

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

- SUB: Setting up of a dedicated Urban Transport fund
- READ: (1) Government Order No. UDD 77 Cord 2009, Bangalore, Dated 17-12-2009
- (2) Proceedings of the meeting held by the Committee on 03-02-2010 regarding amendments to be brought to the Acts / Rules with respect to collection of fees by various Government Organisations

PREAMBLE:

The Ministry of Urban Development (MoUD), Government of India has recommended the creation of a dedicated Urban Transport Fund (UTF) at both state and city levels so as to fund the urban transport initiatives. It has also been made as a part of mandatory reforms under JnNURM for accessing funds. The State has already signed the Memorandum of Agreement (MoA) in this regard.

In the Government Order read at (1) above, Government of Karnataka had constituted a Committee to examine the matter. In the committee meeting (proceedings read at (2) above), it was opined that to transfer funds from various sources, it would require some amendment to existing Acts such as KTCP, KMC Act etc. and recommendations were submitted to Government in this regard.

In view of the urgency to put the reforms into practice and obtain release of final installments of the Government of India share, Director of Urban Land Transport had submitted a proposal to the Government requesting the Finance Department to sanction Rs.10 crores immediately towards the dedicated Urban Transport Fund for Bangalore and similarly Rs.5 crores for Mysore City Urban Transport Fund. The Finance Department has concurred to the proposal and approved for release of Rs.10 crore and Rs.5 crore respectively from their respective allocations under SFC, which can be adjusted after taking a final view on the constitution and functioning of these funds. Hence the following order.

GOVERNMENT ORDER No. UDD 116 CSS 2010, Bangalore, Dated: 21.06.2010

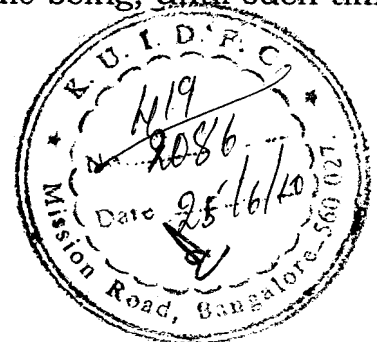
Government of Karnataka is pleased to accord approval for setting up of Urban Transport Funds for the cities of Bangalore and Mysore compliant to Reforms under JnNURM and sanction Rs.10 crore (Rupees ten crore only) and Rs.5 crore (Rupees five crore only) for Urban Transport Funds for Bangalore and Mysore respectively from their respective allocations under SFC for the time being, until such time, that other modalities for funding are finalised.

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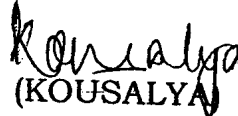


DULT shall be the Secretariat to administer these funds for both Bangalore and Mysore city.

The above sanction is subject to the following conditions: -

1. DULT, in consultation with other organisations such as BBMP/BDA/MUDA/MCC etc. shall work out modalities for funding the Urban Transport Fund and submit the proposal to the Government for approval.
2. The fund shall be utilized for improvement of public transport, non motorized transport, pedestrian facilities, parking infrastructure, capacity building including research and training by DULT, ULBs, UDAs.

By order and in the name of the
Governor of Karnataka


(KOUSALYA) 21/6/2010

Under Secretary to Government,
Urban Development Department

Copy to,

1. The Accountant General (I & II) in Karnataka, Bangalore
2. The Director, Urban Land Transport, Bangalore
3. The Commissioner, Director of Municipal Administration, Bangalore
4. The Managing Director, KUIDFC, Bangalore
5. The Commissioner, Bangalore Development Authority, Bangalore
6. The Commissioner, Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore
7. The Commissioner, Mysore Urban Development Authority, Mysore
8. The Commissioner, Mysore City Corporation, Mysore
9. P.S to Additional Chief Secretary, Urban Development Department
10. P.S to the Secretary to Government, Urban Development Department