

F.No.17014/07/2014-SG-II
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110115
Dated: 26.02.2015

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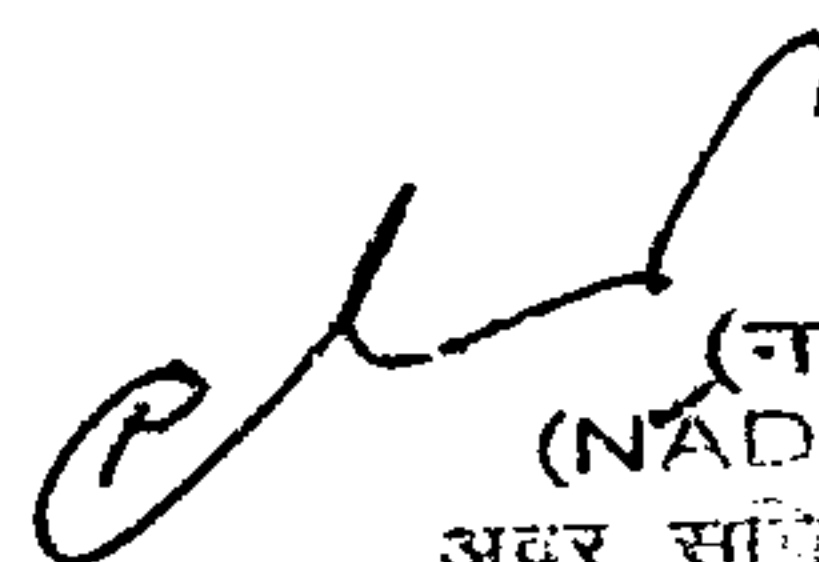
The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110115.

Subject: Release of Grants under Vanbandhu Kalyan Yojana (VKY) during 2014-15 to the State of Himachal Pradesh - 2nd installment.


Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of Rs.2,50,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Fifty Lakh only), as 2nd installment to the Government of Himachal Pradesh under Vanbandhu Kalyan Yojana (VKY) for the year 2014-15 to carry out the activities finalized with reference to the presentation made by the State in the meeting held at Shastri Bhawan on 20.01.2015 and as recorded in the proceedings of the meeting. The Activities to be executed in the Chamba Block of the State under VKY by the State of Himachal Pradesh is as under:

Particulars	Amount approved (Rs. in Lakh)
1. Information Education & Communication (IEC)/Environment Building Campaign	
Awareness Camps, Nukad Natak, Play, video show etc.	10.00
Advertisement through print and electronic media	2.00
Sub-Total	12.00
2. Livelihood Generation (Quantitative and Sustainable Livelihood Generation)	
Formation of ST SHGs	3.00
Trainings and Exposure Visits	15.00
Cultivation of Off-Season Vegetables, exotic vegetables and organic farming.	50.00
Mushroom Cultivation	25.00
Horticulture	5.00
Floriculture	10.00
Bee Keeping	20.00
Nursery Growing	20.00


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Particulars	Amount Approved (Rs. in Lakh)
Fisheries/Trout Farming(First Phase)	10.00
Rural Tourism(First Phase)	10.00
Food and Medicinal Plant Processing	3.00
Non-farm based skill development Training to tribal SHGs/Individuals	10.00
Mushroom Growing-cum-Demonstration unit	30.00
Feed Plant for Trout Farming	75.00
Tribal Haat-cum-Cold Storage	100.00
Vocational Training Centre	100.00
Sub-Total	486.00
3. Education	
Libraries for Primary,Middle & High Schools	30.00
Organization of career counseling camps in the school.	39.00
Hostel for Tribal Boys and Girls with the capacity of 50 students each.	100.00
Sub-Total	169.00
4. Organization health camps and Medical Check-ups.	
	3.00
Sub-Total	3.00
5. Connectivity	
Construction of roads and Upgradation of existing roads. (All weather roads) and purchase of snow cutter	100.00
Sub-Total	100.00
6. Housing	
Construction and Upgradation of House of ST Households	30.00
Providing Solar Lantern	122.50
Sub-Total	152.50
7. Irrigation and Safe Drinking Water	
Providing RO System for ensuring Safe drinking water(First Phase)	31.25
Sub-Total	31.25
8. Sports	
Construction of playgrounds and sports kits	15.00
Sub-Total	15.00
9. Promotion and Conservation of Tribal Culture Heritage	
Documentation and organization of Cultural events in the tribal villages	5.00
Sub-Total	5.00


