

1st installment

F.No. 11015/02/2014-SG-II
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110115
Dated: 19.06.2014

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110115.

Subject: Release of Grant under 1st proviso to Article 275(1) of the Constitution during 2014-15 to the State Government of **Sikkim - (General Grant) – 1st Installment.**

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs.11,16,000/- (Rupees Eleven Lakh Sixteen Thousand only)**, as 1st installment to the Government of **Sikkim** towards General-Recurring grants under Article 275(1) of the Constitution for the year 2014-15 against the allocation conveyed vide this Ministry's letter No.11015/02/2014-SG-II dated 25.04.2014.

2. No UC is due for rendition.
3. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of the Government of **Sikkim** 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 debitable 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
 - 02 - 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)
 - 02.02.31 - Grants in-aid - General (Charged)
 - Demand No. - 97 for 2014-15 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 2014-15.
6. The State Government will implement the projects within the amount released by the Ministry during 2014-15 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 this Ministry.
7. 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.
8. 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.
9. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs vide their **Diary No. 3034/JS&FA/2014 dated 06.06.2014.**
10. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S. No. ...of...** in the register of grants.

Yours faithfully,



(Nadeem Ahmad)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Tel: 2307 3708

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New Delhi, dated the 19.06.2014

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to: -

1. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, ITO, New Delhi.
2. Accountant General, Sikkim, Gangtok.
3. Principal Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok .
4. Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok.
5. Principal Secretary, Department of Social Justice, Empowerment & Welfare, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok.
6. Commissioner, Department of Social Justice, Empowerment & Welfare, Government of Sikkim, Gangtok.
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 Sikkim, Sikkim 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(SG)/DS (IFD)/ Hindi Section/ Sanction Folder/NIC.



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