

F.No. 11015/12/2014-SG-I
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001
Dated: 28.03. 2014

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110001.

Subject: Release of Grant under 1st proviso to Article 275(1) of the Constitution (Innovative Grant) during 2013-14 to the State Government of Meghalaya –(Capital Grant - Non- Recurring).

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and to convey the sanction of the President to the release of ₹2,00,00,000.00 (Rupees two crore only) under Article 275 (1) of the Constitution (Innovative Grant) to the State Government of Meghalaya, as payment of Central Assistance during 2013-14, towards Capital Grant for taking up the following activities with reference to State Government's letter No.PLR 2014/3/12 dated 28.02.2014:-

(₹ in lakh)

S. No.	Name of the Project	Total cost of the project proposed by the State	Amount approved for release during 2013-14
1	Centre of innovation of sustainable livelihood	600.00	100.00
2	Innovative irrigation infrastructure	900.00	100.00
Total		1500.00	200.00

2. No UC is due for rendition for releases made upto 2011-12.
3. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of the Government of **Meghalaya** in accordance with procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance's OM No. 2(45)/ 76-Spl Cell dated 30.8.1976 as modified by OM of even number dated 16.9.1976.
4. The expenditure is debitible to the:
 - Major Head '3601' - Grants-in-aid to State Governments,
 - Sub-major Head 02 - Grants for State Plan Schemes,
 - Minor Head 796 - Tribal Area Sub-Plan
 - 01 - Welfare of Scheduled Tribes - Grants under Proviso to Article 275 (1) of the Constitution.



02 - Scheme under Proviso to Article 275(1) of the
Constitution (Charged)
01.02.35 - Grants for creation of Capital assets.
Demand No. - 95 for 2013-14 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

5. The entire assistance is subject to adjustment on the basis of the audited figures of expenditure for the State Annual Plan 2013-14.

6. Due diligence may be adhered to by the State Government for complying Model Code of Conduct issued by Election Commission of India regarding General Election, 2014 while incurring expenditure out of this sanction.

7. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2013-14 and keeping in view spirit of the guideline laid down on Grants under Article 275(1) of the Constitution vide its letter No. 14011/9/2001-SG&C dated 2-7-2002 & D.O. letter No. 14020/2/2008-SG-1 dated 30.01.2008 and other instructions issued from time to time. A copy of the projects implemented by the State Government is required to be sent by the State Government to the Ministry. While taking up / implementing the projects submitted by the State Government the State government may ensure that the :-

- i. construction component of the project is based on the schedule of rates of CPWD / PWD or any other scheduled of rates approved by a competent authority.
- ii projects/s has the clearance of the State Government from the technical / financial / administrative angles.

8. The State Government is to transfer fund immediately within 30 days to the project implementing agencies and a copy of the fund transfer order may also be sent to this Ministry. It may be ensured that the grants are used for the purpose for which they are sanctioned after following the due procedure in a transparent manner and obtaining all necessary clearances as required under the various Central/State Acts, Rules and Regulations etc.

9. The progress reports of every quarter should be furnished indicating the physical and financial progress as per prescribed format already circulated. A Certificate of actual utilization of the grants received for the purpose for which it was received, may be furnished to the Ministry within 12 months of the closure of the financial year by the State Government as provisions of the GFR.



10. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their **Diary No.733/JS&FA/2014 date 27.03.2014**

11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S. No. 300** in the register of grants.

Yours faithfully,



[Nadeem Ahmad]

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to: -

- 1) Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, ITO, New Delhi.
- 2) Accountant General, Meghalaya, Shillong.
- 3) Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Meghalaya, Shillong.
- 4) Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Meghalaya, Shillong.
- 5) Principal Secretary, Department of Tribal Development, Government of Meghalaya, Shillong..
- 6) Commissioner, Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Meghalaya, Shillong.
- 7) Planning Commission, Plan Coordination Division, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 8) Planning Commission, BC Division, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 9) Planning Commission, State Plan Division, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 10) The Principal Resident Commissioner, Government of Meghalaya, Meghalaya Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 11) Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure), PF-I Section, North Block, New Delhi.
- 12) National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, Lok Nayak, Bhawan, 5th Floor, New Delhi.
- 13) JS(A)/DS(IFD)/NIC/ Hindi Section/ Sanction folder.



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