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Particulars	Amount Approved (Rs. in Lakh)
10. Administrative Expenses, including professional services, motor vehicle on contract basis, stationary, TA, DA to project implementing staff, documentation, monitoring and evaluation (Maximum upto 5% of the total project cost)	26.25
Grand Total	1000.00

2. The sanction of Rs. 10.00 Crore against above mentioned activities should be carried out while keeping following observations in mind during the course of implementation of the programmes:

- ✓ Health issues of Gujjars to be focused.
- ✓ Door to door campaign for Polio eradication.
- ✓ Diversification of agrarian economy.
- ✓ Documentation of tribal produces.
- ✓ Organic Chamba produces labeling.
- ✓ Avoid subsidy component as it lack community ownership.
- ✓ Placement after special training programmes.
- ✓ Focus on Mushroom cultivation.
- ✓ Focus on adult literacy.
- ✓ Synchronization of holidays with festivals
- ✓ Hostels for children.
- ✓ Prospective outcomes of the plan need to be specified.
- ✓ Present status and futurist achievements on IMR, MMR and other issues with quantifiable indicators and numbers.
- ✓ Evidence based planning for interventions.
- ✓ Documentation of tribal knowledge, oral traditions, traditional medicines .
- ✓ Strengthening of tribal haats.
- ✓ Focus on organic production and certification.
- ✓ Tribal festival for showcasing tribal products.
- ✓ Separate language for Gujjars at primary level.
- ✓ Handholding support for medicinal herbs.
- ✓ No support for establishment of library since it has to be met out of State Government fund
- ✓ Training for traditional birth attendants as the practice is scientifically sound.
- ✓ Convergence aspect to be clearly articulated in the proposal.

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3. You may please transfer the amount immediately to the Government of Himachal Pradesh and advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the accounts of the State Government of Himachal Pradesh in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance's OM No. 2(45)/ 76-Spl. dated 30.8.1976 as modified by OM of even number dated 16.9.1976 under intimation to Programme Division of the Ministry.

4. No UC is due for rendition.

5. The State Government is required to take action to transfer the funds received to respective ITDPs/ agencies. Progress Reports of the activities to be undertaken under VKY should be furnished to the Ministry on quarterly basis. A Certificate of actual utilization of the grants received for the purpose, for which it has been sanctioned, is to be furnished to the Ministry within 12 months as per provisions of GFR.

6. The State Government has to ensure that grant-in-aid is used for the purpose for which it is sanctioned after following due procedure in a transparent manner and after obtaining all necessary clearances as required under the various Central/ State Acts, Rules, regulations, etc.

7. The sanction is subject to adherence of above stipulations and other provisions to be issued in this regards from time to time. The sanction is also subject to final adjustment on the basis of audited figures of expenditure.

8. The expenditure is debitable to the:

Major Head '3601' - Grants-in-aid to State Governments
Sub-major Head 03 - Grants for Central Plan Schemes
Minor Head 796 - Tribal Area Sub-Plan
08 - Welfare of Scheduled Tribes.
07 - Van Bandhu Kalyan Yojana
08.07.31 - Grants-in-aid-General (Charged)
Demand No. - 97 for 2014-15 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

9. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance Division vide Diary No.208/JS&FA/2015 dated 26.02.2015.

10. Certified that this sanction has been noted at Sl.No...15... in the Register of Grant.

Yours faithfully,

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2. Accountant General, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla
3. (a) Commissioner-cum-Principal Secretary, Tribal Development Department, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla
(b) Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla
(c) Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla
(d) Resident Commissioner, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Himachal Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. (a) NITI Aayog, Plan Coordination Division, Yojana Bhavan, New Delhi.
(b) NITI Aayog, BC Division, Yojana Bhavan, New Delhi.
(c) NITI Aayog, SP Division, Yojana Bhavan, New Delhi.
5. Director, PF-I Division, Ministry of Finance (Deptt. of Expenditure), North Block, New Delhi.
6. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi.
7. JS(SG)/DS (IFD)/ Hindi Section/ Sanction Folder/NIC.



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