

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

Municipal Administration and Urban Development department-Infrastructure Development in Urban Local Bodies - Assistance to Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) from TUFIDC-implementation – Orders - issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (UBS) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No.51

Dated: 13.03.2018

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GO Rt. No.185, MA & UD(UBS) Department, Dt. 25-03-2017.

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ORDER:

The quality of infrastructure like roads, drains, water supply, solid waste management, street lighting, among others, influences the quality of life in urban areas. The Gap between investments necessary to improve the service levels & quality of life in ULBs and funds available with them for undertaking infrastructure improvements is widening due to limited revenue mobilization resulting in limited finances.

2. State Government is committed to improve the infrastructure facilities in the Urban Local Bodies (ULBs). In order to help ULBs to improve the service levels to prescribed standards, it is proposed to provide funding assistance by TUFIDC in the form of a loan to ULBs by pooling necessary resources from financial institutions/ banks and to formulate and implement feasible projects. As an initial measure in this direction, State Government has accorded permission to TUFIDC to take loans from banks for an amount of Rs. 2000 Cr. vide GO. Rt. No.185, MA & UD (UBS) Department, Dt.25.03.2017. In the initial phase, Rs1000 crs worth of administrative sanctions have been accorded to identified ULBs.

3. Realizing that there's an immediate need to create a visible impact by undertaking infrastructure works which are of prominence in every Urban Local Body to give it a focused attention, the State Government has decided that infrastructure works from these TUFIDC funds will be taken up under the direct supervision of the State Government. It is often noticed that the limited finances available in Urban Local Bodies for undertaking capital works are often spent extremely thinly and as a result, the major works pertaining to the Urban Local Body which are cutting across different wards etc. are neglected. Government therefore decided that the works under this G.O. need to be identified in such a manner that works pertaining to overall Urban Local Body and the impact can be felt by the entire Urban Local Body. The criteria of deciding such works shall be:

- Visible town wide impact
- Shorter gestation period, for the community to receive the benefits from the execution of the projects in a defined time frame;
- Improvement in quality of civic life

4. The illustrative list of works shall be as follows:

- I. Identifying the most important road in the Urban Local Body and taking up its re-modeling of this road from a traffic junction to another traffic junction. This will include relaying the road, creating a median with LED street lighting, junction improvement, paving, creating footpaths, creating railings along the footpath, sitting areas along road side etc. The list is illustrative and a sample design will be available with the concerned Engineer.
- II. Development of parks and installing open gym equipment;

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- III. Improvement of water bodies/lakes within the ULBs and their beautification by constructing walking tracks, LEDs and sitting arenas
- IV. Major drains construction
- V. Bus Bays construction in a scientific manner (a typical design will be provided)
- VI. Graveyards/Vaikuntha-dham
- VII. Model markets
- VIII. Auditoriums
- IX. Modern street lighting with LEDs
- X. Construction of decentralized STPs
- XI. Any other work as identified by the Dist. Committee in the ULB.

5. Selection of Projects

The infrastructure works shall be identified and selected by the District Level Committee as per the criteria mentioned in the Para above. The District Level Committee for each ULB shall consist of the following members:

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| • District Collector | - | Chairperson |
| • Joint Collector | - | Member |
| • Municipal Engineer/ Superintending Engineer | - | Member |
| • Executive Engineer, R&B Department | - | Member |
| • Executive Engineer, Public Health Engineering Dept, | - | Member |
| • Municipal Commissioner | - | Member-Convener |

The list of works so identified shall be sent by the District Collector to TUFIDC at the earliest

6. The approval of the infrastructure works, as suggested by the District Level Committee and their administrative sanction will be accorded by concerned District Collector after obtaining clearance from VC & MD TUFIDC. The technical sanction for the works and finalization of tenders would be done by Public Health Engineering department as per the existing rules and procedures.

7. Execution of works

All the infrastructure works will be executed by Public Health Engineering department. In view of the limited Engineering staff available with Public Health Engineering Department, services of Municipal Engineering staff necessary for execution of these infrastructure works shall be placed under the direct control of the Engineer-in-Chief (PH). Necessary orders for drafting of services of these Municipal Engineers and keeping them in charge of the works shall be issued by Engineer-in-Chief (PH) subsequently as per requirement.

8. The Engineer-in-Chief (PH) is authorized to draft the services of engineers working in Municipalities/ Municipal Corporations required for execution of these infrastructure works in respective ULBs based on necessity

9. For effective supervision and timely completion of these priority infrastructure works, two Superintending Engineers(PH) and one Superintendent Engineer, Quality Control with supporting staff as provided in Annexure-I to this order shall be drafted on working arrangement exclusively for this purpose and any additional work allocated by the Engineer-in-Chief(PH) from time to time as per necessity. The salaries of the above Superintending Engineers (PH) and Executive Engineer, Quality Control and other supporting staff mentioned in Annexure-I shall be met from the A&S charges of TUFIDC.

10. Payments and Utilization Certificates

The present procedure for payment of work bills and submission of UCs being followed by PH&ME Dept. for AMRUT works shall be followed for these works.

11. Monitoring and Review

The District Collector shall monitor implementation of infrastructure works including preparation of proposals and execution of works.

Adoption of ULBs - For effective monitoring and focused execution while maintaining the quality and timelines, it is decided that ULB which is Dist. Headquarters/ largest ULB shall be adopted by the Dist Collector and next ULB in the District shall be adopted by the Joint Collector. Any other ULB, if remaining shall be adopted by concerned Sub-collector/ other senior dist. officer as appointed by the Dist. Collector.

12. Quality of works:

The existing PH Quality Control Division along with Sub Divisions shall look after the quality of all the works under this programme.

13. In view of the above, Government hereby accord permission to TUFIDC to provide financial assistance to ULBs from the loan borrowed from various financial institutions in accordance with the G.O. read above. The loan borrowed by TUFIDC shall be repaid to the financial institutions from the state budget allotted to TUFIDC under the head 'Assistance to TUFIDC'.

14. The Vice Chairman and Managing Director, TUFIDC and Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health) shall take further action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

ARVIND KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Vice Chairman & Managing Director, TUFIDC, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief (Public Health).

The Director of Municipal Administration, Hyderabad.

All Collectors and District Magistrates in the State.

All the Commissioners of Municipal Corporations and Municipalities in the State.

Copy to:

The O.S.D. to Hon'ble M(MA&D).

The P.S. to Principal Secretary to Government, MA & UD Department.

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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Annexure-I

(G.O. Ms. No.51, MA & UD (UBS) Department, Dated.13.03.2018)

S No.	Designation	SE(PH) Unit-I (all ULBs in Zone-V)	SE(PH) Unit-II (all ULBs in Zone VI)	EE(PH) QC	Total
1	Superintending Engineer(PH)	1	1	1	3
2	Dy. Executive Engineer(PH)	2	2	2	6
3	AEE/AE/TO	4	4	4	12

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