To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi.

Sub: Conservation-cum-development (CCD) Plan for Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PTGs) of Gujarat for 12th Five Year Plan under the Scheme of Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups - Grant-in-Aid to the State Govt. of Gujarat for 2013-14.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the letter No.CTD/PVTG/CCD-12-14/527to528 dated 26/8/2013 from the Government of Gujarat regarding Conservation-cum-development (CCD) Plan for Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PTGs) of Gujarat for 12th Five Year Plan and to convey the sanction of the President to the release Grant-in-aid (General) for an amount of Rs. 1,00,00,000/- (Rupees One Crore Only) to the State Government of Gujarat for the year 2013-14 under the Central Sector Scheme of “Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups” for the activities/work proposed in the CCD Plan for 2013-14 as per Annexure. No UCs are due for rendition and are pending in this regard.

2. The grant-in-aid shall be subject to provisions of GFR, 2005.

3. The funds shall be released by the State Government of Gujarat for onward transmission to the implementing agencies immediately after the issue of this sanction order.

4. The approved works/activities shall be taken up in accordance with an implementation schedule drawn by Social Welfare Department of the State and submitted to the Ministry. Programme planning and monitoring must be done at local level primarily-preferably involving SHGs and similar village institutions.

5. The non-recurring grant is to be spent within 12 months from the date of sanction of this grant. The Utilization Certificate for non-recurring and recurring grant will be submitted by the State Govt. to the Ministry within 12 months from the date of sanction of this grant.

6. The State Government shall ensure that there is no unspent balance out of this grant left with them at the end of current financial year. The Unspent balance, if any, will be surrendered to the Ministry of Tribal Affairs/ or adjusted in the subsequent grant.

7. The financial assistance as provided under the scheme shall be utilized for the purpose it has been sanctioned and for the welfare of members of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PTGs) only.
8. The financial assistance given to ITDPs/ITDAs and TRIs would be deemed to be given to the State Government concerned and rules and regulation governing the grants-in-aid to States/UTs will apply to them.

9. The implementing agency shall allow the representative of this Ministry or the independent agency appointed by this Ministry or the State Government to inspect actual working of the scheme.

10. The above amount is debitable to the Major Head 3601 - Grants in Aid to the State Government 03-grants for Central Plan Scheme (Sub-Major Head), 796-Tribal Area Sub-Plans 08 -Welfare of Scheduled Tribes-Education -04 Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups, 08.04.31- Grants in Aid -General (Plan) under the Demand No.95 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2013-14 (Charged)

11. Arrangement may be made to credit this amount to the **State Government of Gujarat** in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance O.M.No.2 (45)/Spl. Cell 76 dated 30.8.76 as modified vide O.M. of even number dated 16.9.76 under intimation to this Ministry.


13. The sanction has been numbered as **No.1** of the Sanction Register.

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Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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1. Principal Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
   Quarterly Progress Report in prescribed format showing physical and financial achievements for the quarter under report may kindly be submitted regularly without fail even if it is nil report.
2. Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
3. Secretary, Planning Department, Govt. of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
5. National Commission for SCs and STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
6. Director of Audit, AGCR Building, New Delhi.
7. Planning Commission, New Delhi i) S.P. Division, ii) Plan Coordination Division, iii) BC Division.
9. US(IFD)/B&C Section, Ministry of Tribal Affairs.
10. Director (NIC), Ministry of Tribal Affairs to place it on the Ministry's Website for two months.
11. PS to MTA/PPS to Secretary (TA)/PPS to JS(TA).

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