram