



Finance (BPE) Department,
Fort St. George, Secretariat,
Chennai – 600 009.

Letter No.30686/Finance(BPE)/2023, dated 14.12.2023

From

Thiru T. Udhayachandran, I.A.S.,
Principal Secretary to Government

To

8.The President,
Madras Chambers of Commerce and Industry, 634, Anna Salai,
Satya Murthy Nagar, Nandanam, Chennai-600 035.

Sir/Madam,

Sub: 'Michaung' cyclone-Induced rainfall in Tamil Nadu-Extensive flooding caused significant damages in multiple districts - comprehensive rehabilitation efforts- Seeking unspent Corporate Social Responsibility amount –Remittance in the Bank Account of Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority-Regarding.

Ref: Press Release issued by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu on 8.12.2023.

I am directed to enclose a copy of the Press Release issued by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu on 8.12.2023, highlighting the

extensive damages caused by the 'Michaung' cyclone-induced rainfall in various districts of Tamil Nadu.

2) In response to the Hon'ble Chief Minister's appeal for contributions to the Chief Minister's Public Relief Fund for Cyclone flood, I wish to draw your attention to Circular No.10/2020 dated 23.3.2020 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi. The circular explicitly states that Corporate Social Responsibility funds may be utilised for various activities, including preventive health care, sanitation and disaster management. Furthermore, the Secretary, Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India has clarified that contributions to the State Disaster Management Authority qualify as Corporate Social Responsibility expenditure.

3) Accordingly, companies desiring to contribute unspent Corporate Social Responsibility funds for 'Michaung' cyclone- flood related relief work are encouraged to issue cheques or Demand Drafts in favour of "The Tamil Nadu State Disaster Management Authority" and send them to

The Joint Secretary to Government,
Finance (CMPRF) Department,
Secretariat, Chennai 600 009.
jscmprf@tn.gov.in

Alternatively, the amount can be transferred by NEFT or RTGS to the following Bank Account.

Account No.	- 117201000017908
Bank	- Indian Overseas Bank
Branch	- Secretariat Branch, Chennai 600 009
IFSC Code	- IOBA0001172

Yours faithfully,


for Principal Secretary to Government

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Secretariat, Chennai-9.
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