

F.No.11015/08/2016-TSP
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110115
Dated: 27.09.2016

To

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

Subject: Special Central Assistance for Tribal Sub-Plan (SCA to TSP) during 2016-17 to the State of Sikkim basis- 2nd instalment (General-Recurring).

Sir,


I am directed to convey the sanction of the President of India for release of an amount of **Rs. 32,67,000/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand only)** as 2nd instalment to the Government of **Sikkim** towards **General Grants** under Special Central Assistance to Tribal Sub- Plan (SCA to TSP) for the year 2016-17 against the allocation stipulated in Annexure 3 of revised Guidelines issued by Ministry of Tribal Affairs (MoTA) vide letter No. F. No. 11015 / 06 / 2016 – SG – II dated 17.06.2016.

2. The payment of **Rs. 32,67,000/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand only)** to the Government of Sikkim will be made by a Draft in favour of Secretary, Department of Finance, Gangtok. The Drawing and Disbursing Officer of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs will present a bill for **Rs. 32,67,000/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand only)** to the Pay & Accounts Officer, Ministry of Tribal Affairs to enable him to issue the Draft.

3. Priority shall be accorded in accordance with the provisions contained in Para 5 of revised guidelines dated 17.06.2016.

4. State Government shall ensure immediate transfer of funds to respective implementing agencies for implementation of activities approved by MoTA PAC. Progress Reports of SCA to TSP may be furnished in the format prescribed by MoTA. 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 immediately after closing of the financial year as per provisions of General Financial Rules (GFR), 2005 amended from time to time.

5. 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. In case of construction of infrastructure facilities, norms and Schedule of Rates (SOR) fixed by the State Government should be followed.


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6. State Government shall ensure that concerned Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) should be duly informed about the projects / programmes relating to Tribal Development to be implemented in the area of jurisdiction. State Government shall also ensure that meetings of Gram Sabha are conducted on regular intervals as per norms in such areas.

7. The amount of funds being released to the State would be spent by the State in accordance with revised Guidelines of Ministry of Tribal Affairs (MoTA) issued vide letter No. F. No. 11015 / 06 / 2016 – SG – II dated 17.06.2016, and as per Annual Plan and approved by MoTA Project Appraisal Committee (PAC) for the year 2016-17.

8. No UC is due for rendition.

9. The expenditure to the tune of **Rs. 32,67,000/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand only)** 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
02 - Welfare of Scheduled Tribes – Grants under Proviso
to Article 275 (1) of the Constitution.
01 - Scheme under Tribal Sub-Plan (Charged)
02.01.31 - Grants-in-aid-General (Charged)
Demand No. - 89 for 2016-17 of the Ministry of Tribal Affairs

10. This sanction issues in exercise of the delegated powers in consultation with Integrated Finance Division vide **Diary No. 7605/JS & FA/2016 Dated 26.09.2016**

11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at Sl.No. 37..... in the Register of Grant.



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- 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) Niti Aayog, Plan Coordination Division, Niti Bhawan, New Delhi.
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- 9) Niti Aayog, State Plan Division, Niti 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.
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