

Abstract

Survey and Settlement - Licentiate Course in Land Surveying - Increase the validity of license Course from 2 years to 5 years - Orders - Issued.

Revenue & Disaster Management [Survey & Settlement II(2)] Department

G.O.(MS) No.308

Dated: 16.08.2024 குரோதி வருடம், ஆடி மாதம் 31, திருவள்ளுவர் ஆண்டு–2055,

Read:

- 1. G.O.(Ms) No.362, Revenue and Disaster Management [SS-II(2)] Department, dated 04.10.2019.
- 2. G.O.(Ms) No.352, Revenue and Disaster Management [SS-II(2)] Department, dated 01.08.2022.
- 3. From the Director of Survey and Settlement letter No. K16/9215/2023(Sy), dated 21.07.2023.

ORDER:

In the letter third read above, the Director of Survey and Settlement has stated that, in the Government Order first read above, the Government have ordered for creating a pool of 'Licensed Surveyors' by imparting survey training for 3 months to Diploma holders in Civil Engineering. The training was imparted to them in traditional survey using Chains, Cross-staffs and theodolites and also in modern survey using Global Positioning Systems and Electronic Total Stations and they have been issued 'License for Land Surveying' with a validity of 2 years and the license renewal fee has been fixed as Rs.1000 for a period of 2 years.

2. The Director of Survey and Settlement has stated that, in the Government Order second read above, the Government have accorded permission for imparting Survey Training to Degree holders in Civil Engineering, Geo-informatics or M.sc (Geography) or M.sc (Earth Remote sensing and Geo-information technology) and National Trade Certificate holders in Survey and certificate holders of Army Trade Surveyors (field) issued by Madras Engineering Group, apart from Diploma holders in Civil Engineering also.

3. The Director Survey and Settlement has also stated that, so far, 'License for Land Surveying' has been issued to 985 persons 629 out of the 985 Licensed Surveyors have been deployed on contract basis in the following Departments, Government agencies, Corporation, etc., including Online Patta Transfer work in the department of Survey & Settlement.

S.No.	Name of the Department / Agency	No. of Licensed Surveyors
1.	Online Patta Transfer (OPT) work	350
2.	Chennai Metro Rail Limited (CMRL)	22
3.	The Tamil Nadu Urban Habitat Development Board (TNUHDB)	12
4.	Tamil Nadu Small Industries Corporation (TANSIDCO)	8
5.	Railway Project - Kanniyakumari	2
6.	HR&CE Department	193
7.	TIDCO	2
8.	Avadi Municipal Corporation	2
9.	Greater Chennai Corporation	8
10.	Krishnagiri Ennekol Project	2
11.	Coimbatore Municipal Corporation	10
12.	Coastal Road Project, Ramanathapuram	18
	TOTAL	629

The license has been renewed for 157 licensed surveyors at a fee of Rs.1000/-.

- 4. The Director of Survey and Settlement has also stated that, the validity period of the license is only two years and it has to be renewed biennially by the licensed surveyors in order to continue in the present contract work and in order to reduce the hardship of renewing the license every two years, issue it for a medium term period and reduce administrative work related to it for the department, it is proposed to increase the license period to 5 years. Therefore, and also requested the Government to issue appropriate orders to increase the validity period of license to 5 years.
- 5. The Director of Survey and Settlement has requested to increase the validity of period of the License for Land Surveying from 2 years to 5 years in order to reduce the hardship of renewing the license every two years and reduce administrative work related to it for the Department.
- 6. The Government after careful examination of the proposal of Director of Survey and Settlement hereby order to increase the validity period of the License for Land Surveying from 2 years to 5 years for the existing and future personnel and that this is independent of the actual personnel on contract.

7. This order issued with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide U.O.No.11829/2023, dated 31.07.2024.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

P. AMUDHA, PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

Director of Survey and Settlement, Chepauk, Chennai-05. The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-08.

The Accountant General (A&E/G&SSA), Chennai-18.

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Section Officer