



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

Memo. No. 177-IB
IW-14011(12)/1/2025 [E-1140535]

Dated 09/03/2026

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

To: Chief Engineer – South, I&W Directorate

Sub:- Additional pre-monsoon Allocation for 2026-27 out of Maintenance Budget under State Development Scheme (SDS(M))

Ref: His memo No: 1354-CI/DB dated 19.02.2026

After careful consideration of the proposal furnished by him vide memo under reference, the undersigned is now directed to convey the in-principle approval towards additional Pre-monsoon Allocation of **₹1.983 Crore (Rupees One Hundred Ninety eight Point Two Five Lakhs)** over & above the already allocated amount of **₹38.00 Crore** for the Financial Year 2026-27. The said allocation shall be borne out of SDS (Maintenance) Budget for FY 2026-27 and subordinate to Demand-32 as contained in the Budget publication No-18.

2. The additional ceiling is allocated for the specific works mentioned below:

Sl No	Name of the work	Head of the Directorate	Total ceiling Amount (₹ in lakh)
1	Palliative coastal bank protection for a length of 370.00 m with rope gabion and bricks along GBDA Road between Sankaracharya Ashram and PR-2 at Mouza – Gangasagar under Sagar Irrigation Sub-Division of Kakdwip Irrigation Division	Chief Engineer (South)	98.30
2	Palliative coastal bank protection for a length of 240.00 m with rope gabion and bricks along GBDA Road between Bathing Ghat and PR-3 in front of Kapil Muni Ashram at Mouza – Gangasagar under Sagar Irrigation Sub-Division of Kakdwip Irrigation Division	Chief Engineer (South)	99.95
	Total		198.25

3. He is requested to submit Division-specific ceiling amounts restricted within the above "**Total Ceiling Amount**" as shown above through mail to bivabasu.iwd@rediffmail.com within 10.03.2026, so that ceiling limits in OPMS against the concerned Division could be placed accordingly by this department for preparation and submission of DPRs through OPMS by him. The requisite ceiling shall be reflected in OPMS from 10th March, 2026.

4. Considering the critical and time-bound nature of pre-monsoon maintenance works and the likely declaration of Model Code of Conduct (MCC) for the ensuing West Bengal Legislative Assembly Election 2026, necessary steps may be taken to ensure that **tendering formalities are completed and works are grounded at site before declaration of MCC.**

5. The expenditure shall be booked under SDS (Maintenance). Post-facto Administrative Approval through AAFS shall be accorded on Tendered Amount plus contingencies, subject to availability of sufficient ceiling (Capping) & commitment (Phasing) in the AAFS module.

6. DPRs are required to be submitted through the '**SDS Maintenance > Flood SDS (M)**' menu of OPMS. Such uploading of tender based DPR should start once the tender is finalized.

7. Superintending Engineers and Executive Engineers concerned are to be informed accordingly.

8. This order is issued with the approval of the competent authority of Irrigation & Waterways Department.



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Copy submitted for kind information to the :-

1. P.S. to the Hon'ble MIC, I&W Department.
2. OSD to the Hon'ble MOS, I&W Department.
3. Principal P.S. to the Additional Chief Secretary, I&W Department.
4. Sr. P.A. to the Secretary, I&W Department.
5. Special Secretary & Financial Advisor, I&W Department.



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Copy forwarded for information to the :-

1. Executive Engineer, DVC Study Cell, I&W Directorate

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

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized 'B' followed by a diagonal line and the date '9/3/26'.

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Deputy Secretary to the Government of West Bengal