ABSTRACT
Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department- New Entrepreneur-cum-Enterprise Development Scheme (NEEDS) - Enhancing the Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) training charges from Rs.12,250 to Rs.14,362 per candidate under NEEDS - Orders Issued.

MICRO, SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (D2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms) No. 39
Dated : 21.06.2019

Read:
1. G.O. (Ms.) No. 49, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (D2) Department, dated 29.10.2012.
2. G.O. (Ms.) No. 01, Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (D2) Department, dated 08.01.2014.
4. From the Principal Secretary / Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce Rc. No. 16965/NEEDS/2017, dated 05.07.2018.

ORDER:
In the Government Order first read above, the Government have approved the guidelines for the implementation of the "New Entrepreneur-cum-Enterprise Development Scheme" (NEEDS) from 2012-13 onwards and accorded administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.100,00,00,000/- towards implementation of the scheme and out of the above amount Rs.1.25 crore was earmarked for the training. In accordance with the orders issued in the Government order, one month Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP) training was being provided by Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute (EDII) to the beneficiaries selected under NEEDS.

2. In Government Order second read above, the Government have approved and allowed training charges at the rate of Rs.12,250 per candidate.

3. In Government Order third read above, the Government have slashed the training period to 3 weeks of 5 days per week from 1 month.

4. The Principal Secretary / Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce has stated that the Principal Secretary/Director,
Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute (EDII) was requested to send the proposal for revision of the training fee considering the reduced training period. The EDII have proposed expenditure pattern for three weeks (15 days) EDP training for a batch comprising 25 candidates as follows:

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<th>Description</th>
<th>Cost (Rs)</th>
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<tr>
<td>1. Inaugural/valedictory/contingencies</td>
<td>12,000</td>
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<td>2. Honorarium</td>
<td>1,25,000</td>
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<td>3. Hiring of equipments, training hall</td>
<td>70,500</td>
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<td>4. Refreshment expenses for candidates</td>
<td>56,250</td>
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<td>5. Course material and other incidentals</td>
<td>23,500</td>
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<td>6. EDII cost at 20% of total cost</td>
<td>71,812</td>
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<td>Training charges per candidate</td>
<td>14,362</td>
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Total Cost: Rs. 3,59,062

5. The Principal Secretary / Director, Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute (EDII), has proposed for enhancement of training fees per candidate to Rs.14,362/- from Rs.12,250/- being approved and allowed by the Government since the inception of the scheme and also stated that per head charges and components of expenses listed have escalated from the approved rate as allowed by the Government vide the Government Order 2nd read above.

6. The Principal Secretary / Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce has therefore requested the Government to enhance the training charges from Rs.12,250 to Rs.14,362 per candidate allowable to be sanctioned and disbursed to EDII for conducting EDP training for three weeks (15 days) and EDP training for a batch comprising 25 candidates under NEEDS.

7. The Government after examination of the above proposal have decided to accept it and accordingly issue orders to enhance the training charges from Rs.12,250/- to Rs.14,362/- per candidate allowable to be sanctioned and disbursed to EDII for conducting EDP training for three weeks (15 days) and EDP training for a batch comprising 25 candidates under NEEDS.

8. The expenditure sanctioned in para 7 above shall be debited to the following head of account:

"2851-00-Village and Small Industries - 102 Small Scale Industries - State's Expenditure - MF, New Entrepreneurship - cum - Enterprise Development Scheme - Entrepreneurship Development Programme Training - 372-01 Training"

(IFHRMS DPC 2851 00 102 MF 37201)

[Old DPC 2851 00 102 MF 7208]
9. The Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce is authorized to draw and disburse the subsidy to the Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute as sanctioned in para 7 above.

10. The other conditions regarding sanction of subsidy under New Entrepreneur cum Enterprise Development Scheme (NEEDS) issued in the Government Order first, second and third read above, shall remain unchanged.

11. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O. No. 27125/Ind/2019, dated: 20.06.2019.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

HANS RAJ VERMA
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT [FAC]

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The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai - 8
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SECTION OFFICER
24/06/19