

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT**

No. 20181 /F.,
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Dated 30/07/2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Amendment of Delegation of Financial Power Rule, 1978.

In order to decentralize the decision-making process for expediting execution of various programmes and projects, the financial power of different authorities as prescribed in **Delegation of Financial Power Rule, 1978** have been enhanced from time-to-time. There is still greater need for further enhancement of the powers to avoid delay in taking decisions and providing operational flexibility for execution of various programmes.

2. The Delegation of Financial Power Rules, 1978 was comprehensively amended in 2013 and in between eight years have elapsed. In the meantime, the Nominal GSDP and Budget size of the State has increased two-fold and three-fold respectively as compared to 2013-14. It has become imperative to enhance the power of various authorities for timely execution of works. After taking into account the need for effective fiscal management and to avoid delay in execution of various programmes, the State Government have been pleased to amend and revise the various provisions of Delegation of Financial Powers Rules, 1978.

3. Rule-10 (d) shall be substituted by the following provisions:

Authority	Recurring	Non-Recurring
Administrative Department	Full Power	Full Power
Member, Board of Revenue/PCCF/DG & IG of Police	40 lakh (Per annum in each case)	200 lakh (In each case)
Other Heads of Department including RDC	20 lakh (Per annum in each case)	100 lakh (In each case)

4. Rule-11A shall be omitted.

5. Rule-12 (1) shall be substituted by the following provisions:

(1) Subject to Sub-Rule (2), (3) and (4) and the provision of Odisha General Financial Rule governing procurement of goods, engagement of consultant, outsourcing of services and execution of contract, the power of Administrative Department and Heads of Department shall be as follows:

Authority	Delegated Power for		
	Procurement of goods	Engagement of consultant	Outsourcing of services
Administrative Departments	Full Power	300 lakh	Full Power
Heads of Departments	1000 lakh	100 lakh	50 lakh

Provided that Administrative Department shall engage consultant for approved project involving high technical requirement within two percentage of the project cost for such services as Architectural Designs, DPR preparations, constructions, supervision consultancy, 3rd party Quality Monitoring and other ancillary services.

6. Rule 13 shall be substituted by the following provisions:

1. Powers of Head of Departments other than the Member, Board of Revenue, Revenue Divisional Commissioner (RDC), Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (PCCF), Director General & Inspector General (DG & IG) of Police and other than those under Works Department, Water Resources Department, Energy Department, Rural Development Department, Panchayati Raj & Drinking Water Department and Housing & Urban Development (H&UD) Department in each case are as follows :-

Sl.No.	Description	Financial limit
1	Residential Building	5,00,00,000
2	Non-residential building	8,00,00,000
3	Communication including Culverts	3,00,00,000
4	Sanitary and Water Supply Installation	
	Non-Residential	1,00,00,000
	Residential	50,00,000

5	Electrical Installation	
	Non-Residential	1,00,00,000
	Residential	50,00,000
6	Circuit House, IB, Rest Shed and office-cum-Residential Building	3,00,00,000
7	Rural Water Supply	2,00,00,000
8	Other items	50,00,000

2. Powers of Member, Board of Revenue, RDC, PCCF, DG&IG of Police and Collector in each case are as follows: -

Sl. No.	Descriptions	Power of Member, Board of Revenue, PCCF and DG&IG of Police	Power of RDC	Power of Collector
1	Residential Building	7,50,00,000	4,50,00,000	3,00,00,000
2	Non-residential building	11,00,00,000	7,50,00,000	3,00,00,000
3	Communication	7,50,00,000	4,50,00,000	3,00,00,000
4	Circuit House, IB, Rest Shed and office-cum-Residential Building	4,50,00,000	3,00,00,000	1,50,00,000
5	Sanitary and Water Supply Installation			
	Non-Residential	1,12,50,000	75,00,000	30,00,000
	Residential	75,00,000	30,00,000	15,00,000
6	Electrical Installation			
	Non-Residential	1,12,50,000	75,00,000	30,00,000
	Residential	75,00,000	30,00,000	15,00,000

7	Rural Water Supply	4,00,00,000	2,00,00,000	1,00,00,000
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3. Powers of Administrative Departments other than the Revenue, Works, Water Resources, Energy, Rural Development, Housing & Urban Development and ST & SC Development Departments to accord administrative approval are double the financial limits indicated for Heads of Departments under Sub-Rule (1).

By Order of Governor,

Ashok
30/3/2021

(Ashok Kumar Meena)
Principal Secretary to Government

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