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National Programme for Control of Blindness - Strengthening of Primary Health Centres under 1991-92 programme - Creation of 20 posts of Ophthalmic Assistants - Orders issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

C.O.(H) No. 1373.

Dated : 24.12.1992

Read:

i) G.O.'s. No. 536, Health, dated 3.4.1991. P. 200.

ii) From the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Lr. No. Z.15011/1/91-Ophth/CCD, dated 15.5.1991 and T.12012/3/90-Ophth/CCD dated 15.7.1991.

iii) From the OMERHS Lr. No: 2929/PHCS.II/91-S3 dt. 1.3.91.

ORDER:

Under the centrally sponsored scheme, National Programme for Control of Blindness, the Government of India have allocated Rs. 13.02 lakhs (Rs. 1.50 lakhs Non-recurring + Rs. 11.52 lakhs Recurring) to this State, in their Budget Estimate 1991-92 for strengthening of 20 Primary Health Centres and creation of one post of Ophthalmic Assistant to each of 20 Primary Health Centres. The Govt. of India have further allocated Rs. 1.00 lakh (Non-recurring) for purchase of drugs to Primary Health Centres during 1991-92. The DMS Director of Medical & Rural Health Services has sent proposals to Government accordingly.

2. The Government have examined the proposal of Director of Medical & Rural Health Services and decided to accept the recommendation in  Accordingly sanction is accorded under 1991-92 programme for the creation of one post of Ophthalmic Assistant in the scale of pay of Rs. 1350-30-1440-40-1800-50-2200 for the period upto 23.2.1993 at the rate of one post in each of 20 (twenty) Primary Health Centres mentioned in Annexure I to this Government Order. They will be located at the main primary health centre but responsible for the entire block area. They will be known as the  Assistant for the Block. In addition to pay in the said scale, the incumbents of the posts will be eligible to draw Dearness Allowance and other allowances at the rates admissible from time to time.

3. Sanction is also accorded to an expenditure of Rs. 2,000/- (Rupees two thousand only) in respect of each of the said 20 Primary Health Centres on the purchase of the items of equipment mentioned in Annexure II. (In addition to this each Primary Health Centre will be getting direct from

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the Government of India other items of equipments worth Rs. 3000/- towards their share.

4. Sanction is accorded to an expenditure of Rs. 1.00 lakh (Rupees one lakh only) towards purchase medicines for the use in Primary Health Centres under programme for which central grant of Rs. 1.00 lakh has been allocated during 1991-92.

5. Sanction is also accorded to incur an expense of Rs. 1.00 lakh (Rupees one lakh only) for purchase of furniture for the use of 20 Ophthalmic Assistants created in paragraph 2 above.

6. The Director of Medical & Rural Health Services is requested to take immediate action for filling up the post of Ophthalmic Assistants sanctioned in Paragraph 2 above. The Director of Medical & Rural Health Services is also requested to take action to claim reimbursement of the recurring and non-recurring expenditure sanctioned in paragraphs 2 to 5 above.

7. The expenditure will be debited to the Head of Account "2210-Medical and Public Health - 05 Public Health 101 Prevention and Control of diseases - Schemes in the VIII Five Year Plan - III Centrally sponsored - Prevention and control of Diseases" (D.F. Code No. 2210-0101-55-0003). The Director of Medical & Rural Health Services is also requested to provide funds in the Revised Estimate 1992-93 for additional expenditure in regard.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department - vide its U.O. No. 1362/F.3/P/92 dated 1-4-1992.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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To  
The Director of Medical & Rural Health Services, Madras.  
The Director of Medical Education, Madras-5 (3 copies)  
The Accountant General (AGF), Madras-13.  
The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of H & F.  
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The Joint Director of Public Health & Preventive Medicine  
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Copy to:  
The Planning & Development Department,  
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List of 20 Primary Health Centres identified under National Programme for Control of Blindness during 1991-92.

<u>Name of District</u>	<u>Name of Primary Health Centres</u>
1. Tirunelveli Kattabomman	1. Vasudevanallur 2. Vadakarai Kilpidagai 3. Elathur
2. Chengalpattu M.G.R. District	4. Budur 5. Kelambakkam
3. V.O.Chidambaram District	6. Kadambur 7. Vallanadu 8. Ottumathan
4. Periar	9. Perundurai 10. Medakurichi
5. Kanyakumari	11. Agastheeswaran 12. Kothamallur 13. Edaicodu 14. Kariugal
6. North Arcot Ambedkar	15. Kallapaadi 16. Odukathur
7. Tirumammalai Sanbuvarayar	17. Northamboondi 18. Vettavalan
8. Dharmapuri	19. Marandhalli 20. Samalpatti.

Note: It should be ensured that we include the name of the main primary Health Centre. There should be only one Ophthalmic Assistant in one block.

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