GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT

(G.O. Ms. No. 6, Puducherry, dated 26th March 2020)

ORDER

Whereas, various lands are being acquired and proposed to be acquired under the National Highways Act, 1956, in the Union territory of Puducherry, for the projects undertaken by the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India, for the public purpose of building, maintenance, management, and operation of the National Highways which are passing through this Union Territory.

And whereas, the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India, New Delhi, has issued comprehensive guidelines from time to time regarding the levy of administrative charges by the States/Union Territories for acquisition of the lands for the National Highways.
And whereas, the administrative costs are essential to meet out the various expenditures and the costs associated with the functions discharged by the Competent Authorities for the Land Acquisition (CALA) and the Arbitrators appointed specially in this behalf.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under section 3(i)(vi)(A) of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 (No. 30 of 2013), the approval of the Government of Union territory of Puducherry is hereby accorded to levy the administrative costs at a uniform rate of 2.5% of the compensation amount for the lands acquired in this Union territory of Puducherry, for the purpose of building, maintenance, management and operation of the National Highways under the National Highways Act, 1956.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

Dr. Arun, T., I.A.S.,
Secretary to Government (Revenue)-cum-
District Collector.