



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Local Self Government Department - Appointment of Deputy Mission Director in AMRUT on contract basis for a period of one year- Sanctioned - Orders Issued

LOCAL SELF GOVERNMENT (DC) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.469/2019/LSGD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram,
01/03/2019

Read 1 O.M. No. K-13012/101(16)/2015-SCM-III-V dated 18/08/2015 from the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India
2 G.O.(P)No.56/2017/Fin dated 28/4/2017
3 G.O.(P)No.112/2018/Fin Dated 21/7/2018
4 Minutes of the 20th State Level High Powered Steering Committee of AMRUT dated 11/12/2018
5 Letter No. A1-1/2015/SMMU dated 12/02/2019 from the Mission Director, AMRUT

ORDER

AMRUT, a Centrally Sponsored Scheme, is being implemented in 6 Corporations and 3 Municipalities in the State. The Mission Management Units at State and City Level are providing technical/ handholding support for the implementation of projects. AMRUT Mission period in the State will end on **31/03/2020**. All projects sanctioned under AMRUT has to be completed within the Mission Period.

2. At present there is no full time Mission Director in AMRUT. Director of Urban Affairs is holding the additional charge of Mission Director. The 20th State Level High Powered Steering Committee of AMRUT held on 11/12/2018 entrusted the Mission Director, AMRUT to appoint a suitable person not below the rank of Superintending Engineer retired from State Government Service in AMRUT as Deputy Mission Director with preference to those who have experience in implementing similar projects/externally aided projects.

3. As per the letter read as 5th paper above, the Mission Director, AMRUT has reported that, in order to implement AMRUT Projects in 9 cities in a time bound manner, an experienced Engineer not below the rank of Superintending Engineer is highly essential to co-ordinate the work in the field level and to clarify the queries raised by City Mission Management Units. It is also reported that the contract pay and other expenses of the Deputy Mission Director so appointed can be met from the outstanding savings of KSUDP & JnNURM kept in the Bank Account maintained in the name of Mission Director, AMRUT

4. Government have examined the matter in detail. As per the G.O. read as 2nd paper above, contract appointment can be made in the implementing agencies of Centrally Sponsored Schemes also. As per the Office Memorandum read as 1st paper above, the Team Leader and other Experts appointed in AMRUT on contract basis are drawing a Contract Pay of Rs. 55,000/- per month. For the timely implementation of AMRUT projects within the Mission Period, the service of a supervisory officer with engineering background is very essential in AMRUT. As the contract pay and other expenses of the officer so appointed can be met from the outstanding savings of KSUDP & JnNURM kept in the Bank Account of Mission Director, there is no violation of MoHUA Guidelines in the matter.

5. In the above circumstances, Government are pleased to accord sanction to the Mission Director, AMRUT to appoint a Deputy Mission Director, not below the rank of Superintending Engineer retired from State Government Service, in AMRUT on contract basis for a period of one year subject to the following conditions:-

- Transparent mode of selection process shall be followed for the appointment of Deputy Mission Director.
- Preference shall be given to those who have experience in implementing similar projects / externally aided projects.
- The contract pay of Deputy Mission Director so appointed is fixed as Rs. 75,000/- per month.
- The contract pay and other expenses of the officer so appointed shall be met from the outstanding savings of KSUDP & JnNURM kept in the Bank Account of Mission Director, AMRUT.

(By order of the Governor)
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