



**Abstract**

Archaeology – Schemes under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) for the year 2017-2018 – Sanction for a sum of Rs. 47 Lakh – Orders – Issued.

**Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments (MA2) Department**

G.O.(Ms) No.21

Dated: 13.02.2018.

திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு-2049,  
ஹேவிளம்பி, மாசி-01.

Read:

1. From the Commissioner of Archaeology Letter No.B1/3507/2017, Dated.29.06.2017.
2. From the Member Secretary, State Planning Commission Letter No.1644/SPC(PC)/2017, Dated.14.11.2017.

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**ORDER:**

The Commissioner of Archaeology in the letter first read above has sent the proposals for Publication of Epigraphy Book, Making a VR 3D Virtual Museum and Installation of Floor Projection Mapping in Rajarajan Site Museum, Thanjavur District at a total cost of Rs.47 lakh under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) Scheme for the year 2017-2018.

2. The State Planning Commission in its letter second read above has sent its appraisal and recommendations on the proposals of the Department of Archaeology under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives Schemes for the year 2017-2018 and the Standing Finance Committee has also approved the above proposal.

3. Accordingly, the Government accept the proposal of Commissioner of Archaeology and sanction a sum of **Rs.35,25,000/- (Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Twenty Five Thousand Only)** for 2017-2018 and **Rs.11,75,000/- (Rupees Eleven Lakh and Seventy Five Thousand Only)** for next financial year 2018-2019 for the following schemes as approved by the State Planning Commission. The schemes under Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) for the year 2017-2018:-

S. No	Schemes Details	Amount Rs. (in lakh)	
		Ist year	IInd year
1.	Publication of Epigraphy Book titled Tamil Nadu Inscription Vol-XIII and Ten Students Monographs	12.00 ✓	
2.	Pilot Project – Making a VR 3D Virtual Museum with selected 100 antiquities which were collected from exploration and excavation carried out the Department of Archaeology on the two-year basis.	8.25	11.75

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3.	Installation of Floor Projection Mapping as a first step in the Archaeological Site Museum – Rajarajan Site Museum, Thanjavur District as an innovative initiative to increase the footfall and to entertain and educate the children's and general public.	15.00
	Total	47.00

4. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above shall be debited to the following head of account:-

- (i) 2205-00 – Art and Culture – 103 Archaeology – State's Expenditure – JN Publication on Epigraphy book titled Tamil Nadu inscription Vol-XIII and ten student's monographs – under State Innovation Fund – 07 Publications.  
(2205-00-103-JN-0702) - Rs.12.00 lakh
- (ii) 2205-00 – Art and Culture – 103 Archaeology – State's Expenditure – JO Making a VR 3D Virtual Museum with selected antiquities which were collected from exploration and excavations carried out the Archaeology Department under State Innovation Fund – 76 Computer and Accessories – 01 Purchase.  
(2205-00-103-JO-7614) - Ist Year Rs.8.25 lakh
- (iii) 2205-00 – Art and Culture – 103 Archaeology – State's Expenditure – JP Installation of floor projection mapping in the Archaeological Site Museum, Rajarajan Site Museum in Thanjavur District under State Innovation Fund – 76 Computer and Accessories – 01 Purchase.  
(2205-00-103-JP-7612) - Rs.15.00 lakh

5. The above expenditure shall be met from the State Innovation Fund by deducting under the following head of account:-

2205-00-Art and Culture -902- Deduct – Amount met from State Innovation Fund – State's Expenditure – JB – Deduct – Amount met from State Innovation Fund -30 Inter – Account Transfers.

(DPC: 2205-00-902JB-3003)

and contra debiting from J Reserve Fund (b) Reserve Funds not bearing Interest – 8229 00 Development and Welfare Funds – 200 Other Development and Welfare Funds – BE State Innovation Fund.

(DPC: 8229-00-200-BE-0006) (outgo)

6. The Commissioner of Archaeology, Chennai-8 is authorized to incur the expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above. He is also requested to send the Utilization Certificate to the Government within prescribed time.



7. The Commissioner of Archaeology, Chennai-8 is requested to follow the existing rules in force for executing the above schemes.

8. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (Edn-II) Department vide its U.O. No.65783/Fin(T,C&R.E)/2018, dated: 12.02.2018.

(By Order of the Governor)

R.Venkatesan,  
Principal Secretary to Government(i/c).

To

The Commissioner of Archaeology (i/c),  
Chennai-8.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai-35.

The Principal Accountant General, Chennai-18

The Accountant General, (A&E/Audit) Chennai-18

The Resident Audit Officer (G&SSA), Chennai-9.

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The Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments  
(General) Department, Chennai-9.

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