



Government of West Bengal
Irrigation & Waterways Department
Jalasampad Bhawan, 3rd Floor, West Block
Bidhannagar, Salt Lake City, Kolkata 700091

Memo. No. 56(7)-IB
IW-14011(12)/2/2023 [E-707175]

Dated 05.02.2024

From : B. Chattopadhyay,
Deputy Secretary
to the Government of West Bengal.

To : 1) Chief Engineer – North-East, I&W Directorate
2) Chief Engineer – Mechanical & Electrical, I&W Directorate
3) Chief Engineer – Teesta Barrage Project, I&W Directorate
4) Chief Engineer – West, I&W Directorate
5) Chief Engineer – South-West, I&W Directorate
6) Chief Engineer – North, I&W Directorate
7) Chief Engineer – South, I&W Directorate

Sub: Pre-monsoon Allocation out of Maintenance Budget under State Development Scheme during 2024-25.

After careful consideration of the proposal furnished by him, the undersigned is directed to convey the in-principle approval towards Pre-monsoon Allocation of ₹ **66.35 Crore (Rupees Sixty Six Crore Thirty Five Lakh)** only for the Financial Year 2024-25. The same is to be borne out of SDS Maintenance Budget of F.Y. 2024-25, subordinate to Demand No. 32 as contained in BP-18.

2. The purpose of instant Pre-monsoon Allocation of 2024-25 as follows:

- (a) Procurement and stacking of Flood Fighting Materials (FFM) at strategic locations like, bamboo, bullah, sand bags, earth, sand, temporary pumps etc.
- (b) Operation and Maintenance (O&M) of various sluice gates, regulators, inlets associated with flood management.

(c) Minor repair to damaged flood embankments, river banks, drainage channels like rain cuts, ghoghs, slip, subsidence etc.

(d) Repair of pumps and their accessories.

3. Directorate-wise Pre-Monsoon allocation for 2024-25 is given below:

Sl. No.	Head of the Directorate	Total Ceiling Amount (₹ in lakh)
1	Chief Engineer, North-East	500
2	Chief Engineer, Mechanical & Electrical	950
3	Chief Engineer, Teesta Barrage Project	0
4	Chief Engineer, West	1000
5	Chief Engineer, South-West	1000
6	Chief Engineer, North	1185
7	Chief Engineer, South	2000
Total		6635

4. He is requested to submit the Division Specific Ceiling Amount restricted within the '**Total Ceiling amount**' as shown above through mail to bivabasu.iwd@rediffmail.com within 15.02.2024, so that 'Ceiling Limit in OPMS' against individual Divisions could be placed accordingly by this Department for generation and submission of DPRs through OPMS by him. The requisite ceiling will be shown in OPMS on and from 1st April, 2024.

5. Necessary Pre-monsoon works of 2024-25 only is to be tendered immediately following normal tender norms and existing rules and regulations. He is further requested to take necessary steps so that Work Orders to the successful tenderers should be issued before imposition of Model Code of Conduct (MCC) for the ensuing Parliamentary General Election, 2024.

It is further advised that other activities like mobilization of work may be initiated before MCC comes into force so that the entire works should be completed before 1st June, 2024.

6. The expenditure to be booked under SDS (Maintenance) during 2024-25. Post facto Administrative Approval through AAFS will be accorded on Tendered Amount plus contingency subject to availability of sufficient commitment (phasing) in AAFS module and release of fund also depends on availability of maintenance fund with this Department during 2024-25.

7. DPRs are required to be submitted through 'Flood SDS (M)' Menu of OPMS only by 31st May, 2024.

8. Superintending Engineers & Executive Engineers concerned are to be informed accordingly.

9. This is issued with the approval of the Principal Secretary of this Department.



(B. Chattopadhyay)
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Copy forwarded for information to the:

1. OSD & E.O. Special Secretary & Financial Advisor, I&W Department.
2. Executive Engineer, DVC Study Cell, I&W Directorate

He is requested to upload this order in the official website of I&W Department.



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